FOREST BIOMASS MEETING
June 9, 2011

DRAFT AGENDA

1:00 – 1:10 p.m. | Welcome, Introductions, Agenda Review
Bridget Moran, DNR

1:10 – 1:20 p.m. | Discussion of previous meeting’s minutes
Bridget Moran, DNR

1:20 – 2:30 p.m. | Discussion of work plan
Bridget & group

2:30 – 2:45 p.m. | Biomass field tour objectives
Group

2:45 – 3:00 p.m. | Wrap – up
Bridget Moran, DNR

Attendees:
Dick Miller – WFFA
Marty Acker – NOAA
David Whipple – WDFW
Pete Heide – WFPA
Eveleen Muehlethaler – PTPC
George Cave – PTPC
Bill Hermann – Hermann Bros. Logging
Ed Tolan – Nippon Paper
Chris Mendoza – WFLC
Nancy Sturhan – NWIFC
Kara Whittaker – WFLC
Doug Hooks – WFPA
Peter Goldman – WFLC Conservation Caucus

DNR Staff:
Bridget Moran – Deputy Supervisor
Craig Partridge – Policy Director
Darin Cramer – Forest Practices Division Manager
Marc Engel – Forest Practices Asst.
Introductions – Craig reps state lands

Previous – OPMA doesn’t apply, general conversation – Charter should reflect this

UW Supply – (Craig)

33 tons/acre – generated of typical biomass harvest (15%)
(35-50) completely cleaned for dev (Forks)
[Bill Herman] 250 tons/acre
everything goes

- Plan is qualitative about pre-existing biomass
  (concern from Marty Acker)
- Challenges – address what ecological sustainability means
  (Chris)
- Share meeting announcement on east side
- Share electronically the FP illustrated to the group
- Develop a “biomass board manual” – something good to identify how to “do biomass”
  (Nancy)
- Field Tours – east side too!
  - PowerPoint presentation in addition to field trips
  - Objectives
    - What and why?
    - How representative is the state?
    - Economics of biomass/moisture content/quality
      (stop over at storage yard)
    - Pre and post activity (What about where you would not do biomass harvest)
  “James Versky” – Pete Heide – recommended study just released

- Add economic segment
  - What are the characteristics of biomass that are desired by xxx?
  - Value vs. cost?
  - Limitations
  - Quality/intensity?
  → Possibly from UW? September when supply study is done