

OWEB Water and Climate Committee Agenda

December 13, 2023

9:00 am - 10:30 am

Virtual Meeting

Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89014298443?pwd=bXRiVzRNY1hLcnhseWZ0M2lZTlhDQT09>

YouTube Streaming: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC0dl-TOWlt4Sp--i1KEa_OA

Agenda

1) Deep dive: OWEB and DEQ

OWEB staff will share information about the different ways in which OWEB and DEQ coordinate and collaborate, including information about DEQ grant programs and how they can be leveraged by OWEB grant applicants.

2) Climate trainings and resources

Jessi Kershner, Water & Climate Programs Coordinator, will provide the committee with an overview of the resources that were developed to aid applicants in responding to the new climate criteria as well as a summary of the climate trainings.

3) OWEB Strategic Plan update

Eric Williams, Grant Program Manager, will provide a brief update on OWEB's Strategic Plan refresh, including [revised draft priorities](#) and what to expect at the upcoming board meeting.

4) Discuss committee priorities and intersectionality between committees

Committee members will discuss Climate/Water committee priorities and cross-cutting topics with the DEI and Grants Committee.

5) Public comment

6) Good of the order/potential topics for next committee meeting

Written and verbal public comment

The Committee encourages public comment on any agenda item.

Written Comments

Written comments should be submitted by **Tuesday, December 12th, at 12:00 pm** using the Public Comment Form on our website: <https://www.oregon.gov/oweb/about-us/Pages/public-comment.aspx>. Written comments will be provided to the committee in advance of the meeting.

Verbal Comments

Verbal comments are limited to three minutes and will be heard in the public comment period (Agenda Item 5). Anyone interested in providing comments will be asked during the public comment period to alert organizers of their interest by using the raise-hand function on Zoom.

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