



*Connecting Central Oregon's Water, Land & Environment*

## **TOWN HALL MEETING**

**March 19, 2025**

### **Planning Document**

*2/19/2025*

- When:** March 19, 2025 – 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm (please arrive by 5 pm)
- Where:** Performing Arts Theater at Ridgeview High School, located at 4555 SW Elkhorn Avenue, Redmond (seats 614)
- What:** The DBBC will host a town hall for patrons and partners featuring key updates and discussions on water management. The event will begin with welcome remarks by Craig Horrell, DBBC president, followed by a water outlook presentation from Jeremy Giffin. David Filippi will discuss adapting to a new era of water management and meeting the HCP. ShanRae will introduce the managers and boards of directors, with board members recognized and managers taking the stage for a panel discussion. The district managers' panel, moderated by ShanRae, will address topics and questions submitted in advance to [deschutesirrigators@gmail.com](mailto:deschutesirrigators@gmail.com). The session will conclude with questions and answers, as time allows.
- Community partners, including Deschutes River Conservancy, Deschutes Soil & Water Conservation District, Jefferson County Extension, Crook County Soil & Water Conservation District, and NRCS, will be invited to host informational tables.
- The welcome table will be staffed, and people will be asked to sign in. Cookies, water, and coffee will be provided.

**Who:**

- Welcome & Opening Remarks: Craig Horrell, DBBC president
- Water Outlook: Jeremy Giffin
- Adapting to a New Era of Water Management - Meeting the HCP: David Filippi
- Introductions: Introduction of managers and boards of directors by ShanRae, with board members asked to stand for recognition, followed by managers coming to the stage for the panel discussion.
- District Managers' Panel: panel discussion featuring District Managers, moderated by ShanRae, addressing key topics and concerns with questions submitted in advance by patrons.
- Questions & Answers (as time allows): District Managers



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Staffed stations:

- Community partners and irrigation districts are invited to set up and staff tables.

Partners (invite to staff tables or display materials):

- Deschutes River Conservancy
- Deschutes County Soil and Water Conservation District
- Jefferson County Soil and Water Conservation District
- Crook County Soil and Water Conservation District
- Natural Resources Conservation Alliance

### **PREP TIMELINE**

<b>TASK</b>	<b>PESON RESPONSIBLE</b>	<b>STATUS</b>
Reserve meeting space	ShanRae	Complete
Invite partners	ShanRae	2/18
Communicate meeting information to patrons (website, e-news, social)	ShanRae develop and districts to share with managers	Week of February 24
Confirm partners	ShanRae	Week of March 3
Internal review of presentation	ShanRae & presenters	3/6
Finalize presentation & talking points	ShanRae & presenters	3/12
Compile submitted questions & distribute to managers	ShanRae	3/14
Reminder notice to patrons & partners	ShanRae develop and districts to share	3/17
Sign-in sheets	ShanRae	3/17
Managers bring exhibits for display	Managers	3/19
Water, coffee & cookies	ShanRae	3/19
Compile questions, provide responses, and post them to the districts' websites.	ShanRae with input from managers	Week of March 31