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IRST Meeting

Date and Time: 13 June 2024 | 1:00pm–4:00pm

Location: Virtual

Meeting Link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1266695007651401563>

Attendees can use a telephone (213) 929-4221 or computer microphone and speakers (VoIP).

Agenda

TIME	ITEM	MATERIALS
1:00pm–1:05pm	Welcome, Introductions, Review of Agenda – IRST <i>Chair/Facilitator</i>	Document 1: Agenda 13 June 2024
1:05pm–1:30pm	Oregon Government Ethics Commission (OGEC) IRST members will discuss with Susan Myers, OGEC Executive Director, and Stephanie Heffner, OGEC Curriculum & Training Coordinator, potential ways to improve the efficiency of the IRST process while achieving the public meetings, records, and transparency goals.	
1:30pm–2:00pm	IRST Membership IRST members will discuss the disciplines needed to address IRST priorities and take next steps to consider and vet applications to fill these gaps.	
2:00pm–2:30pm	Roads Package – Clarifying Questions IRST members will review the responses to clarifying questions on the roads package from the AMPC.	Document 2: Responses to clarifying questions on roads package from the AMPC
2:30pm–2:40pm	BREAK	
2:40pm–3:35pm	Roads Package – Clarifying Questions (continued) and Next Steps IRST members will discuss and refine the literature review questions. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Baseline status. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ What is the baseline status of hydrologic connectivity of roads prior to the implementation of the Oregon Forest Practices Act road rules effective Jan 1, 2024? ○ How do these levels vary based on landowner type and East/West region? 	Document 3: Forest Roads Inventory & Assessment (FRIA) Document 4: Notes from IRST May 7 th meeting refining roads research questions Document 5: PPT presentation – literature search strategy (PDF)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ What other factors or variables within the regulatory framework of the FPA might be relevant? ▪ Trend Monitoring. What are the trends in the status of hydrologic connectivity of roads over 5-year intervals? These trends should be assessed for the same variables in question 1. ▪ Determination of rule effectiveness. Within 20 years, to what extent are road rules associated with hydrologic disconnection effective at achieving biological goals and objectives? <p>Hydrologic Connectivity Context - Discussion re: role of IRST in establishing trends in hydrological connectivity</p> <p>Time permitting, IRST members will discuss the protocol the IRST would like to use to conduct the literature search, considering approach, scope, timeline, and entity to conduct.</p>	
3:35pm–3:50pm	<p>Research and Monitoring – Researchable Questions</p> <p>Discussion: IRST members will review the input received on the presentation for the IRST and finalize the PPT for AMPC presentation or recording.</p>	Document 6: Revised Research and Monitoring in Adaptive Management PPT presentation (PDF)
3:50pm–3:55pm	Public comment	
3:55pm–4:00pm	Summary, Action Items, Next Steps, Closing Remarks	

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