



# Henry's Fork Watershed Council

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Henry's Fork Watershed Council participants and friends:

The annual Henry's Fork Watershed Council Field Tour is scheduled for Tuesday, August 13th. The goal of this year's tour is to illustrate projects and concepts relevant to the continuing USBR Henry's Fork Basin Study.

We will meet at 8:30 AM in St. Anthony at the FMID parking lot to consolidate vehicles and provide maps with driving directions. This will be a full day tour visiting sites in the Ashton, Sugar-Salem and St. Anthony areas. A simple lunch will be provided for **\$5.00** (cash or check only, to Henry's Fork Watershed Council). Please RSVP by Friday, August 9th. RSVP to Julie Maurer at 652-3567 or [julie@henrysfork.org](mailto:julie@henrysfork.org)

## August 13 Tour Schedule

- 8:30 – 9:00 Welcome and Introductions (FMID parking lot, St. Anthony)
- 9:00 – 9:30 Travel to North Branch Marysville Canal
- 9:30 – 10:00 Presentation on conversion of Marysville Canal to pipelines (Marysville Canal Co., Glen Atchley)
- 10:00 – 10:25 Travel to Ashton Dam/Ora Bridge – pit stop at HFF office
- 10:15 – 11:00 Discussion of potential for Ashton Dam raise (USBR—Bob Schattin) and plans for replacement of Ora Bridge (Fremont County, Brandon Harris)
- 11:00 – 12:30 Travel to St. Anthony and Lunch at Keefer Park
- 12:30 – 1:00 Travel to Teton splitter via Crosscut Canal return
- 1:00 – 1:45 Discussion of current management of Crosscut Canal and Teton forks and potential for storage in Teton basin and/or canal automation to improve management (FMID, Dale Swensen)
- 1:45 - 2:15 Travel to lower North Fork Teton diversions (Roxana Canal), with pit stop in Sugar City
- 2:15 – 3:00 Discuss importance of return flow to lower North Fork water users, current WD01 accounting in North Fork Teton, and new gaging that would be required if water were delivered through North Fork for fisheries (Roxana Canal Co., Winston Larsen & IDWR/WD01, Tony Olenichak)
- 3:00 – 3:30 Travel to greenway access below Independent Canal
- 3:30 – 4:00 Discuss Independent Canal headgate parking and importance of canal seepage and return flow to fish and wildlife habitat in Henry's Fork below St. Anthony (HFF, Rob Van Kirk)
- 4:00 – 4:30 Wrap-up Discussion and return to St. Anthony

**The next regular Henry's Fork Watershed Council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, September 10.**

*The annual State of the Watershed Conference is scheduled for Tuesday, November 19.*

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