

**Wetland Mitigation Banking Pilot Program  
Advisors Group Meeting Agenda**

January 8, 2007

Meeting Room 1S-16/17

Department of Ecology Headquarters Building  
300 Desmond Drive, Lacey

**Meeting Topic: Communication and Public Outreach**

**10:00 – 10:15 Welcome and Introductions**

- A few organizational details

**10:15 – 11:45 Primary Objective for Meeting: Group Discussion of Outlined Topic Areas Outlined**

**1. General Outreach Needs**

- a. Public outreach to provide general information on wetland banking
- b. Early involvement of local government and tribal entities
- c. Outreach to local government to provide information about wetland banking
- d. Improvement to Public Involvement discussed in meetings with Advisors Group.

**2. Public Involvement**

- a. Public Involvement used to date
- b. Improvement to Public Involvement discussed in meetings with Advisors Group.

**11:45 – 12:00 Questions from the Public**

**12:00 – 12:30 [Lunch]**

**12:30 – 1:15**

**3. Communication on Process**

- a. Strategy to improve communications during bank review.
- b. Issues discussed during previous meetings to improve communication
- c. Ideas discussed or suggested to improve communications with the public and local government
- d. Develop tools to help the applicants and Agency permit staff understand how to use banks

**1:15 – 1:30 Questions from the Public**

**1:30 – 2:30**

**4. Communication on Program**

- a. Continue work with Advisors Group to improve the banking program.
- b. Updates from the Advisors Group should be shared with the banking listserve and posted to Ecology wetland banking website.
- c. Meetings with Advisors Group are open to the public and announcements will be posted on listserve and website.

**5. Outreach to WDFW and the Services**

**2:30 – 2:45 Questions from the Public**

**2:45 – 3:00 Wrap Up; Adjourn Meeting**