

CFTF Meeting

Q7 Please describe the potential weaknesses of a basin-wide coordinating group?

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#	Responses	Date
1	I don't really see any weaknesses. The challenge will be taking the time to appreciate and understand our differences locally and find areas of common interest and strategies that can work across the larger landscape.	4/11/2016 4:30 PM
2	The Clark Fork Basin encompasses a large and diverse geographic area. It might be difficult for the group to become centered around a few common issues without being bogged down in individual agendas. It may be a challenge to get landowners/water right holders to the table.	4/11/2016 11:33 AM
3	Time and funding needed to sustain the coordinating group.	4/8/2016 1:09 PM
4	Much restoration and on-the-ground activities take place on a localized level. A larger group could have disconnect between broad planning initiatives versus tangible on-the-ground management and project implementation.	4/8/2016 11:11 AM
5	Another level of coordinating may end up being less efficient	4/7/2016 9:11 AM
6	A lot of good ideas that never get implemented	4/6/2016 2:05 PM
7	Lack of connection to the local landowners	4/5/2016 1:23 PM
8	Just another layer and a organization for agencies to play out their agenda	4/5/2016 12:44 PM
9	over representation of some groups	4/5/2016 8:03 AM
10	There appear to be different objectives depending on where you live in the basin, particularly from the perspective of the Upper Basin, who once were coordinated through the Upper Clark Fork River Basin Steering Committee and the Clark Fork Task Force, which coordinated in the lower parts of the basin.	4/4/2016 5:35 PM
11	loss of fine detail, less able to address small-scale, unique situations	4/4/2016 8:11 AM
12	too many folks to effectively coordinate	3/31/2016 7:24 PM
13	additional work for all groups; funding to support the basin groups efforts may be in competition for funding for subbasin efforts	3/31/2016 6:38 PM
14	Need to fund a central coordinating office/person/group	3/31/2016 5:48 PM
15	The landscape is far to large to implement actual management or restoration activities.	3/31/2016 2:33 PM
16	Differentiating basin-level from watershed-level interests	3/31/2016 1:08 PM
17	Competing interests or lack of defined common interests.	3/31/2016 12:57 PM
18	lack of focus or potentially significant tasks to accomplish as a group	3/31/2016 11:40 AM
19	Lack of financial support to implement objectives.	3/31/2016 11:30 AM