

NW-AIRQUEST CHARTER REVISIONS

- Proposed changes:
 - Minor wording changes to align with current practices
 - Update collaborative members
 - Remove associate member category
 - IDEQ proposal
- Next steps:
 - Nicole will send the redlined charter for review tomorrow
 - 1 week for final reviews from this group?
 - 2-3 weeks for air director/management review (requested by WA Air Directors)
 - Who are the appropriate parties from ODEQ, LRAPA, IDEQ, Nez Perce, other tribes?
 - 1 week (hopefully) for signatures

ASSOCIATE MEMBER VS. COLLABORATIVE MEMBER

- **Associate members** are affiliated with NW-AIRQUEST, and may be interested only in specific products or projects. Associate members may fund developmental work and participate in all of the proceedings and meetings, but are excluded from voting. Associate members may become collaborative members upon affirmation of the collaborative and sustaining members.
- **Collaborative members** encourage achievement of goals through consistent long-term collaboration. They have voting privileges for all matters except those related to the funding, work plan, and access of common-regional projects. They participate in NW-AIRQUEST projects through in-kind contributions but do not fund common-regional projects. Although they strongly influence common-regional projects through collaborative and meaningful scientific input, they have no direct role in the work plan for common-regional activities and are not guaranteed access to common-regional products. In addition to in-kind contributions, it is expected that collaborative members seek financial resources to contribute to the ongoing cost of operating NW-AIRQUEST, where appropriate.