

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



WRIA 9 Implementation Technical Committee Meeting

July 19, 2023 | 9:30 am – 11:30 am

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9:30 **Welcome & Introductions**

9:40 **Round Robin Updates**

Slide deck activity

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- **Pre-meeting prep (5 minutes)** – Please find instructions on slide 1 at this link: <https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1nU5YcrpMqCo-RFgaOmF4UfFVp4ohFCctEPP9Wa4Abhg/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 combine slides. You can also email updates directly to Iris (ikemp@kingcounty.gov) for inclusion in the slide deck.

10:15 **NE Auburn Creek – Preferred Project Alternative**

Presentation followed by Q&A

The NE Auburn Creek project team will present the preferred alternative for a project to add a new backwater channel off the mainstem and a channel connecting NE Auburn Creek to an existing wetland to provide fish egress. It will increase connectivity to approximately 25,000 feet of existing floodplain tributary channel that is currently inaccessible due to a perched flapgate. The flapgate is creating a source of mortality, and this project will replace it with a fish friendly flapgate further upstream. This project will also expand the riparian buffer along 1,200 feet of the left bank of the Green River. This portion of the river is identified by the Muckleshoot Tribe as having a critical need for riparian shade.

Fauna Nopp and team, (King County, Water & Land Resources Division)

11:30 **Adjourn**

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