

Columbia Valley

Recreation Planning Initiative

2023-10-05 CVRPI Planning Committee Meeting Notes

Note: meeting attendees were not recorded.

Summary of what was discussed and agreed to:

1. Jeff to send out Doodle poll for next meeting/workshop with AC/PC.
 - a. That is done. **November 6th from 3-5pm** is the date. Meeting invitation to be circulated shortly.
2. Agreement that the public engagement process will occur in the middle to end of January and last 2-3 weeks.
 - a. Working backwards from the March 10th deadline to submit a DRAFT Report, this is the latest it can be pushed back.
3. Agreement to engage the public on recreation management options.
 - a. Agreed to present the public with recreation management options for Forster, and gather perspectives from the public on preferred management options. The goal of the November 6th meeting is to begin identifying the recreation management options that will be proposed during the public engagement process.
4. Agreement to develop scales to help characterize recreation use intensity, and recreation impacts.
 - a. Discussion of the updates to the Forster Inventory Report which includes development of frameworks to characterize both 1) recreation use intensity, and 2) recreation impacts. Jeff will send the draft report to the PC shortly with a request for review and comment, particularly on the two frameworks and whether they make sense.
5. Agreement to survey all AC/PC members to help characterize both 1) recreation use intensity, and 2) recreation impacts.
 - a. Once input has been received on these frameworks, a survey will be prepared for all AC/PC members to help characterize recreation use intensity, and recreation impacts. Results of that survey will inform the discussion of recreation management options at the November 6th meeting.