

Big Hole Watershed Committee

Monthly Meeting Agenda

February 19, 2025 – 6:00 pm at the Divide Grange Hall

Zoom option also available – login information on next page



Welcome, Introductions

Meeting Minutes

Review of prior month's meeting minutes, available here: <https://bhwc.org/monthly-meetings/> (scroll to bottom of page for archived meeting minutes). Zoom meeting recordings are also available on this page. Printed copies of the prior month's meeting minutes will be made available at monthly meetings.

Reports

- Precipitation and Snowpack/Streamflow Report
- Director's Report
 - Restoration Report
- Steering Committee Report
- Communications & Wildlife Report

New Topics

Break – 10 minutes

Meeting Topic: Big Hole River Foundation Water Quality and Macroinvertebrate Monitoring

Presented by: Brett Marshall, Entomologist – River Continuum Concepts

Background: In 2019, the Big Hole River Foundation (BHRF) partnered with entomologists from River Continuum Concepts (RCC) to create a bug monitoring program on the Big Hole River in response to concerns over declining hatches. Mayflies, stoneflies, and caddisflies, being sensitive to pollution and habitat degradation, are used to assess water and habitat quality. The program aims to provide the State with data on the impact of water quality factors (e.g., nitrogen, phosphorus, dissolved oxygen) on the river's biology. The first goal was to establish a baseline and screening criteria for future monitoring, with the initial report completed in October, now available on the BHRF website. Brett Marshall, RCC's Owner/Lead Scientist, will present the findings.

Upcoming Meetings & Events

- March 19, 2025 – 7:00 pm at the Divide Grange Hall: BHWC Monthly Meeting
 - Topic: TBD

Adjourn



Big Hole Watershed Committee is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: BHWC Monthly Meetings

Time: Feb 19, 2025 06:00 PM Mountain Time (US and Canada)
Mar 19, 2025 07:00 PM
Apr 16, 2025 07:00 PM
May 21, 2025 07:00 PM
Jun 18, 2025 07:00 PM
Aug 20, 2025 07:00 PM
Sep 17, 2025 07:00 PM
Oct 15, 2025 07:00 PM
Nov 19, 2025 06:00 PM

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