

# Lower Dolores Working Group Planning Process (8/09 to 6/10) (revised date)

## 1) FORMING GROUP AND EDUCATION

- Group forms
- Monthly meetings 12/08 to 5/09 + 3 Field Trips
- Power points on key issues + speakers, maps, handouts
- Issues, Opportunities and Concerns List

## 2) REACH ANALYSIS and BRAINSTORMING TOOLS / STRATEGIES

- Monthly meetings 9/09 to 11/09
- In-Depth information on Reaches and ORVs
- Brainstorming Management Goals, and Protection Tools and Strategies

### November Meeting:

- Wrap up Reaches discussion
- Working Group brainstorms Top 3 priority issues for Workshops
- Summarized grid of Reach information: review

### December Meeting:

- Decision on Top 3 issues for Workshops
- Further education on protection tools and management strategies
- Devise set of Planning Principles

## 3) TOPIC WORKSHOPS: 2010

- January : Workshop for Issue #1 plus "Popcorn" 2-5 additional issues
- February: Workshop for Issue #2 plus "Popcorn" 2-5 issues
- March Workshop for Issue #3: plus "Popcorn" 2-5 issues

## 4) ENDING

- No April meeting
- Staff drafts report (possible use of Drafting Committee?)
- May and June meetings: edit report, give feedback, finalize
- June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2010: Submit report to DPLO

### Suggested Agenda Topic Workshops

1. Recap of the Issue / Frame It
2. Recap of the Tools / Develop List of Potentials
3. Small Groups asked to Categorize Tools / Strategies in "Buckets" and Discuss, and Do Pro/Con on Each
4. Report back on:
  - Bucket #1: Tool / Strategy(ies) We Prefer
  - Bucket #2: Tools / Strategy(ies) To Use if #1 Won't Work
  - Bucket #3: Tools /Strategy (ies) To Use if #1 and #2 have Been Exhausted
5. Small Groups Report Back
6. Determine where agreement
7. Where no agreement, use "Bucket" exercise to frame up alternatives in final report

