Agenda Union County CWPP

Public meeting ideas

**2. Cooperator’s meeting** – New date is listed at the end of the notes as well.

DATE IS NOW SET FOR – Thursday March 26th at 2 pm (1400 hrs)

at the La Grande Fire Dept. on Cove Avenue.

1. Agenda was approved with slight changes of the order of material presented.
2. list of attendees & addresses – after much discussion of who is a cooperator and what the intent of the meeting is, a reduced list of final cooperators was identified. Those listed are most likely directly involved or play a significant role in the event of a large fire.
3. Others previously on the longer list will be sent an invite to the public meetings.
4. Presentation at the cooperators meeting is expected to be brief similar to the rural chiefs meeting and then open for discussion.

**3. Public meeting agenda –**

DATES and LOCATIONS are listed at the end of the notes.

1. Is there unique information to cover for this specific geographic area with communities at risk? It was suggested to discuss Unique Values and Hazards at the April 8th meeting. Continue our process of moving around the WUI Zone identifying anything that may be of concern or interest.
2. Presentation design will provide some maps of the local surrounding area, show fire risk and a representation of the number of starts in their area.

Topics include:

1. Fire risk and fire starts in and around the community – Big Picture
2. Overview of the CWPP development and what it means for their area.
3. Explain what we are doing as agencies and their role as community members. Provide information on what responsibilities they have in assisting with fire protection measures.
4. Provide the public with educational material and links to access material.
5. Public meetings will be announcements via several methods
* Media releases will include all meeting dates and locations- around two weeks in advance. – Local Newspapers will receive an announcement; radio announcements will occur. – **Katy will handle this.**
* Letters will go out to addresses that were deleted from the cooperators list. **Jenny will develop letter and send out for edits.**
* web site – [www.union-county.org](http://www.union-county.org) will provide meeting dates/locations, links to CWS, CWPP (eventually), Firewise, Ready Set Go, and other information. – **JB Brock**
* Announcement for meeting will also be placed on facebook site for Union County Emergency Service

4. A questionnaire will be provided at the meeting and online for members of the public to obtain several pieces of information: **Jenny and Katy will do this and send out for review.**

* Fire risk to their properties
* Fire preparedness
* Familiarization with Ready Set Go and Firewise
* Understanding of Fire Risk
* Etc.

SCHEDULES DATES:

**NEXT CWPP MEETING** –

1. Wednesday, April 8 at 0900 – JB Brocks Office
2. Tuesday, April 21 at 1 pm (1300 hrs) – JB Brocks Office – preceding the 1st public meeting later in the day.

**COOPERATORS MEETING:** Thursday, March 26th at 2 pm (1400 hrs)

at the La Grande Fire Dept. on Cove Avenue.

**PUBLIC MEETINGS –**

1. La Grande – La Grande Fire Dept. April 21st at 6 pm (1800 hrs)
2. Elgin – Elgin Fire Station – April 30th at 6 pm (1800 hrs)
3. Union – Union Oregon City Hall – May 6th at 6 pm (1800 hrs)