

## **Attachment B:**

### **Schedule and Draft Themes for Workshops**

The following schedule outlines the tentative meeting dates and themes for each of the remaining workshops in the FCR project. These dates and themes are subject to change with input received from public workshops, reviews and updates to the workplan, and other relevant sources to ensure that the workshops satisfy the goals of this project.

In order to ensure transparency for the public regarding the workshop process and eventual EQC policy options document, the following will be established at the onset of each workshop planning process:

- Clear purpose of the meeting, including the goals for public involvement/input (e.g. information-based meeting seeking data or understanding, public feedback on key issues and policy options);
- Plan and explanation of how the public involvement/input will be utilized in informing the EQC decision;
- Plan for responding to public input where appropriate.

These will be reflected in the final agenda for each workshop. The agenda will also describe the specific opportunities for participants to provide input and information and specify how the Planning Team will utilize this information.

<b>Workshop Schedule</b>		
<b><u>Event</u></b>	<b><u>Theme</u></b>	<b><u>Date/Location</u></b>
<b>Workshop 1</b>	<b>Background and Scope</b>	<b>3/13/07 – Portland 3/14/07 – Coos Bay</b>
<b>Workshop 2</b>	<b>Review of Water Quality Standards and Fish Consumption Data</b>	<b>5/16/07 – Lincoln City</b>
<b>Workshop 3</b>	<b>Human Health Risks</b>	<b>7/19/07 – Portland</b>
<b>Workshop 4</b>	<b>Discussion of Policy Options</b>	<b>February 2008</b>
<b>Workshop 5</b>	<b>NPDES and Implementation</b>	<b>May 2008</b>
<b>Workshop 6</b>	<b>Toxic Reduction Efforts</b>	<b>June 2008</b>
<b>Workshop 7</b>	<b>Discussion of Policy Options and Recommendations</b>	<b>July 2008</b>

### **OVERVIEW: WORKSHOPS 1, 2 AND 3**

Three workshops have been held in this process: Workshop 1- held twice- 3/13 (Portland) and 3/14 (Coos Bay); Workshop 2- 5/16 (Lincoln City) and Workshop 3- 7/17 (Portland). The first three workshops were primarily information based, with the purpose of explaining the fish and shellfish consumption rate, water quality standards, and key considerations associated with revising this rate. Workshop 1 provided a background and scope of the fish consumption rate issue. Workshop 2 focused on reviewing the water quality standards and fish consumption data. Feedback on the Core Policy Questions was also gathered in Workshop 2, and will be used by the Planning Team to help inform the relevant policy questions of this process. Workshop 3 explained the human health risks associated with fish consumption under the existing water quality standards.