

February 14, 2024
10:00 AM – 2:00 PM
US Meeting No. 7 and LSS Meeting No. 4 (Hybrid Format)
North Augusta Municipal Building
100 Georgia Avenue, North Augusta, SC 29841

Joint Upper Savannah and Lower Savannah Salkehatchie River Basin Council

February 14, 2024 Meeting Agenda

Meeting Objectives:

- 1) Learn about US Army Corps of Engineers programs in the Savannah River basin
- 2) Review each RBC’s vision, goals, and activities
- 3) Identify Interbasin River Council (IRC) Members and discuss a charter

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| 1. Call the Meeting to Order (Jill Miller, US RBC Chair) | 10:00–10:10 |
| a. Review of Meeting Objectives | |
| b. Approval of Agenda | |
| c. Approval of LSS January 4 th Minutes and Summary | |
| d. Approval of US January 10 th Minutes and Summary | |
| e. Housekeeping Items | |
| 2. Public Comment (John Boyer) | 10:10–10:15 |
| a. Public Comment Period ¹ | |
| b. Agency Comment Period | |
| 3. RBC Introductions (John Boyer and Ashley Reid) | 10:15–10:30 |
| 4. Savannah Reservoirs Operations (Stan Simpson, Water Manager, USACE) | 10:30–11:15 |
| <i>Break</i> | <i>11:15–11:30</i> |
| 5. Shoreline Management Program (Mellissa Wolf, Lakes Branch Chief, USACE) | 11:30–12:00 |
| <i>Lunch</i> | <i>12:00–12:30</i> |
| 6. Planning Branch Topics (Brian Choate, USACE) | 12:30–1:15 |
| a. Lake Hartwell Supply Reallocation | |
| b. Savannah River Below Augusta Ecosystem Restoration Project | |
| c. Savannah Harbor Expansion Program and Dissolved Oxygen Mitigation | |
| d. Other ongoing or future projects | |

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¹ To make a public comment you must be signed into the Zoom meeting to raise your hand, be unmuted, and formally recognized. Those who wish to make a public comment and are calling in must submit their public comment via e-mail to tcwalke@clemson.edu by February 21, 2024 to be read at the next meeting.

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| 7. Summary of US and LSS RBC's Vision, Goals, and Activities | 1:15–1:30 |
| a. Upper Savannah (Ashley Reid) | |
| b. Lower Savannah-Salkehatchie (John Boyer) | |
| 8. Discuss Interbasin River Council Charter (Ashley Reid and John Boyer) | 1:30–1:45 |
| 9. Select Interbasin River Council Members (Ashley Reid and John Boyer) | 1:45–1:55 |
| 10. Upcoming SWAM Training and RBC Meetings (John Boyer) | 1:55–2:00 |