

North Ada County Technical Working Group  
September 12, 2007 Meeting notes  
IDWR Conference Room 602A, 1:00 – 4:00 pm

Kick-off meeting for the North Ada County (NAC) Technical Working Group

Meeting summary:

Introductions from the group members and any involvement with the project were presented.

A general overview of the current status of the project was presented and open for discussion.

- A general consensus was agreed upon to maximize the current data available before acquiring additional data.
- The general “mission statement” for the project needs to be developed and presented.
- Review of historic pumping rates versus water levels could provide valuable insight.
- A “phased” approach was suggested for the investigation. IDWR had previously compiled a draft scope of work that supported the “phased” approach. The draft scope consisted of a data review process of the existing data, field work to fulfill information gaps, and a long term monitoring network for the area.
- A brief discussion of the North Ada County website and ftp site was conducted. It was agreed upon that any unpublished, technical documents would be posted on the ftp site. All published documents regarding the project will be posted on the website. Instructions and addresses were presented for both sites and how to access or submit data was discussed.
- A rough draft of the budget associated with the scope of work was presented and reviewed.
- A suggestion was made to allow the developers to produce as much information as possible before applying the resources from this project. Match funding from the developer was also suggested as a monetary option.
- A suggestion was made to conduct field work to talk with the local residents and develop a good working relationship with the community.
- A proposal was presented to have HydroLogic or SPF give a presentation of their work to date as a good review of the current understanding of the area.
- The meeting was concluded with the discussion of a presentation by HydroLogic at the next meeting.
- Meeting dates were determined to be quarterly, or sooner, as project activities occur.

Meeting Attendees:

Sean Vincent [IDWR]  
Ed Squires [HydroLogic, Inc.]  
Mark Utting [HydroLogic, Inc.]

Jennifer Johnson [USBR]  
Chris Duncan [Holladay Eng/City of Eagle]  
David Head [NACFA]  
Jim McNamera [BSU]  
Shawn Benner [BSU]  
Roger Dittus [UWI]  
Kevin Boggs [Independent Scientist]  
Allan Wylie [IDWR]  
Jim Bartolino [USGS]  
Christian Petrich [SPF]  
Dennis Owsley [IDWR]