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The Idaho Washington Aquifer Collaborative (IWAC) works to maintain and enhance water quality and quantity for present and future generations by developing management strategies which benefit the Spokane Valley Rathdrum Prairie Aquifer and the Spokane River region.

January 12, 2016, 1:30 – 3:45 PM, Liberty Lake Sewer and Water District
 Representatives Present

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√	City of Spokane Valley	Henry Allen	
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AGENDA

Welcome and Introductions – President Mike Galante opened the meeting and welcomed everyone.

Approval of Meeting Minutes – President Galante called for additions or revisions to the Minutes for December 8, 2015. Hearing none the minutes were approved as submitted.

Financial Report – Treasurer Alan Miller reported a Year to Date Account Balance of \$10,796.19. Download the Treasure's Report.

Old / New Business

Workshop: Develop the regional stewardship message in four 15-30 second videos to be introduced at the March 22-24, 2016, Our Gem Symposium and Spokane River Forum Conference. Thanks to Melanie Thornton, Jennifer Johnson and Korey Woodley, WSU graduate and doctoral students, who facilitated today's video development working groups. Preservation, Water Quality, Water Quantity and Stormwater.

Important steps in the video design process included: 1) Determining the audience, 2) Defining the message, 3) Establishing a purpose and 4) Activating the audience. Next the groups selected the type of video based on the following options: Promotional, Documentary, Educational, Performance and Animation

The four working groups discussed their chosen topic and generated ideas for a 30 second video storyboard. Ideas were captured on paper and in a shared google document. A folder was set up in Google drive for the four video scripts and related images and resources. You can access the google folder at:

<https://drive.google.com/folderview?id=0B850Eki5WlubOWxCTEI2UV80eHM&usp=sharing>

WSU graduate students will work with the WSU Communications Department to determine the cost of video production and a timeline for development. The goal is to bring at least one drafted video to the February IWAC meeting for review and comment.

Terry Pickel moved to authorize the IWAC Executive Board to allocate funds for WSU video production costs. Jim Lahde seconded the motion. The motion carried by consensus.

Updates Around the Table

Terry Pickel announced his selection as the Water Superintendent for the City of Coeur d'Alene following the December 31st retirement of Jim Markley. IWAC thanks Jim Markley for his enthusiastic support for and participation in IWAC.

Rob Lindsay reported on a Watershed Planning grant to develop a water bank serving Spokane, Stevens and Pend Oreille Counties. A follow-on grant project would conduct a feasibility study for water banking in the Little Spokane River Basin.

Spokane Regional Toxics Task Force will hold a Technical Workshop February 9-11, 2016 at the Spokane Convention Center Room 401 ABC. [Workshop Agenda](#) [Registration](#)

Committee Reports: Water Modeling, Water Use, and Education and Awareness
Spokane River Stewardship Partners

Handouts: Agenda, Treasurer's Report, December Meeting Minutes, Storyboard Templet