



## COLORADO WATER QUALITY MONITORING COUNCIL COLORADO DATA SHARING NETWORK

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### MONTHLY BOARD/LEADERSHIP MEETING

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**Wednesday, September 16, 2020 - 10 am - 11 am**

**CALL-IN Conference Line: (515) 604-9311 Passcode: 504553**

## Meeting Minutes

### 1. WELCOME, CALL TO ORDER

### 2. DISCUSSION AND APPROVAL OF PAST MONTH'S MEETING - approved

### 3. FINANCIAL REPORT

Current balance - \$15,526.72

Payables – 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Gold Systems, \$4214 and ESRI, \$2600. CWA may help with the ESRI payment through their shared use, more information next month on this topic.

No receivables this month.

### 4. CDSN CONTRACTOR OR UPDATE FROM PRESIDENT – With the new Water Quality Control Commission Reg. 93 schedule, the first Reg. 93 data call was met with confusion since it took place a couple of months after the finish of the April 2020 Reg. 93 data call and amid the growing confusion around the Corona virus communication coming from CDPHE. Even with all these unusual 2020 changes that we have all had to endure, our Project Coordinator got the data call package compiled and sent to the Division on time. Many kudos to our hard-working Project Coordinator!

### 5. UPDATES

- Data Literacy updates, work with Jordan and Mallory – Data Literacy work will be a slight paused until after the Sustaining Colorado Watersheds conference. After the conferences, work will continue with Colorado Land Trust on a potential video and Purgatory River group with some new water quality data work.
- CWA working on remote Sustaining Colorado Watershed conference news. – mark your calendars for this Oct. 6-8, 2020 virtual and interactive conference. More information at [Sustaining Colorado Watershed conference](#). Cost effective for conference being determined for CWQMC/CDSN. Contact Casey for more information.
- Donation email/invoice requests for CDSN. Did Thornton respond? Linda will contact Thornton to inquire about their CDSN needs. – The City of Thornton has suspended donations for 2020 due to Corona virus impacts.
- Gold Systems 2021-2023 contract has been sent out with a 4% increase in costs per year. More discussion needed. – Bob and Lynn are discussing a conversation to be made with Gold Systems addressing the rate increases on a non-profit organization.
- Started a conversation on how to conduct conversations with CDSN data providers to get an update from them on their use of CDSN to inquire how CDSN things are going and to make sure that their experiences are

positive. Discussed the possibility of a short survey to go out to data providers asking about their experiences with CDSN. Time to think about good survey questions for the future conversations.

- It was noted that South Platte Renew webpage does not have a link to the CDSN, Jordan will contact to see if a link is possible. – tabled for this meeting.

**6. NEW BUSINESS**

- CDOT is undergoing management changes, this may impact CDOT’s spring CWQMC/CDSN donation.

**7. ADJOURNMENT – 11:04 am, many thanks for a productive meeting.**

Next meeting will be October 21st.

**CWQMC/CDSN Attendance Record**

<b>Present</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Organization</b>
<b>X</b>	<b>Bob McDade</b>	<b>CDOT</b>
<b>x</b>	<b>Linda Chynoweth</b>	<b>Aurora Water</b>
<b>x</b>	<b>Casey Davenhill</b>	<b>CWA</b>
	<b>Diane Kielty</b>	<b>CWA</b>
	<b>Greg Peterson</b>	<b>Ag Water Alliance</b>
	<b>Jordan Parman</b>	<b>Metro WRD</b>
	<b>Tammi Renninger</b>	<b>ElephantFish</b>
	<b>Lynn Padgett</b>	<b>MntGeoGeek</b>
	<b>Phil Russel</b>	<b>Interested Citizen</b>
	<b>Tim Steele</b>	<b>TDS Consulting</b>
	<b>Tyler Wible</b>	<b>OWSI</b>
<b>x</b>	<b>Curt Bauers</b>	<b>FRICO</b>
	<b>Alison Philpot</b>	<b>Metro WRD</b>