Advisory Council Minutes

June 23, 2022

Members Present:

Ron Edgar, Chemistry
Tony Masiello, Member at Large
Doug Bleeker, Fire Protection
Hal Ophus, Business Community
Brent Downey, Industry
Jackie Etter, Agriculture
John Dietzman, Environmental
Jana McDonald, Air Pollution Control

Staff Present:

Scott Windsor, Executive Director Lisa Woodard, Communications/Outreach Manager Margee Chambers, Rule Writer & SIP Planner Amber Ellis, Administrative Assistant

The meeting was called to order at 8:01 a.m.

1. Introductions

Advisory Council members and staff introduced themselves

2. Approval of April 28, 2022, Minutes

John motioned to approve the April minutes and Hal seconded. Minutes approved.

3. Executive Directors Report for April/May – Scott

- a. Wildfire Smoke Partners met for the first time this season.
- b. The Agency continues to work on the budget for the 2023 fiscal year.
- c. Inspectors are beginning to work weekends to watch for illegal burning
- d. Staff conducted the Board Retreat
- e. Employees that were required to do so completed Fall Protection Training
- f. Scott participated in the May Washington Air Quality Manager's Group Meeting
- g. Staff participated in the NACAA Quarterly meetings
- h. Agency completed the MOU with Spokane County to complete the chip sealing project.

4. Update On Grant Project and Wildfire Season – Lisa

Lisa presented an update on the Purple Air sensor grant project. Discussion ensued.

5. MWC State Plan.

Margee gave an update on the Municipal Waste Combustor plan. Discussion ensued.

6. Climate Commitment Act/Cap and Trade

Scott gave an update regarding the extension of the public comment period for Cap and Trade.

7. Open Discussions

Scott asked the Advisory Council to voice their opinion on the Purple Air monitors and future community involvement programs.

The meeting adjourned at 9:01 a.m.

The next Advisory Council Meeting is scheduled July 28, 2022

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