

CITY OF McCall
Environmental Advisory Committee
AGENDA
July 17, 2017 at 6:00pm
McCall Library
218 E. Park Street, McCall, ID 83638

I. Call to Order and roll call

Present: Steve Goodall
Murray Dalgliesh
Deb Fereday
Julie Thrower

II. Agenda Review and Updates

Change in VI.2 should read “Discussion of Payette Lakes Water Quality Council.”

III. Introduction of guests:

No guests were present.

IV. Review minutes from May meeting

Meeting minutes approved.

V. Public Comment

No public comment was received.

VI. Business

1. McCall Recycling- Discussion of Recycle Survey (recycling folder see mccalleac@gmail.com)

The committee discussed helping the City draft a survey to assess community’s recycling needs. Main information the survey should seek to gather is whether people would be willing to drive to Lake Fork if the McCall recycling center was moved there and/or how would current recycling levels change, and determine what level of

increase in monthly trash bill would people be willing to sustain to have single-stream curbside recycling. The committee thought it would be important to get this information from both residents of McCall and those residing in the impact area. Julie Thrower offered to draft a survey to provide to the City for consideration.

The committee also discussed filing an open records request to the County and Lakeshore to obtain information on the amount of recyclable materials that are hauled by Lakeshore from the McCall Recycling Center, and all the financial information on what the County pays Lakeshore, and the amount of funds Lakeshore collects from selling the recyclable materials. The committee agreed that it would be best for the request to come from a private citizen, rather than from the EAC.

2. Discussion of Payette Lakes Water Recreation District

The committee discussed whether there should be a stronger working relationship between or combination of the Payette Lakes Water Quality Council (PLWQC), the Payette Lakes Protective League (PLPL), and the EAC. There was concern that the PLPL's agenda may not be compatible with the EAC as the committee was not certain that the organization dealt with any environmental issues on the Lake. There was also discussion about how the PLWQC appears to be moving to be a more educational organization, rather than continuing to monitor the Lake's water quality. The committee was unsure what the purpose would be of combining the groups.

3. Green Business Program (check for applications)-Update

There were no updates.

VII.Next Meeting Date
August 15, 2017

VIII.Adjournment