

## Local Work Group Meeting Minutes

**Union SWCD** – working on plans to modify the Willow Creek and Elmer Dam diversions to eliminate fish passage barriers. Also working on restoration plans for a landowner on the red mill ditch and on the Buffalo Flats ranch.

OSU Extension forestry – conducting outreach to private landowners and forest plans.

Fresh Water Trust – working with landowners to use water rights leases to improve water savings.

ODFW fisheries – Working on stream restoration projects on the Hall Ranch, Catherine Creek State Park, and the Bowman property.

Water Master – Place based water use planning and managing water at diversion

Oregon Department of Forestry – working on National fire plan and on laying out

US Forest Service – Working on a Mt Emily/5 points precommercial forest management project to reduce fuels. Preparing NEPA for Sheep Creek sale.

ODFW wildlife – mule deer focus to stabilize declining populations.

**Local Work Group Agenda**  
**02/27/2020**  
**10:00 A.M.**

Introductions and Review Agenda	Burton
Partner Program Update (5 minutes each)	Partners
Farm Program Update	
Conservation Stewardship Program (CSP)	Burton
Grande Ronde RCPP	Partners
Willow Creek CIS	Burton
West Valley Forestry	Vora
Conservation Implementation Strategies (CIS)	
Initiatives (energy, high tunnel, organic)	Vora
CIS possibilities for 2021/2022	Burton/Webster
Public Comment period	