Governor’s Drought Interagency Coordinating Group
Wednesday, May 4, 2022 - 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. MST

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Meeting Agenda

I. Webinar Logistics
Némesis Ortiz-Declet, Arizona Department of Water Resources

II. Welcome & Introductions
Tom Buschatzke (Co-chair), Arizona Department of Water Resources
Allen Clark (Co-chair), Arizona Division of Emergency Management

III. Drought Status Update & Monitoring Technical Committee Activities
Erin Saffell, State Climatologist, Drought Monitoring Technical Committee Co-chair

IV. 2022 Weather Outlook
Mark O’Malley, National Weather Service, Drought Monitoring Technical Committee Co-chair

V. Colorado River Water Supply Update
Rachel von Gnechten, Arizona Department of Water Resources

VI. Salt River & Verde River Watersheds Water Supply Update
Stephen Flora, Salt River Project

VII. Impacts of Drought on Hydropower – Irrigation and Electrical Districts Association of Arizona
Ed Gerak, Irrigation and Electrical Districts Association of Arizona

VIII. Impacts of Drought on Hydropower – Western Area Power Administration
Jack Murray, Western Area Power Administration

IX. Impacts of Drought on Navajo Nation
Carlee McClellan, Navajo Nation Department of Water Resources

X. Impacts of Drought on the Gila River Indian Community
Jason Hauter, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, LLP

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

XII. Call to the Public

XIII. Closing Remarks & Adjourn

Pursuant to A.R.S. 38-431.02 (A)(1), public notice is hereby given that the Drought Interagency Coordinating Group Meeting will be held VIRTUALLY on Wednesday, May 4, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. MST. The meeting is open to the public.

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