

# 2022 Boise River Conference

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31ST

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# 2022 Boise River Conference Agenda

Barber Park Event Center, Boise, ID

1:15-1:30 p.m.

**CHECK-IN**

1:30 - 2:00 p.m.

**WELCOME**

## **REMARKS FROM BOISE MAYOR MCLEAN**

2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

*Panel One:*

Moderated by:

**BRANDY WILSON**

Idaho Foundation for Parks & Lands

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## **BARBER POOL MASTER PLAN:**

### **CONSERVING WILDLIFE, CULTIVATING STEWARDSHIP**

The Barber Pool Master Plan includes goals, objectives, and key strategies for managing and enhancing wildlife habitat, providing appropriate sites for human use and recreation, and conducting public education and outreach. The Plan captures the shared vision of stakeholders, including landowners in and around the area, neighbors, state and local government agencies, educators, environmental and interest groups, and corporate partners and businesses.

**KARI KOSTKA**

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Boise Parks & Recreation Planner

**GREG KALTENECKER**

Intermountain Bird Observatory, Director



3:00 - 3:15 p.m.

## **BREAK**

3:15 - 4:15 p.m.

### ***Panel Two:***

Moderated by:

**JUNE SHOEMAKER**

IEF Board Member

## **CURRENT FLOW OF BOISE RIVER MANAGEMENT: BOISE RIVER WATER SUPPLY & DEMAND**

**DAVID HOKEMA**

Hydrologist, IDWR

**LANIE PAQUIN**

Area Manager, Snake River Area, US BOR

## **BOISE RIVER HABITAT & ENHANCEMENT**

**CHRISTY MEYER**

Boise River Enhancement Network

## **BOISE RIVER RECREATION IN A BOOMING TREASURE VALLEY, A RIVER GUIDE'S PERSPECTIVE**

**ADAM BASS**

Boise River Outdoor Opportunities

4:30 - 6:15 p.m.

### **BOISE RIVER FLOAT**

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our Event Partner:



**BOISE RIVER  
ENHANCEMENT  
NETWORK**

6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

### **DINNER ON THE RIVER**

Ann Morrison Park  
Old Timer's Shelter

*Return Shuttle to Barber Park  
Schedule:*

*6:30 p.m. 7:15 p.m. 8:00 p.m.*

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