



AGENDA

**Lake Washington/Cedar/Sammamish Watershed
WRIA 8 Salmon Recovery Council
Thursday, January 17, 2019, 2:00-4:15PM**

NOTE MEETING TIME and LOCATION

**Department of Ecology, Northwest Regional Office
3190-160th Ave. SE, Bellevue**

**Meeting
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1.	Introductions		John Stokes, Chair Councilmember, City of Bellevue	2:00-2:05
2.	Public Comment		John Stokes	2:05-2:10
3.	Consent Agenda: • Approval of Meeting Notes for November 15, 2018	3	John Stokes	2:10-2:15
4.	Updates & Announcements	9	Jason Mulvihill-Kuntz, WRIA 8 Salmon Recovery Manager	2:15-2:45
5.	2019 WRIA 8 budget and work plan adjustment options to address loss of Snohomish County cost share (Decision) Discuss status of potential in-kind services agreement between WRIA 8 and Snohomish County in-lieu of the County's 2019 cost share payment, and consider options to address the loss of the County's cost share in the 2019 WRIA 8 budget. Discussion questions to consider: • Is maintaining current level of WRIA 8 services a priority? • What is the most cost effective approach to addressing the loss of Snohomish County's cost share (e.g., grant funds, carry-forward funds, a combination, etc.)? • How should the Salmon Recovery Council engage Snohomish County to support the County resuming its cost share in 2020 and beyond?	17	Jason Mulvihill-Kuntz	2:45-3:30

6.	<p>Monitoring habitat restoration metrics (Information/Discussion)</p> <p>Hear an update on monitoring of habitat restoration metrics in the WRIA 8 Monitoring and Assessment Plan, to establish a baseline to help track progress.</p> <p>Discussion questions to consider:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is this useful information for the Salmon Recovery Council, and what's the best way for the Council to receive it? • How can this information be best used to tell the WRIA 8 salmon recovery story? 	22	Scott Stolnack, WRIA 8 Technical Coordinator	3:30-4:00
7.	<p>Success Story: Salmon Heroes Program</p> <p>Salmon Heroes is an education program to engage students in understanding and promoting healthy watersheds. As of the end of 2018, the program has worked with over 132 classes in south King County and they are expanding their work in Renton and the Cedar River.</p>		Tara Luckie, Executive Director Environmental Science Center Larry Reymann, Board Chair Environmental Science Center	4:00-4:15

Next Meeting:
March 21, 2019, 2:00-4:15PM
Mercer Island Community Center
8236 SE 24th Street, Mercer Island