

**2019 Harney County Local Work Group Meeting
Agenda**

Tuesday, February 12, 2019

1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Public Meeting Room, Harney Educational Service District

25 Fairview Heights, Burns

Purpose: To build alliances and strategically invest to effectively solve natural resource problems in Harney County.

**Objectives: 1. Provide an update on progress made toward implementing the Long Range Strategy
2. Provide an update on current staffing and workload considerations
3. Discuss and receive input on FY2019 and FY2020 funding pools and future directions**

Opening (1:00 – 1:10)

Welcome

Meeting Purpose

Introductions

Burning Issues

FSA Program Updates (1:10 – 1:20)

Progress Report on Implementation (1:20 – 2:20)

Harney Basin Aquatic Ecosystem Function

Medusahead Rye

Riparian Condition in the Silvies Water Quality Demonstration Area

Groundwater Availability

Juniper Encroachment

Break (2:20 – 2:35)

Staffing and Workload Considerations (2:35 – 2:55)

Farm Bill Program Offerings (2:55 – 3:40)

FY2019 Offerings

Proposed FY2020 Offerings

Closing (3:40 – 4:00)

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