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Public Services Department

Public Meeting-Falcon Drainage

Hosted by:

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& André P. Brackin, County Engineer

Falcon, Colorado
24 May 2010

Introductions

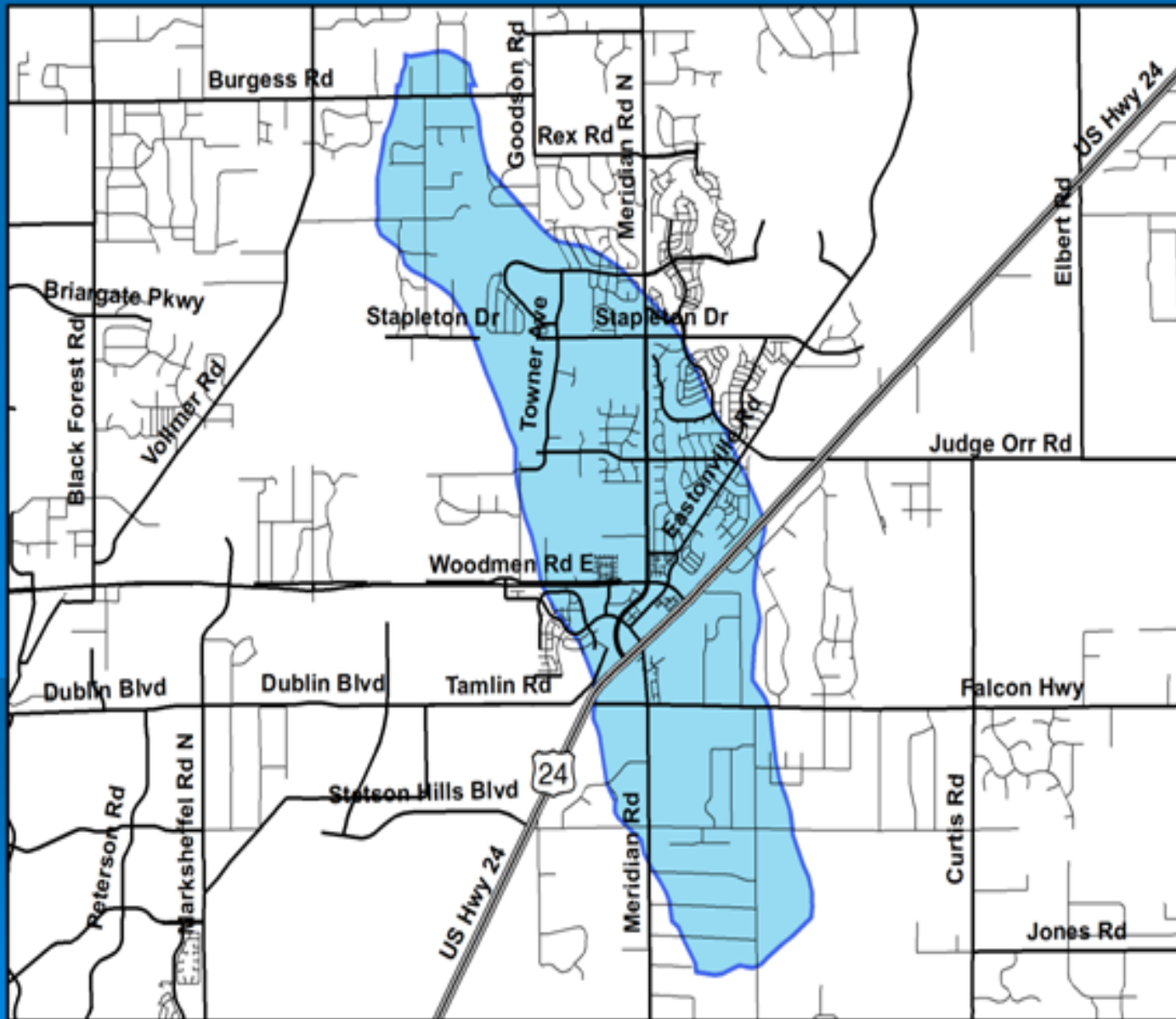
- ✓ Amy Lathen, District 2 County Commissioner
- ✓ Monnie Gore, Assistant County Administrator
- ✓ André P. Brackin, County Engineer
- ✓ William Louis, County Attorney

