

**HINKSON CREEK COLLABORATIVE ADAPTIVE MANAGEMENT**  
**ACTION TEAM Meeting Minutes**  
**June 21, 2024**  
**9:00 am**

MU General Services Building, Rm 194B 900 E. Stadium Blvd, Columbia, MO  
With Virtual Attendance

**Action Team Members Present:** Ted Haeussler-MU, Lynne Hooper-County, Tom Wellman-City, Travis Tesreau-MoDOT, Nicki Rinehart-County,

**Staff and Others Present:** Alec Brown-MU, Michele Woolbright-County, Cody Luebbering-Geosyntec

1. **CALL TO ORDER** –The meeting was called to order at 9:00 am.
2. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA** – Approved
3. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM PAST MEETINGS** --Approved.
4. **AGENDA ITEMS**
  - **Stakeholder/Science Team Updates**
    - **Stakeholder Committee** –
      - Difficult time reaching EPA facilitator to set next meeting
      - Will try to get a July date
    - **Science Team** – last meeting June 4<sup>th</sup>
      - Dr. Zeiger left specific conductance sondes at sampling sites and transferred ownership to Dr. Argerich
      - Lynne to contact Dr. Argerich next week to see if she needs the sites included in the Geosyntec Chloride Study contract amendment for grab sampling in order to provide calibration.
      - Science Team discussed the Hinkson Creek Executive Summary
      - Lynne to discuss with Science Team a general endorsement of riparian restoration projects when Robb Jacobson is back in the fall.
    - **Riparian Subcommittee** – last meeting June 11<sup>th</sup>
      - Riparian Workshop – May 18<sup>th</sup>
        - The Workshop went well
        - The Neighborhood focus seems a good approach – though the meeting materials may need more focus
        - Painted some storm drains with “no dumping” message and the artwork turned out well
      - Riparian Restoration – Grindstone Nature Area near parking lot
        - To meet with Parks and Rec and Tree Keepers June 27<sup>th</sup> on site to firm-up plans for a fall restoration effort
  - **Action Updates/Proposals**
    - **Geosyntec Contract**
      - Finalizing the contract amendment, Lynne will check with Dr. Argerich next week to see if she needs calibration at some sites
    - **USGS Chemical Sampling**
      - Dr. Alvarez still waiting on results from the USGS labs
    - **CAM Website Redesign**
      - Michele is helping Jessica (County web-site designer) formulate a Hinkson time line

- Need to fill after 1998
- Nicki to help retrieve information from Ticky Tok timeline that was done years ago.
- **All Teams Meeting**
  - Would still be nice to do it in the fall/early winter
  - So many things up in the air, may have to wait till next year
- **More Riparian Projects**
  - County to meet with Tree Keepers and Parks and Rec at Grindstone Nature Area Jun 27<sup>th</sup> to discuss plans.
- **Next Steps**
  - Nothing new
- **Regulatory Updates**
  - DNR is considering getting rid of two whole body contact categories and replacing with one. Everything in Category B would move to Category A
    - They haven't looked at the effects on the regulated communities yet
    - Likely to get a lot of pushback
  - Discussed bacteria and pathogens at the Water Quality meeting in May
    - Considering moving to coliphage for numerical criteria and away from E. coli
    - A disadvantage would be that not every treatment plant lab can do the analysis
  - DNR's 303d listing methodology includes narrative criteria for benthic algae – would compare to reference streams
  - DNR's 303d listing methodology is on public notice until July 22<sup>nd</sup>
- **Announcements/Comments**
  - Real construction on I-70 (as opposed to ground breaking) should get under way in July
    - Most likely to start on south side of I-70 and 63 connector
    - Travis to see if he can find out when bridge work on east-bound I-70 will begin and let Cody know so they can move some sensors
  - Tom handed out a flyer on the City's efforts to update the Wastewater and Stormwater Integrated Management plan
    - A public meeting on the plan will be held Wednesday, August 21 at the Activity and Recreation Center (ARC) from 5:30pm to 7:30pm
- **Agenda Items for Next Meeting – July 19th, 2024**
- **Adjourn – 9:40am**