

**Section 7.0**  
**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

**7.1 PUBLIC MEETINGS**

To date, IDEM has held four public meetings to present information on the TMDL process and to provide periodic updates on the milestones reached in the Trail Creek TMDL development. Information such as data sources, source assessment, model introduction and the draft TMDL for Trail Creek were presented. The public meetings were held on July 25, 2002; October 23, 2002, March 19, 2003 and September 15, 2003.

IDEM invited all stakeholders in the Trail Creek watershed, as well as many major environmental groups and concerned citizens.