



ALLAGASH WILDERNESS WATERWAY 2011 MANAGEMENT PLAN

Advisory Committee Meeting: March 11, 2011 1:00 pm -4:00 pm

Maine Department of Conservation Regional Office - 45 Radar Road in Ashland (Located off from Rt. 11, approximately 2.5 miles south of the intersection of routes 11 and 227 in Ashland. Turn onto the Goding Rd. to access Radar Rd. and the regional office).

Tentative Agenda

Session Objectives:

- Discuss and refine the plan process, including a tentative timeline
- Discuss the concept of a plan update
- Identify issues outside the scope of the plan as well as categories of issues to be addressed
- Explore the use of “Advisory Committee subgroups” tasked with reviewing content areas
- Discuss next steps

Session Ground Rules

This first meeting is intended to help start and improve the plan process. Advisory Committee members need to feel comfortable raising issues and expressing ideas. Where this meeting is exploratory in nature and involves an element of brainstorming, the focus is not on critiquing ideas or lobbying for positions. Committee members, like the general public, will have ample opportunity to comment and share their passions/concerns as the process progresses. As would be expected, respect for fellow Advisory Committee members is essential.

Schedule

- 1:00 pm:** Welcome & agenda overview
- 1:10 pm:** Overview of plan process, with discussion
- 1:25 pm:** Explore Plan constraints & obligations, including access issues
- 1:45 pm**
 - Overview existing (1999) plan
 - Overview AWW Strategic Plan
 - Explore approaches to meshing the two plans
- 2:10 pm:** Break
- 2:20 pm:** Issues and opportunities: “what issues should the plan address?”
Brainstorming & discussion
- 3:15 pm.** Subgroups: scoping potential for smaller groups to tackle specific planning content groups (e.g., fisheries & water management, historical/cultural, etc.)
- 3:45 pm** Next steps, scheduling notes, wrap up.
- 4:00 pm** Meeting concludes

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