

**HINKSON CREEK COLLABORATIVE ADAPTIVE MANAGEMENT**  
**ACTION TEAM Meeting Minutes**  
**January 20, 2023**  
**9:00 am**

Columbia Regional Waste Water Treatment Plant  
4900 W Gillespie Bridge Rd, Columbia, MO  
With Virtual Attendance

**Action Team Members Present:** Nicki Rinehart, Tom Wellman, Lynne Hooper, Jon White, Caleb Knerr

**Staff and Others Present:** Ted Haeussler, Cody Luebbering, Lee White, Michele Woolbright, Lee White, Emma Flannery

1. **CALL TO ORDER** –The meeting was called to order at 9:06 am.
2. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA** – Approved.
3. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM PAST MEETINGS** – Approved.
4. **AGENDA ITEMS**
  - **Stakeholder/Science Team Updates**
    - **Stakeholder Committee**
      - Next meeting to be in March
    - **Science Team** – January 3
      - Got a Chloride Task Force update – Sci Team seemed excited
      - USGS Monitoring results coming soon
      - Dave Michaelson reported on a biological gradient tool – a broader way of looking at stream condition
    - **Riparian Subcommittee** – January 10
      - Discussed inviting new members
      - Discussed a follow-up listening session
  - **Action Updates/Proposals**
    - **Specific Conductance Monitoring Proposal**
      - Nicki working on a 3-party agreement for funding
    - **Chloride Task Force.**
      - Group has settled on some recommendations
        - Make high quality live info on weather/road conditions available
        - Learn more about scope of home use
        - Prepare an Education Strategic Plan
        - Have annual chloride meetings to discuss what was learned
        - Set up follow-up group to talk about design and construction to minimize salt use, among other things
      - 3 more meetings to be held over next 3 months
    - **USGS Chemical Sampling**
      - Findings should be available in spring 2023
    - **Next Steps**
      - Another Listening Session with Ag Producers will be held in late February/early March
      - Many folks who were interested were unable to attend the first on

- **Regulatory Updates**
  - Regulatory agencies looking hard at PFAS
  
- **Announcements/Comments**
  - Cody saw a good presentation on using 319 Grants to acquire Conservation Easements and will forward to the group
  - DNR to offering grants to help with failing septic systems
  - County to look into holding Action Team Meetings at County Building
  
- **Agenda Items for Next Meeting – February 17 , 2023**
  - Keep the same agenda.
  
- **Adjourn – 9:54am**