

**Pend Oreille River TMDL
Watershed Advisory Group**

Meeting Agenda

Thursday, October 20, 2005

1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

American Lutheran Church, Newport, Washington

- Introductions
- Overview of the Pend Oreille River watershed
 - Brief description of river basin, with a map—**maybe EPA could do this?**
- Introduction to the Pend Oreille River TMDL—**who should do this?**
 - What is a TMDL?
 - Memorandum of Agreement between states, tribe and EPA to develop a single temperature TMDL for the river
 - Why a TMDL for temperature must be done for the Pend Oreille River (includes discussion of Idaho/Washington/Tribal temperature standards) **Can we show the different standards on a map?**
 - The TMDL process (includes data collected/to be collected and how the temperature model will be used)
 - How a TMDL for Total Dissolved Gas will be developed
 - The TMDL timeline **Can we show this on a slide?**
- Break (hand out copies of MOA and work plan)
- Roles and Responsibilities
 - State of Idaho: **Ed Tulloch**
 - State of Washington: **Jon Jones**
 - Kalispel Tribe: **John Gross**
 - EPA Region 10: **Don Martin**
 - Tri-State Water Quality Council: **Ruth Watkins**
 - Watershed Advisory Group: **Ruth Watkins**
 - WAG membership, duties, and consultation with agencies/tribe at key milestones in TMDL process
- Next project milestone and potential meeting date/location

Handouts: Memorandum of Agreement and Work Plan