

Columbia Basin Collaborative
Integration/Recommendations Group Participant List
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Spokane Tribe of Indians	BJ Kieffer
Yakama Nation	David Blodgett*
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State	Representative
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