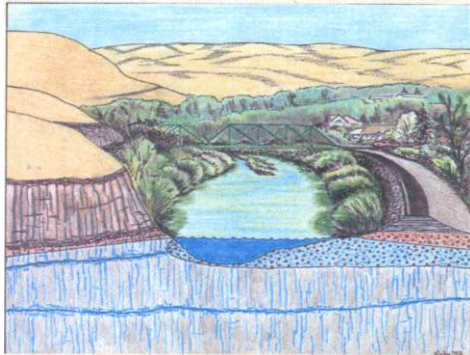


2050 Water Planning Process

Locally Driven 2050 Water Planning Process



- The Critical Groundwater Taskforce was charged with the responsibility of developing a broad community based 2050 Water Plan for the Umatilla River Basin.
- The Taskforce is working toward developing methods to protect and enhance ground and surface water quantity and quality.

Who are the Taskforce Members Representing You?

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Rick	Colgan	Umatilla County
David	Hadley	Rural Residents, Lower Basin
Tyler S.	Hansell	Agriculture, Lower Basin
Betty	Klepper	Central County, Upper Basin
Ray	Kopacz	Irrigation Districts, Lower Basin
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Sam	Nobles	Small Tract, Lower Basin
Kim	Puzey	Port of Umatilla
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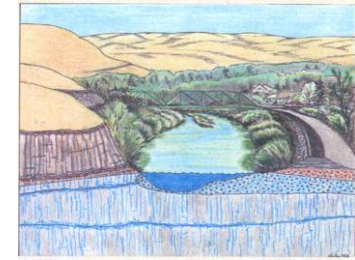
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Umatilla County Critical Groundwater Task force

The Umatilla County Critical Groundwater Taskforce was formed in January of 2004, by the Umatilla County Board of Commissioners. The mission of the Critical Groundwater Taskforce is to, *“Identify and implement technically and economically feasible measures to enhance and protect groundwater quantity and quality through the year 2050, as an essential natural resource necessary to assure continued economic development in Umatilla County, especially in designated Critical Groundwater Areas.”*

Why was the Critical Groundwater Taskforce Formed?

- Umatilla County contains 4 of the 7 Critical Groundwater Areas in Oregon.
- Critical Groundwater Areas (CGWA) are designated by the Oregon Water Resources Department for alarming declines in groundwater levels.

What is the Critical Groundwater Taskforce?

- The Taskforce is a diverse citizen advisory group.
- Consisting of 20 members appointed by the County Board of Commissioners.
- Representing natural resources, local communities, and economic interests within Umatilla County.

