



State-Wide Online Public Meeting
Information Study for Pumped Storage Hydropower Siting
Draft Meeting Agenda

Date: Wednesday, September 11, 2024

Time: 10:00 AM - 12:30 PM

Registration link: <https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJlscuqrrzwuHpEUj3XG9w6Z-ZiQsKQmsl4#/registration>

Meeting objectives:

- Understand pumped storage hydropower (PSH) basics and differences between closed-loop and open-loop PSH
- Listen to participants' general issues and questions about PSH requirements and potential benefits and environmental impacts (to inform future meetings)
- Hear about and understand Tribal cultural resources and sovereignty
- Provide overview of topics for upcoming PSH study meetings

| Time | Agenda topic | Speakers/facilitators |
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| 10:00 AM | Welcome & impromptu networking | Ross Strategic / WSU Energy Program |
| 10:20 AM | Study overview and update | WSU Energy Program |
| 10:30 AM | PSH Basics, closed-loop vs open-loop PSH <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presentation• Two 15-minute attendee participation opportunities• Q & A | Bo Saulsbury, Senior Program Manager, Idaho National Laboratory |
| 11:35 AM | Break | |
| 11:45 AM | Tribal cultural resources <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presentation• Tribal participant feedback• Q & A | Karen Capuder, Senior Archaeologist, Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation |
| 12:25 PM | Next steps, wrap up | WSU Energy Program |
| 12:30 PM | Adjourn | |