

Biomass Task Group
4 May 2022
Minutes

8:30 AM Minutes were approved from 3/31 meeting.

8:35 AM Review of Drafted Scope and Finalize

Comments were raised about the finality of this scope and need to consider it as fluid. It was determined that this document is a prioritization of actions to consider and that as time permits, the task group could revisit wood use for thermal heat and other issues germane to this group.

Action: For next meeting, a chart will be created highlighting how the original tabled actions proposed by the Agriculture and Ecosystems Subcommittee are being considered so that it is clear for task group members.

9:00 AM Presentation from and Discussion with Guest Speaker Dr. Thomas Buchholz

Dr. Buchholz [presented](#) on his research and the task group engaged in conversation around the details of his research. Dr. Buchholz indicated an openness to follow up questions which were posted via email and can be found [here](#). He also referenced two papers which were also posted online and can be found [here](#).

9:40 AM Plan for next meeting

The task group recommended inviting Dr. Ali Kosiba and Dr. Bill Keeton to upcoming meetings. Judy Dow also suggested invited an expert on traditional ecological knowledge (TEK). Jane agreed to follow up with Judy to consider who would be best to have speak to TEK.

9:50 AM Public Comment

Annette Smith made a comment which can be viewed on the recording.

10:00 AM Adjourn