



Nutrient Work Group Meeting

July 28, 2021, 9:00 a.m.

DNRC Montana Room

Join via Zoom: <https://mt-gov.zoom.us/j/89404119127>

Dial by Phone: (406) 444-9999, Meeting ID: 894 0411 9127

Meeting Purpose: 1. Overview of State Law Process 2. Technical Subcommittee Report on Watershed Scale Framework 3. Initiate Discussion of Response Variables and Harm-to-Use Thresholds

9:05 Welcome and Introductions (Ted Barber, Facilitator)

9:15 Outstanding Action Items (Galen Steffens, DEQ)

9:20 Overview of MT State Law vs. MT Administrative Rules vs. Policy (Mike Suplee, DEQ)

9:30 Technical Subcommittee Report (Rainie DeVaney and Mike Suplee, DEQ)

- AMP definition
- Defining watersheds and major waterbody categories
- Watersheds with multiple sources

10:05 Meeting Topic Focus: Introduction to Response Variables and Harm-to-Use Thresholds (Mike Suplee)

10:40 Public Input Discussion & Close of Meeting

- Discussion of next meeting topics
- Meeting close

As Time Allows:

- Nonpoint Source Program Overview (Christina Staten, DEQ)

Next Meeting: Wednesday, August 25 from 9:00 -11:00 a.m.

Topic: Identifying point source long-term nutrient targets