Meeting Protocol

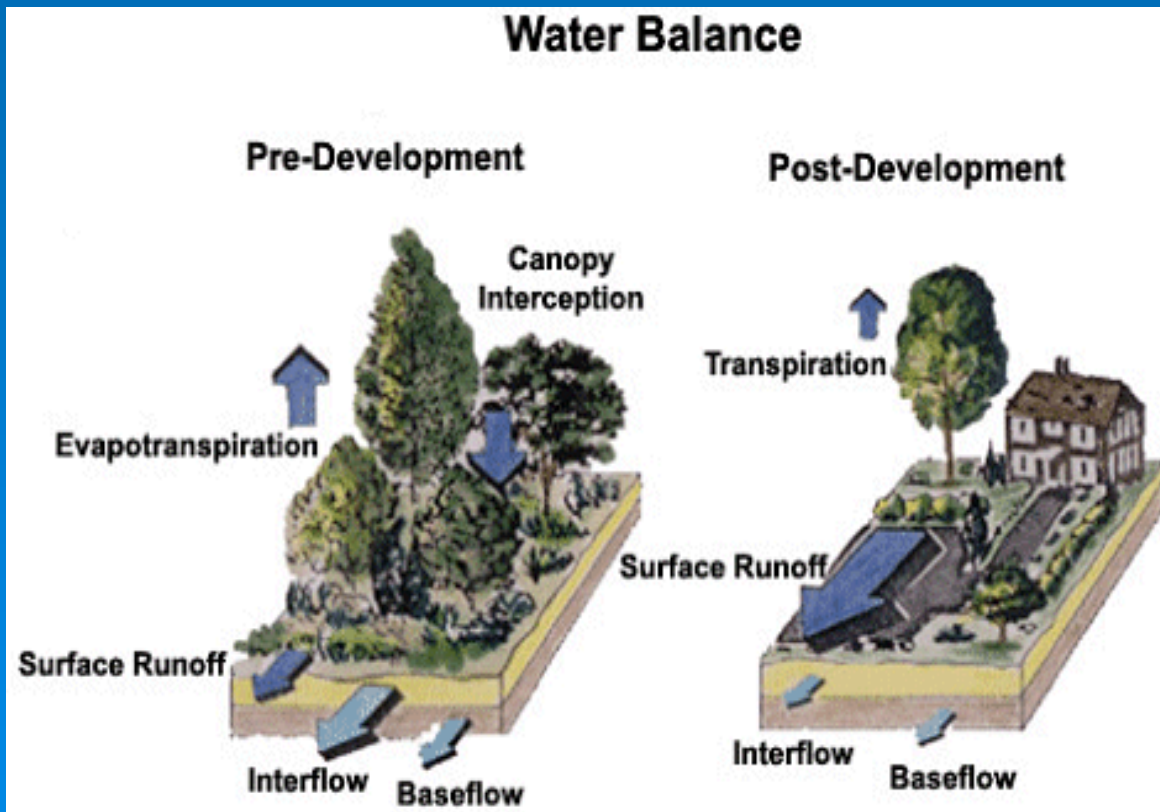
- ✓ Hold all questions until end of presentation.
- ✓ Everyone will have a chance to speak.
- ✓ Please show respect for each speaker.
- ✓ Purpose of meeting is to give information and get input-
no decisions tonight!
- ✓ Please sign in including name, address and your email
address.

Agenda

- ✓ Drainage Fundamentals
- ✓ Identify Problem
- ✓ Can we solve the problem?
- ✓ Short Term Action Plan
- ✓ Long Term Solution
- ✓ Public Input
- ✓ Next Steps



Drainage Fundamentals



- ✓ Drainage does not respect the boundaries between government jurisdictions or between properties.
- ✓ Proper Planning results in more orderly development.

Problem

- ✓ Inadequate stormwater infrastructure to meet today's needs.
 - ✓ adverse impacts to public and private property
 - ✓ affects public health, safety, welfare and infrastructure
 - ✓ Current drainage basin planning study (DBPS) outdated (adopted by BoCC 2000)

Can we solve the problem?

- ✓ Through public private collaboration
- ✓ Successful projects in other drainage basins



Drainage Responsibilities

BoCC Policy (Resolution 07-082)

- ✓ El Paso County
 - ✓ roads, right-of-way and drainage facilities accepted by BoCC
 - ✓ removal of accumulated sediment & trash from roadside ditches in ROW
 - ✓ cleaning, maintenance and repair of cross culverts in ROW
 - ✓ unable to remove sediment on private lands without permission

- ✓ Property Owners
 - ✓ Maintenance of drainage facilities on their property unless in easement
 - ✓ Responsible for cleaning, maintenance and repair of driveway culverts and ditch line within 10' of inlet/outlet

Short Term Action Plan

- ✓ Temporary Easement Acquisitions
- ✓ Ditch Maintenance within ROW
- ✓ Culvert Cleanout & Maintenance
- ✓ Emergency Repair
- ✓ Pond #4
- ✓ BoCC Allocated Funds



Long Term Solution

- ✓ Falcon Drainage Basin Planning Study Update
 - ✓ Developer Basin Funds- No tax payer impact
 - ✓ Upstream revenue sources
 - ✓ Work together with citizens
 - ✓ Develop alternatives

- ✓ Evaluation of upstream detention ponds
- ✓ Runoff Reduction Upstream
- ✓ Retrofit
- ✓ Coordination with districts
- ✓ Construction of agreed upon facilities

Public Input

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- ✓ You can e-mail comments to dotweb@elpasoco.com
- ✓ This email address is monitored everyday-your input is important and appreciated.

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*Thank You for Your
Participation and Input!*