

Colorado/Lavaca BBEST Meeting Draft Agenda, June 2, 2010th:

Location: Board Room, Hancock Building, LCRA Headquarters, Austin

8:30 Business/Introductions
Review agenda
Review and approve May 11, 2010 consensus points and action items
Budget status – Ruben Solis, David Buzan
Other business, others
Questions

9:00 Preliminary hydrological analyses – the Hydro workgroup:

10:00 Freshwater inflow workgroup progress –
Status of meeting for bay experts'
Draft freshwater inflow recommendation for Matagorda Bay

11:00 Riparian Zone/vegetation meeting summary – Melissa Romigh

11:30 BBEST Direction for the next 3 months

This is the tentative schedule we agreed upon at our April 20 meeting

- Mid-July- Hydrologic analysis will be completed
- July – October – Biological, Water Quality, and Geomorphology Overlays will be evaluated
- December- Conceptual Flow Regime will be presented to the stakeholders
- February 1st – First Draft of Final Report

This is a proposed revised schedule for your consideration (based in part on SAC and stakeholder comments)

- June-September:
 - At our selected stations, identify natural flow regime, native species, key habitats, and key ecological functions, then summarize to the best of our ability any conclusions about flow relationships.
 - Hydro workgroup is using HEFR to compute flow regimes at the selected stations
- October: Provide draft flow regimes for the 7 experimental sites and freshwater inflows to bays to the Colorado/Lavaca stakeholders
- October –January 2011: Prepare draft environmental flow regimes for remaining sites. Provide support to help stakeholders understand the analytical process and source of values in the draft environmental flow regime. Draft environmental flow regime recommendation report.
- February 1: First draft of report completed and circulated

12:00 Lunch

12:30 Overlays
Biology, Buzan
Update on fish guilds discussion (Thom Hardy)
Focal species
Geomorphology, Nolan
Water Quality, Paul Jensen

2:00 Public comment

2:15 Confirm next meeting date as July 20 or July 21. Confirm meeting date of August 24.
Summarize consensus points and action items from the day's meeting

2:30 Adjourn