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**Subject:** RE: OR Open House JRA

Hi Claire,

Thanks for the follow-up email and hope you had a wonderful weekend in Black Butte.

It would be great if EPA were able to attend both the ID and OR open houses.

Since we didn't hear any objections, we are now locked in on dates for each state (if anyone does have a concern, please let me know ASAP!):

*OR - Friday Aug 16<sup>th</sup> at OR DEQ from 10-12.*

*ID - Thursday Aug 22<sup>nd</sup> at ID DEQ from 4-6 pm.*

We are happy to discuss who from EPA should join if you and/or Christine are unable to make it or if you feel that some of your colleagues would make a great addition.

Thanks again for all your help and support.

Todd

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Todd et al,

I can't remember if we discussed whether someone from EPA needed to be at the Oregon open house or not. If you do want someone there, then we need to decide who would be the right person. Therefore I'm hesitant in filling out the Doodle poll and would rather you just pick a date that works for everyone else, and then we'll decide about EPA's participation.

-- Claire

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Hey folks,

Ranei, Alan, Claire and I had a good call this morning to discuss a JRA related communications strategy for OR. Below are some notes, take-aways and TO DO's.

- We decided that a 2-hr open house in mid-August, held in Portland, would be ideal. Based on WP calendars, August 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> work best. **Please fill out the Doodle poll** below to highlight your availability.

<http://doodle.com/mhkfm9u8vdn86ucn>

- **Ranei – can you please check on the availability of DEQ meeting space for those dates/times and let Musa know?**
- We will draft an invitation in the next few days and share for feedback. Once agreed upon, we will send out along with the JRA 2-pager (should be finalized by end of next week).
- I have also attached an initial list of folks we want to make sure receive an invitation. I would ask that folks **please add to the list by Fri June 21.** Beyond invitations, WP and DEQ will post the invite on their websites.
- Ranei – would you like us to market this event as a joint DEQ/WP open house, or clearly highlight WP in the lead (logos and opening sentence on invite)?
- We envision Bobby utilizing the first 20-30 minutes introducing the grant objectives, quick wqt 101, why effort is so important and timely, progress to date, where we are headed...followed by Ranei and/or others at OR DEQ discussing their role and perspective, why they are partners, what this process is/not, how this will help ensure credibility and transparency, etc. This should leave at least an hr for questions and discussion.
- As the event gets closer we will organize a follow-up call to refine the agenda, discuss strategy on how best to prepare for questions on NWEA letter, temperature lawsuit, and post-open house follow-up.
- We may also want to set-up calls with key folks before hand – Governor's office, OWEB, etc.
- Though the event will focus on keeping folks informed of what "we" are doing and answering questions, Claire and DEQ agreed it provides a great opportunity to let folks know when and how they can provide feedback. One

opportunity for feedback may be around the selection of pilot projects. It was also suggested that Workshop 3 should have time allocated for pilot project selection criteria.

- ID DEQ is fine with the document naming convention

What did I miss?

Thanks,

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