# City of Bend Utilities Public Advisory Group



**Location:** Zoom Meeting Link

Date: Wednesday, December 6, 2023

**Time:** 11am-12:30pm

**Speakers:** Lori Faha, City of Bend Environmental Resources Manager

Dan Denning, City of Bend Water Conservation Program Manager Elisabeth O'Keefe, City of Bend Stormwater Program Manager

Aubrie Koenig, Consor Strategic Planning & Communications Facilitator

## Meeting Agenda

**Purpose:** Welcome new UPAG members, reflect on 2023 conversations and how input is being used, and refine meeting roadmap for 2024.

- **1. Welcome** *15 mins* 
  - a. Introduce new members
  - b. Summarize UPAG role and resources
- 2. UPAG Input in Action –25 mins
  - a. Share 2023 UPAG discussion highlights
  - b. Share how the City is using what we heard
- 3. UPAG Reflections and Ideas 40 mins
  - a. Whiteboard 'like, wish, wonder' activity
  - b. Round the room takeaways and topics of interest
  - c. Open mic opportunity
- 4. Summary and Closing 10 mins
  - a. 2024 meeting roadmap
  - b. Closing remarks and adjourn

# **UPAG Meeting Roadmap** *draft*



January 2024	JAN 2024 UPAG MEETING: CANCELLED
February 7, 2024	FEB 2024 UPAG MEETING: Bend Water Systems Virtual Tour & Key Issues
11am-12:30pm Zoom Meeting	<ul> <li>Provide a bit of history and background on the water systems: sources, water/wastewater treatment, stormwater</li> <li>Look ahead to the future of water in Bend (groundwater allocation rules, re-use, basin planning, etc.)</li> <li>Answer questions about water quality, water use and allocation of water resources</li> <li>Outcome: Background knowledge for UPAG members and time to ask "burning questions."</li> </ul>
March 6, 2024	MARCH 2024 UPAG MEETING: Stormwater Master Plan & Erosion Control
11am-12:30pm Zoom Meeting	<ul> <li>Share Stormwater Master Plan scope, schedule, areas of emphasis</li> <li>Collect input on known flooding and water quality issues</li> <li>Discuss key policy areas to address such as "drainage and density"</li> <li>Share erosion control program expansion updates and collect input</li> </ul> Outcome: Understanding of master plan steps, schedule, products. Initial input on problems, issues.
April <mark>3 or 10</mark> , 2024	APRIL 2024 UPAG MEETING: Water Conservation
11am-12:30pm	<ul> <li>Provide water conservation program and code standards update</li> <li>Discuss water conservation priorities and get input on focus areas</li> </ul>
	<b>Outcome:</b> Feedback on potential re-prioritization of water conservation measures with a focus on overall water savings and cost effectiveness.
May 1, 2024	MAY 2024 UPAG MEETING: Stormwater Master Plan
11am-12:30pm	<ul> <li>Provide Stormwater Master Plan progress update</li> <li>Collect input on actionable planning products and on criteria to evaluate options</li> </ul> Outcome: Recommendations for implementable master plan products.
June 5, 2024	JUNE 2024 UPAG Meeting: In-person Field Trip (locations TBD)
11am-12:30pm	



### **Accessible Meeting Information**

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