



FOUNTAIN CREEK WATERSHED

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Technical Advisory Committee

Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, August 5, 2020 – 1:00 PM

1. Call to Order, Introductions, and Establishment of a Quorum: The meeting was held via a Zoom video conference call. A quorum was established, and the meeting was called to order at 1:02 p.m.

Committee Members in Attendance

Andra Ahrens	City of Pueblo, Water Quality
Kevin Binkley	Colorado Springs Utilities/City of Colorado Springs
Joshua Carpenter	USACE, Albuquerque, District
Laura Hempel	USGS
Doug Hollister	State of Colorado, Division of Water Resources
Dominga Jimenez-Garcia	Pueblo County, Public Works
Irene Kornelly	District Citizen's Advisory Group
Jason Meyer	El Paso County, Parks
Brian Mihlbachler	USAF Academy
Jonathan Moore	Fountain Sanitation District
Richard Mulledy	City of Colorado Springs, Stormwater Enterprise
Mark Shea	Colorado Springs Utilities, Watershed Planning
Brandy Williams	City of Fountain

Others in Attendance:

Samantha Bailey	PPACG
William Banks	FCWFCGD Executive Director
Annie Berlemann	Colorado Springs Utilities, Watershed Planning
Krystal Brown	USGS
Adam Copper	City of Colorado Springs, Stormwater Enterprise
Marci Day	Pueblo County
Wendi Knutsen	City of Colorado Springs, Stormwater Enterprise
Tanis Manseau	Pueblo County, Public Works
Tony Martinez	USACE, Albuquerque, District
Jacob Olsen	State of Colorado, Division of Water Resources
Ian Patton	Wright Water Engineers
Erin Powers	City of Colorado Springs, Stormwater Enterprise
Gary Rapp	Watershed Citizen
Jeff Rice	El Paso County, Engineering
Allison Schuch	FCWFCGD Watershed Outreach Coordinator
Larry Small	FCWFCGD Former Executive Director

2. Approve Agenda: A motion was made by Mark Shea to approve the agenda as presented, which was seconded by Brandy Williams and approved by unanimous vote.

3. Approve Minutes of the July 1, 2020 Meeting: A motion to approve the July 1, 2020 meeting minutes as presented was made by Brian Mihlbachler, seconded by Laura Hempel and approved by unanimous vote.
4. TAC Member Comments: Mark Shea gave brief update on ongoing WOTUS regulations and current related conversations in Colorado.
5. Public Comments: None.
6. Presentations:
 - a. USACE SQT Presentation and Stream Stabilization Approach Discussion – Josh Carpenter with the USACE Albuquerque District provided an overview of the June 2020 Colorado Mitigation Procedures guidance document.
 - b. USGS Precipitation Gauges – Krystal Brown with the USGS provided an overview of USGS precipitation gauges used and monitored throughout the watershed.
7. Reports:
 - a. District Board/Water Activity Enterprise Board: Bill Banks reported that the District Board and Water Activity Enterprise Board met on July 24, 2020 where the Board was provided an update on the District’s financial and project status.
 - b. Citizens Advisory Group: Irene Kornelly reported that the CAG met on July 10 and discussed the Southmoor Drive alternatives for bank stabilization along Fountain Creek adjacent to Southmoor Drive in Fountain, Colorado. The Group is scheduled to meet again on August 14 to discuss the new PFAS Narrative Policy Standard 20-1 and the implications of the new policy in the watershed.
 - c. Monetary Mitigation Fund Advisory Committee: MMFAC members reported that that the committee met in July where the committee continued to discuss the Southmoor Drive project and the potential for the project to be considered for MMF funding.
 - d. AFCURE: Annie Berlemann noted that the group met in July and discussed the new PFAS Narrative Policy Standard 20-1 implementation.
8. New Business:
 - a. Fountain Creek District Project Tour – It was noted that the current tour date had been moved from September 18, 2020 to October 16, 2020.
9. Old Business:
 - a. Southmoor Drive Bank Stabilization Project (WARSSS EP 054/EP 057): City of Fountain Staff Members – Brandy Williams reported the City had no additional updates at this time.
10. Future Business
 - a. Discuss watershed geomorphology “meet n’ greet” style meeting (September)
 - b. Riverside Restoration Project Update – Watervation (October)

11. Set Date, Time, and Location of Next Meeting: The next District TAC meeting will be held via a Microsoft Teams video call on Wednesday, September 2, 2020 at 1:00 pm.
12. Adjourn: The meeting adjourned at 2:20 pm.