

VDHR-SPR CP Spring Planning Meeting Report
Fargo, ND
March 24th, 2015

1. Call to order at 2:05 PM.
2. Introductions (Mory Rugg, Jose Gonzales, Karl Glover, Xiwen Cai, Shiaomin Chao, Steven Xu, Jason Cook, Grant Mehring, Jochum Wiersma).
3. Continuation of the Review of VDHR Program Descriptions and Research:

The CP member present reviewed the addition and edits made by the other VDHR CP's and suggested some additional edits that are attached as Appendix A.
4. Research Update SPR-CP Questionnaire:

The CP members present were asked to answer the questions listed in the EC's questionnaire. The consensus answers and metrics are attached as Appendix B. Each of the members of the CP were asked to provide the metrics either in person or by e-mail prior to the Steering Committee meeting.
5. Brain Storming of Collaborative Projects within the VDHR-SPR CP
 - a) Have full participation of all public and private entities in the Uniform Regional Scab Nursery.
 - b) Develop permanent FHB screening nurseries in Montana and Idaho to allow selection of locally adapted germplasm and varieties with improved FHB resistance.
 - c) Develop a coordinated and shared backcrossing effort amongst germplasm projects to speed up introgression of new sources of FHB resistance.
 - d) Screen 300 newly developed synthetic hexaploid wheat lines for resistance to FHB.
 - e) Finish the collaborative GS evaluation project and implement third and fourth generation genetic tools in variety development (i.e. genomic selection, GBS etc.)
6. Meeting was adjourned at 3:30 PM.