

# GREEN/DUWAMISH AND CENTRAL PUGET SOUND (WRIA 9) IMPLEMENTATION TECHNICAL COMMITTEE



## WRIA 9 Implementation Technical Committee Meeting

May 17, 2023 | 9:30 am – 11:30 am

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9:30 **Welcome & Introductions**

9:45 **Status & Trends: Lower Green/Duwamish Aquatic Habitat Survey Report**

Iris Kemp

*Presentation followed by group discussion*

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This report describes results from the 2022 instream habitat and large wood (LW) survey of the lower Green River and Duwamish River conducted by Kleinschmidt Associates. It is the second in a series of surveys planned every five years to monitor habitat changes over time. This analysis was undertaken in support of the WRIA 9 2023 Status & Trends report.

10:25 **Lower Green River Corridor Flood Hazard Management Plan PEIS**

Matt Goehring

*Presentation followed by group discussion and whiteboarding*

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The King County Flood Control District is considering developing a Lower Green River Corridor Flood Hazard Management Plan that would guide future investments to reduce flood risks over the next 30-50 years. To inform the plan, a [draft programmatic environmental impact statement \(PEIS\)](#) evaluating three different approaches to reducing flood risks was prepared, and it is available for review and comment. A final PEIS could be issued by mid-2024 and would identify a preferred alternative. The Board could direct preparation of a Flood Hazard Management Plan after the final PEIS is issued. Matt will give a high-level overview of the alternatives, followed by group discussion facilitated with a whiteboarding option.

**Pre-meeting prep:** please review the attached slides and visit <https://www.lowergreensepa.org/draft-peis> for more detail on each alternative.

11:15 **Round Robin Updates**

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*Slide deck activity*

**Pre-meeting prep (5 minutes)** – Please find instructions on slide 1 at this link: [https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1\\_fkg\\_A\\_1oIP\\_KsJbk9uZM8HrSSPqthXngn\\_Hu38XltE/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1_fkg_A_1oIP_KsJbk9uZM8HrSSPqthXngn_Hu38XltE/edit?usp=sharing). Use your slide to include relevant updates from your jurisdiction, project, or team. Slides are pre-filled with names for convenience; please feel free to add and edit slides. You can also email updates directly to [ikemp@kingcounty.gov](mailto:ikemp@kingcounty.gov).

11:30 **Adjourn**

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