

Terry Willis, Dave Rountry, Brady Engvall, Chanele Holbrook, Margaret Rader, Patrick Wiltzius, Lee Napier, Bob Wheeler, Steve Ellis, Cynthia Carlstad, and Samuel Iwenofu were present.

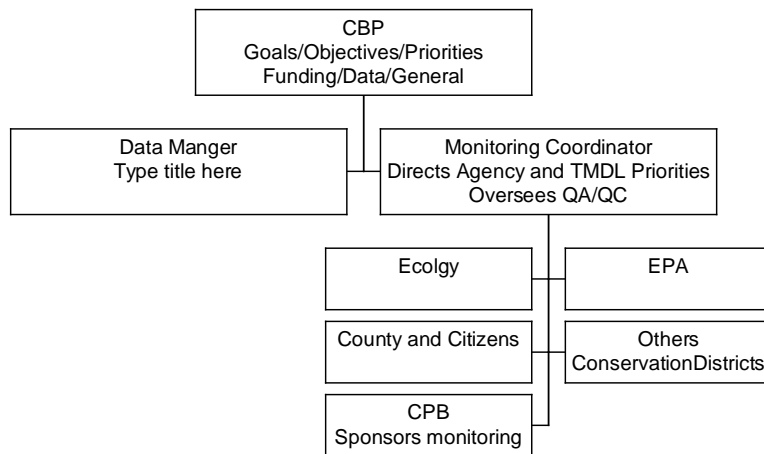
Terry Willis welcomed the group and asked for changes to the agenda. Napier announced that Lee Daneker would not be presenting the follow up to the bacteriological indicators. The majority of the time would be spent on the Coordinated Water Quality Monitoring Plan

Coordinated Water Quality Monitoring

Cynthia Carlstad distributed three documents prepared for the water quality grant funded through HB 1832. The documents included: *Chehalis Watershed Monitoring Plan Framework*, June 30, 2003, *Fecal Coliform Monitoring in Grays Harbor County: Summary Report of Monitoring Results for 2000-2003*, June 30, 2003, *Supplement to the Chehalis Basin Level I Assessment: Documentation of Existing Water Quality Conditions, Monitoring Activities and TMDLs*, June 30, 2003.

The group spent the time discussing the monitoring plan framework. The discussion led to the development of several schematics illustrating how the CBP might develop a program to govern and implement consistent water quality monitoring in the watershed.

Chehalis Basin Monitoring Program Schematic

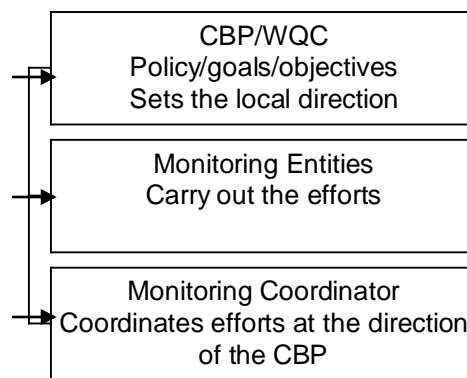


The group discussed possible job duties for the Monitoring Coordinator. The coordinator would be independent of an agency, focused on Chehalis Basin Partnership goals and objectives, and tied into established programs such as

Ecology's water quality program. Other possible function of the position might include:

- 303(d) prioritization and implementation,
- TMDL prioritization and implementation.
- Funding prioritization
- Local needs and prioritization
- Water quality stands for local level
- Monitoring efforts
- Communication
- Coordinate flow monitoring

After some more discussion, the Group simplified the schematic as follows:



The benefit of this organizational chart is the local greater control in directing efforts and the ability to be proactive rather than reactive.

The group developed a schedule to finish the review of this document. All comments need to be submitted by the 18th of July. The document would be distributed to the CBP on the 25th. Then the plan will be incorporated into the watershed plan as it evolves.

Draft Implementation Plans for the Chehalis/Grays Harbor and Humptulips TMDLS

Rountry updated the group on both DIPs.

Since the last meeting, Rountry received information that was incorporated into the current version of the document, which he distributed. All new information is shown as highlighted text. He asked the group to consider submitting this draft document to the CBP on July 25 to expand the public review.

Rountry shared that Graber finished the DIP for the Humptulips. During the public comment period, one comment was submitted. He distributed copies of the plan that was submitted to EPA.

The next meeting is August 14, 2003.