

McCall-Donnelly School District Green Committee

Agenda

June 2, 2015 – 3:30 p.m. Campus Portable – 401 N. Mission Street, McCall, ID 83638

CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

1. **Reports and minutes** of Green Team Meetings at DES, BRMES, PLMS, AND MDHS.
2. **Old business:**
3. **New Business:**

Guests: Ellen McKinney, our curriculum director, and Melissa Coriell, Green Team member, MDHS - will bring preliminary information about and answer questions regarding upcoming professional development days in November regarding ecological literacy. Ellen is coordinating this effort while Melissa did the research and made initial contact with Tim Swinehart, author of [A Peoples' Curriculum For the Earth](#).

4. **Goals for the next year:** Chairperson Fereday would like to suggest that next year could be the year to design a curriculum map – K-12. Individual Green Teams could take input from staff and coordinate a curriculum map, K-12, regarding ecological principles as outlined in the Green Policy.
5. **Discussion & questions regarding the in-service.**
 - a. **Note:** it would be the building Green Teams that spearhead and illicit map ideas. A curriculum map might serve the purpose of providing a unifying theme around ecological literacy across curricular areas. (See the Green Policy)

Ideas:

- b. Take a survey of teachers regarding their ideas after the in-service in November.

- c. **Hold work sessions in order to collaborate themes; invite teachers to Green Team meetings in your buildings.**
- d. **Lay the groundwork for lesson themes; bring a conceptual draft from your building to a Committee meeting to present to the other building reps.**

6. Other Business:

- 7. **Discuss committee makeup for next year; adding a community member, adding new members or not from each building, discussing the issue of chairperson and leadership pay since this is a new issue in the district.**
- 8. **Discuss the importance of regular Green Team meetings at buildings. See policy for direction on this issue.**
- 9. **Other items:**
- 10. **Adjournment**