

On-Site Wastewater Committee Report

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Virtually via Microsoft Teams & In Person:

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Committee: Marjorie Lund, PE, SE, Chair Roger Parker, DOH Representative, On-Site Inspector Ric Wilkerson, On-Site Designer Bob Suggs, On-Site Designer Robert Goodman, On-Site Designer Jesse Cox, On-Site Inspector

Support staff: Shanan Gillespie, Regulatory Program Manager Randy Garcia, Investigations and Compliance Manager Vonna Cramer, Licensing Lead Mackenzie Wherrett, Executive Assistant Bryce Dickison, Administrative Assistant Kevin Ballard, Internal Control Manager Greg Schieferstein, Communications Manager Elizabeth Lagerberg, Assistant Attorney's General

Discussion topics

• **On-Site Exam Results** Ms. Cramer discussed the results from the March 2025 On-Site Wastewater exams.

Discussion: Mr. Fuller gauged whether the committee would be able to develop an additional On-Site Exam by October. Committee members discussed the best process to develop the new exam.

Action Item: Mr. Wilkerson and Ms. Cramer to identify the exam domains that need to be worked on and organize which questions the SMEs will develop.

• On-Site Law Review Updates

Mr. Ballard covered the updated questions on the On-Site Wastewater Law Review and the new online CBT formation.

Action Item: Ms. Lund directed the committee members to review the updated On-Site Law Review for accuracy and to send their changes to BRPELS staff for approval at the August Special Board Meeting.

• **Committee Recruitment – Eastern WA** The committee discussed BRPELS recruitment efforts for On-Site Wastewater Designers and Inspectors from Eastern Washington.

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