**IN PERSON ATTENDANCE**



**City of Thornton Infrastructure Maintenance Center**

**12450 Washington St,**

**TWP CR 257**

**Thornton, CO 80241REMOTE ATTENDACE**

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More phone numbers: <https://tel.meet/nfj-tamw-twc?pin=5976122437118>

CSC MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

February 25, 2022

The meeting was called to order by Rebecca Wertz (Thornton) at 9:40 a.m.

~70 Participants, 4 in person

# INTRODUCTIONS:

* 2022 Officers
  + Chair – Rebecca Wertz
  + Vice Chair – Ashley Tucker
  + Treasurer – Brian Hathaway
  + Secretary – Heather Otterstetter
* New Committee Chairs/Co-chairs
  + PCC – Ryan Adrian (Douglas County) and Susan Strong (Ft. Collins) – splitting role as chair
  + TMDL Compliance – Alan Searcy is Chair

# LEGAL STRATEGY UPDATE:

Not too much of an update. Filing documents.

# APPROVAL OF MINUTES AND TREASURER’S REPORT:

Approve the January Meeting Minutes

Approved through Google poll. Majority approved.

Approve the January Treasurer’s Report

Approved through Google poll. Majority approved.

Website updates – Jake Moyer (Arvada)

No major updates

Treasurer’s update – Brian Hathaway (Greeley)

* Will try to get 2022 invoices out this month

# COMMITTEE UPDATES:

Note to Members: The success of the Colorado Stormwater Council relies heavily on participation, engagement, and members volunteering for committee and officer positions. The council would not be what it is today without the help and effort from individuals giving up their spare time to help move this organization forward so that it continues to serve as a resource and a voice for others. Please consider volunteering for a committee whether that be new participation or taking the lead as Chair or Co-Chair. The CSC’s future depends on it!

**CONSTRUCTION** *Ashley Tucker, City of Firestone*

* CIP Stormwater Compliance Training
  + March 2nd Class Full!
  + A second CIP course will be scheduled sooner rather than later because of interest
* MS4 Stormwater Compliance Training
  + Class format will be modified
  + Look for an MS4 class in late Spring
* Still seeking Chairperson for 2022

**POST CONSTRUCTION** *Jake Moyer, City of Arvada*

* MHFD Annual Symposium – May 4th – Planning to hold in-person, agenda and open registration in late March.
* Training Gap Analysis – Working on understanding current trainings being offered throughout the state to better implement Council needed Post-Construction trainings.
  + Can make presentation available to the council
* Post-Construction Training Video development - Scope of work development for outsourcing training videos for Construction of Post-Construction.
* WQIF Grant – Development of videos from the Colorado Stormwater Center. They will work with committee on appropriate video development.
* Stormwater Center - request for input on upcoming trainings/courses
* Coordination with Washington, New Jersey and Minnesota Certification Agencies to provide training to MS4 Managers on manufactured treatment facility (MTFs) regarding certification process and compliance with <30mg/L effluent requirement.
  + NMSA is working on something very similar and we will coordinate with them.

**EDUCATION & OUTREACH** *Heather Otterstetter, City of Westminster*

* Would like to kick off the KUNC Northern CO campaign a little earlier this year (May instead of June)
* Meeting set with KUNC for March if anyone is interested in learning more, please reach out to Heather or Brian.
  + no date set yet
* Had a booth at the ProGreen Expo. Plan to speak next year. Had a lot of great conversations with folks about phosphorus and the Algae Monster.
* Will have a booth at Colorado Arborists and Lawn Care Professionals (CALCP) annual spring training conference at the Hilton in Ft. Collins on March 1st and 2nd from 7:30am to 4:30pm.  We wanted to speak but their agenda is full. Will plan on speaking next year. Will need help manning the booth. Hopefully some folks in Northern Colorado can eek out some time. Please sign up here:  
  [https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1dOBIx8P-Zz8N3HLhU-8o5hzgXZRvwNHaS8to5e8FGcM/edit?usp=sharing](https://protect-us.mimecast.com/s/oTqCCZ6npYFpJrjczI_Ci?domain=docs.google.com)
* Working with Julie Fendrich with CPR to set up another radio campaign on the Western Slope. If folks on the Western Slope are interested in contributing more funds, please reach out to Heather

**LEGISLATIVE** *Pam Acre, City of Northglenn*

* Most of the bill are not related to water quality with the exception of one
* Senate bill SB22-114 - Fire suppression ponds (don’t have water rights)
  + bill would prevent water rights evaporative loss charges and remain in place for fire suppression.
* PFAS bill for manufacturing removal? Phasing out starting in 2023.
  + could significantly impact WWTP biosolids application
  + PFAS TMDL issues

**MUNICIPAL OPERATIONS** *Jessica Clayton, Colorado Springs*

* No new updates

**NON-STANDARD** *Forrest Dykstra, Highlands Ranch Metro District*

* In discussion with PCC for additional support

**PERMIT COMPLIANCE** *Ryan Adrian, Douglas County; and Susan Strong, City of Fort Collins*

* Developing work plan for 2022
  + Assistance for Non-Standards in preparation of PDD
  + Ideas for tracking of PEO, Compliance Schedule, PP/GH
  + CSC folder for sharing of audit-related documents MS4s are willing to share, such as lessons learned
  + Regular 15-minute CSC Meeting information sharing of successful programs (i.e. Fort Collins’ Post Construction program)
  + Phase 2 permit renewal comments if it happens in 2022
* Audit news
  + City of Greeley and Mesa County is being audited by the EPA… they may be willing to do a future presentation
  + New online EPA tool for streamlined audit, two audits in 2022

**303d TMDL COMPLIANCE** *Alan Searcy, City of Lakewood*

* Election of officers; Me as chair, Carrie as co-chair and Jess as the Secretary.
* 15 members so far. Allowable members are any CSC members with ad hoc members MHFD and Jane Clary as subject matter experts
* Designed a draft Committee Flag. The final Flag should be available to display in approximately two weeks
* We will be reviewing Reg 31, Reg 38, Reg 93 and the current 303d listing methodology before our next meeting on March 8th at 9 am
* We would like for the CDPHE TMDL group to give CSC their “TMDL 101” presentation at your earliest convenience
* Jane will be providing Wright Water’s TMDL presentation to the Committee in March
* The Committee will be focusing on opportunities to work with the Division, the Commission and 303d/TMDL methodology stakeholder groups

MHFD UPDATE – SARA DEGROOT:

* Vol 3 Chapter 4 update Q&A on permeable pavements tomorrow
* May 4th Annual Symposium, in-person, downtown Denver

AGENDA ADDITIONS FOR THE CSC GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING:

* 303d request for funding was approved through google poll. Majority approved.

# Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 10:57 am.