

To: ISWCC
From: Boundary SWCD
Subject: Request for Comprehensive District Assistance
COORDINATION WITH BOUNDARY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT BY MARK
HOGEN, DIVISION 1 SWC EMPLOYEE: 150 HR/YR (Estimate includes travel time)

Date: March 18, 2014

30 HOURS: The Boundary SCD requests Mark Hogen's attendance at 6 BSCD Board meetings to coordinate with the Board and Staff on matters pertaining to current issues, events and outreach involving ISWC and EPA/DEQ.

Partners: BSCD, NRCS, Kootenai Tribe of Idaho, Selkirk CWMA, UI Extension.

30 HOURS: The Boundary SCD requests Mark Hogen's attendance at 6 Boundary County TMDL meetings to coordinate with the committee on matters pertaining to TMDL plan development, implementation and monitoring. Idaho SWC is a lead state agency for guiding TMDL management. The Local Working Group would benefit from a dedicated SWC presence. Need to stay connected to this TMDL effort. Help coordinate with DEQ. The county's committee has been quite active in developing unique metrics for stream condition concerning water pollutants and will continue to be in a monitoring mode for temperature and cover. The Boundary SCD 5-year plan identifies the ISWC (and Mark Hogen) as part of the responsible parties.

Partners: The Nature Conservancy, USDA-Forest Service, USDA-NRCS, IDEQ, Kootenai Tribe of Idaho, County Commissioners, Idaho Department of Lands, Idaho Conservation League and Bonners Ferry Roads.

18 HOURS: Boundary SCD requests Mark Hogen to do 2 site visits to TMDL monitoring sites with Board personnel to familiarize himself with the protocols. This will provide an opportunity for the Board members to share their priorities with Mark and for him to become more familiar with the TMDL work accomplished to-date.

54 HOURS: Boundary SCD requests Mark Hogen to use this time do scoping on potential projects in the county. The county has numerous TMDL streams listed for temperature, T&E aquatic species habitat to consider, and very dynamic streambank erosion, loss of cover and stream movement. The focus of this scoping will be on Deep Creek and other tributaries to the Kootenai as needed. Partners: BSCD, NRCS, County Roads, private landowners, USFWS, IDFG.

18 HOURS: As needed, Boundary SCD requests Mark Hogen to coordinate with District Staff, NRCS Staff and Board members to provide input on future activities such as a potential water festival, SVAP assessment needs, 319 development and other issues as they emerge.

**IDAHO SOIL & WATER
CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

**REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE
CERTIFICATION**

DISTRICT: **Boundary**

Project or Activity Name: TMDL/Board Mtg Assistance

FOR FISCAL YEAR: **2015**

Hours of Assistance Requested:
150 hours

Due: **March 31, 2014**

CERTIFICATION

By concurrence of a majority of the supervisors of the district board and the above name conservation district certifies that attached Request for Assistance is true and accurate, and further submits said Report for the above named District and fiscal year.

A copy of this Request for Assistance and supporting documents shall be kept at the District office and is available for public inspection.

Tom Daniel

Board Supervisor Chairperson Signature

Tom Daniel

Printed Name

3-18-2014

Date

208 267-3340

District or Board Chairperson Telephone

rene.riddle@id.nacdnet.net

District Email Address

FOR SWC USE ONLY:

DATE OF CONFIRMATION:
