

WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE SCHEDULE: ALASKA INTERAGENCY WATER RIGHTS COURSE No. 1730-26

October 24-28, 2016

Campbell Creek Science Center, Anchorage, Alaska (rev 2016-10-11)

MONDAY – Oct 24	TUESDAY – Oct 25	WEDNESDAY – Oct 26	THURSDAY – Oct 27	FRIDAY – Oct 28
<p>Required Pre-Course Work</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water Right Fundamentals on DOI Learn website Pre-Assessment <p>Class arrives by 11:30 to check in, get set up with computers and flash drives</p> <p>12:00 Welcome & Orientation <i>Jolene Tallsalt Robertson, BLM NTC</i></p> <p>12:45 Course Introduction: Why Are Water Rights Important in Alaska? <i>Federal land manager – John Trawicki, FWS</i></p> <p>1:00 Break</p> <p>1:15 Basic Concepts & Procedures of Alaska Water Law <i>Lin Fehlmann, BLM contract</i></p> <p>2:15 Break</p> <p>2:30 Understanding Federal Reserved Water Rights <i>Roy Smith, BLM Colorado</i></p> <p>3:30 Break</p> <p>3:45 Exercise: Case Study With Question & Answer Session <i>Lin Fehlmann & Roy Smith</i></p> <p>4:30 Wrap the Day & Daily Evaluation via Survey Monkey</p> <p>Notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lunches throughout the week will be catered (cash only collections) or bring your own. \$5.00/person cash donation for the week for coffee & bottled water NTC will provide transport vehicles for participants to & from hotel to classroom site. 	<p>8:00 Intro to Day <i>Agency representative</i></p> <p>8:15 Alaska's State Appropriative System: Obtaining Consumptive & Non-Consumptive Water Rights <i>Dave Schade, Alaska DNR</i></p> <p>10:00 Break</p> <p>10:15 Alaska's State Appropriative System: Obtaining Reservations of Water <i>Kim Sager & Dave Schade, Alaska DNR</i></p> <p>11:30 Working Lunch (\$11/person buffet): Accessing Water Rights Information on Alaska DNR Internet site <i>Mike Walton, Alaska DNR</i></p> <p>12:45 Moderated Question & Answer Session with Alaska DNR <i>Moderators Lin Fehlmann, Roy Smith & Jolene Robertson</i></p> <p>2:00 Break</p> <p>2:15 Perspective from Alaska DNR: Federal agencies working within the Alaska water rights system <i>Dave Schade, Alaska DNR</i></p> <p>2:45 Break</p> <p>3:00 Exercise: Using a case study, identify water rights tools available to a federal land management unit in Alaska <i>Lin Fehlmann & Roy Smith</i></p> <p>4:00 Wrap The Day & Daily Evaluation via Survey Monkey</p> <p>5:00 to 6:30 Mixer at hotel with course participants and Alaska DNR staff</p>	<p>8:00 Intro to Day <i>Federal agency representative</i></p> <p>8:15 Panel: Developing an Agency-wide Water Rights Strategy <i>Roy Smith, Facilitator & Agency Leads</i></p> <p>8:45 Federal Agency Break-Out Sessions. BLM, USFS, FWS, and NPS meet in separate groups to discuss strategy, policy, and workload. <i>Agency Leads & Agency Personnel</i></p> <p>Workshop #1: Obtaining & Managing State Appropriative Water Rights</p> <p>11:00 Field Data for Water Rights Applications <i>Lin Fehlmann</i></p> <p>11:30 Lunch (\$11/person buffet)</p> <p>12:45 Exercise: Generating a Water Right Application for a Federal Facility in Alaska <i>Lin Fehlmann</i></p> <p>1:15 Break</p> <p>1:30 Land Use Authorizations on Federal Lands for Third Party Water Users <i>Roy Smith</i></p> <p>2:15 Break</p> <p>2:30 Water Rights in Land Tenure Adjustments <i>Lin Fehlmann</i></p> <p>3:15 Break</p> <p>3:30 Exercise: Water Rights in Lands Actions, using a case study <i>Lin Fehlmann & Roy Smith</i></p> <p>4:30 Wrap The Day & Daily Evaluation via Survey Monkey</p> <p>BREAK DOWN TABLES AT END OF CLASS TODAY</p>	<p>RESET TABLES/COMPUTERS</p> <p>8:30 Intro to Day <i>Federal agency representative</i></p> <p>Workshop #2: Instream Flow & Lake Protection</p> <p>8:45 Obtaining Instream Reservations : a FWS Case Study of the Uganik River <i>Cathleen Flannagan, FWS, & Kim Sager, Alaska DNR</i></p> <p>10:00 Break</p> <p>10:15 Alaska DF&G Perspective on Reservations of Water <i>Joe Klein, DF&G</i></p> <p>11:45 Working Lunch (\$11/person box lunch) & Field Discussion of Instream Flow Reservations on Campbell Creek</p> <p>1:00 DNR Technical Review Process for Reservation Applications <i>Kim Sager, DNR</i></p> <p>1:30 Break</p> <p>1:45 Evolution of Alaska's Water Reservation Program & Future Challenges/Opportunities <i>Christopher Estes, retired Alaska Dept of Fish & Game (DFG)</i></p> <p>3:15 Break</p> <p>3:30 Panel: State & Feds Working Together on Instream Flow Reservations <i>Roy Smith, Facilitator, with Dave Schade, Kim Sager, Joe Klein, Cathy Flannagan, Alan Peck</i></p> <p>4:30 Wrap the Day & Daily Evaluation via Survey Monkey</p>	<p>8:00 Intro to Day <i>Agency representative</i></p> <p>8:15 Facilitated Discussion of Participant Topics/Issues Discussion schedule and topics will be determined by participants. This session is focused on addressing specific needs with experts through group or one-on-one discussions. Participants should bring materials related to their issue(s) to class. <i>Roy Smith, Facilitator</i></p> <p>11:15 Daily Evaluation via Survey Monkey</p> <p>11:30 Course Adjourns</p> <p>Note: Additional material not on jump drives will be placed on NTC's google drive after the course.</p>