

Q12 If you have any general comments about your interest in or concerns about participation in a basin-wide coordinating entity, please share here.

Answered: 9 Skipped: 10

#	Responses	Date
1	I'm looking forward to exploring this opportunity. Thank you for initiating and supporting this effort.	4/8/2016 1:09 PM
2	Senator Dave Wanzonried amended the Montana state code requiring that the CFTF be used as a model to develop 3 more counsels to cover the whole state. The counsels would be state funded and would report directly to the legislature. This legislation has so far been ignored.	4/6/2016 2:05 PM
3	Should be organized through CD's	4/5/2016 1:23 PM
4	A great waste of time & resources. It was of great interest to my organization that you had to scramble at the last minute to try & identify the DC leadership a s you never had considered including them until you were called on it.	4/5/2016 12:44 PM
5	Certain foundations like Kendeda are interested in such watershed community efforts	3/31/2016 6:38 PM
6	Participation depends on how work matches the interests of the Flathead Lakers Organization and how much influence the group has.	3/31/2016 5:48 PM
7	While at DNRC, I wrote, at the Governor's request the draft statute for the Clark Fork Task Force. The focus was future water supply and management. There is much that can be implemented under that past plan, which frankly is a bit more specific that the new State Water Plan. However, I wonder if linking to that old statute might be a liability too. The geographic focus was only the Clark Fork with special interest on legal water availability constraints related to downstream hydropower. The existing statute fails to address concern of the Kootenia basin. If the regional basin group wishes to stay linked to a specific statutory mission the group would be wise to re-examine and potentially amend that statutory directive. I also wonder if this group and commitment to a Clark Fork / Kootenia group might weaken the participation in the Montana Watershed Coordination Council.	3/31/2016 2:33 PM
8	Question #9 only allowed for one answer. Need clearly defined early successes.	3/31/2016 1:08 PM
9	Are we deviating from the state appointed roles and objectives?	3/31/2016 11:30 AM