Governor’s Drought Interagency Coordinating Group

Tuesday, November 10, 2015 - 10:00 - 12:00 p.m.

Arizona Department of Water Resources - Verde River Conference Room - 2nd Floor

Pursuant to A.R.S. 38-431.02 (A)(1), public notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Drought Interagency Coordinating Group on Tuesday, November 10, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. at ADWR in the Verde River Conference Room. The meeting is open to the general public. A copy of this meeting notice is posted at ADWR, 2nd Floor Public Notices Bulletin Board.

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Meeting Agenda

I. Welcome & Introductions
   Tom Buschatzke (Co-chair), Arizona Department of Water Resources
   Will Schulz for Wendy Smith-Reeve (Co-chair), Arizona Division of Emergency Management

II. 2015 Wildfires and 2016 Outlook
    Jeff Whitney, Arizona State Forestry

III. Forest and Woodland Health in 2015
     Robert Celaya, Arizona State Forestry

IV. 2015 Drought Status and Monitoring Technical Committee Activities
    Nancy Selover, Arizona State University

V. Winter 2015-16 Outlook and El Niño Special Update
   Mark O’Malley, National Weather Service

VI. Water Supply Update
    Tom Buschatzke (Co-chair), Arizona Department of Water Resources
VII. Disaster Designations Related to Drought in Arizona
   Ryan Hunt, USDA Farm Service Agency

VIII. Drought Declaration Recommendation
   Action Item – Discussion and Recommendation to the Governor

IX. Comments on Arizona Drought Preparedness Annual Report

X. Call to the Public and Closing Remarks