

South Saskatchewan Region Regional Advisory Council (RAC) – Meeting #4

Location:

Lethbridge Lodge, Lethbridge AB

Date:

October 06, 2009, 9:00am – 5:00pm October 07, 2009, 8:00am – 4:00pm

Meeting Objectives:

- Review draft regional vision and outcomes
- Start discussion on regional objectives
- Introduce cumulative effects management (CEM), environmentally significant areas (ESA), species at risk, and ecological goods and services
- Begin discussions on identification of valued landscapes
- Overview consultation phase 1 (communities and dates)

Time	Item for Discussion	Lead
	DAY 1	
9:00 - 9:30am	Breakfast	
9:30 - 10:00am	 Opening remarks from the Chair Land-use Framework updates	Rob Penny Glen Tjostheim
10:00 - 10:30am	 Agenda review Review and approve meeting #3 minutes and notes 	Rob Stuart
10:30 - 10:45am	Break	
10:45 - 11:00am	 SSRP terms of reference (confidential) Summary of RAC guidance tasks 	Rob Penny Doug Olson





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11:00 - 11:30am	Review and revise draft vision	Rob Stuart
11:30am - 12:00pm	Review and revise draft outcome statements	Rob Stuart
12:00 - 1:00pm	Lunch with Lethbridge Mayor, Robert Tarleck	
1:00 - 2:00pm	 Review and enhance objectives (Regional Planning Team will provide some initial draft objectives for RAC to review, discuss, and enhance) (review the key GoA policies in binder #1) 	Rob Stuart Richard Roberts
2:00 - 2:15pm	Introduction to valued landscapes	Judy May-McDonald
2:15 - 2:45pm	Cumulative effects management presentation followed by question period	lan Dyson (Alberta Environment)
2:45 - 3:15pm	 Introduce environmentally significant areas presentation followed by question period 	Doug Bowes (Tourism, Parks and Recreation)
3:15 - 3:30pm	Break	
3:30 - 4:00pm	 Species at risk in the SSR presentation followed by question period 	Richard Quinlan (Sustainable Resource Development)
4:00 - 4:30pm	 Grizzly bear status presentation followed by question period 	Travis Ripley (Sustainable Resource Development)
4:30 - 5:00pm	 Discussion on how the presentations link to the terms of reference, tasks and regional plan development 	Rob Stuart
6:30pm	Dinner at Miro's Bistro	
	DAY 2	
8:00 - 8:30am	Continental breakfast	
8:30 - 8:45am	Agenda review - set the stage for the day	Rob Stuart





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8:45 - 9:15am	 Introduction to ecological goods and services presentation followed by question period 	Meghan Snowdon, Karen Hughes-Field (Alberta Environment)
9:15 - 10:00am	 Overview of valued landscapes presentation followed by question period 	Doug Olson
10:00 - 10:15am	Break	
10:15am - 12:00pm	 Continue overview on background to valued landscapes in the SSR and begin discussion (RAC breakout group tasks) 	Doug Olson Rob Stuart Richard Roberts
12:00 - 1:00pm	Lunch with County of Lethbridge Reeve, Lorne Hickey	
1:00 - 2:00pm	 Review and confirm key RAC discussions and question to the GoA that evolve throughout the meeting 	Rob Stuart
2:00 - 2:30pm	Public and stakeholder consultation program update	Glen Tjostheim Richard Roberts
2:30 - 3:00pm	Review of glossary and complete discussion on vision, outcomes and objectives	Judy May-McDonald Rob Stuart
3:00 - 3:15pm	Break	
3:15 - 4:00pm	 Next steps SharePoint site overview Review work plan and timelines Potential agenda items for next meeting Homework assignments Overall meeting reflection (what are the lessons learned to date) 	Rob Stuart Judy May-McDonald

Next Meeting Date: November 23 - 24, 2009