

Agenda
Special Meeting of the
Board of Directors of the
Colorado River Water Conservation District
In Conjunction With
The Board of Directors of the
Southwestern Water Conservation District
September 18, 2014
1:00 p.m.
Montrose, Colorado

1. Introduction by Board Presidents:
 - a. Goals of the Meeting.
 - b. District Activities and Updates by Eric Kuhn and Bruce Whitehead.
2. Basin States Contingency Plan Update.
3. Status and Future of Compact Water Bank:
 - a. System Conservation Program.
 - b. Pre-1922 Historic Consumptive Uses.
4. Discussion of Common Issues and Interests Among the Four West Slope Roundtables Basin Implementation Plans:
 - a. Water Conservation Measures.
 - b. Transmountain Diversions/IBCC Draft Proposal.
 - c. Consistency and Definition of Non-Consumptive Data Needs (i.e. Recreation).
 - d. State Sovereignty Water Issues.
 - e. Joint Meeting Among the Four West Slope Roundtables.
5. Federal and States Issues:
 - a. Discussion of Federal Issues.
 - i. USFS/BLM Joint Management Plan (San Juan Forest - Tres Rios Office).
 - ii. USFS Groundwater Directive.
 - iii. USFS Ski Area Water Rights Directive.
 - iv. EPA Rule "Waters of the U.S."
 - b. 2015 Legislative Session Outlook.

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- i. Future Use Allocation (FUA) ISF Appropriations.
 - ii. Limitation Federal Bypass - Special Use Permit Conditions.
 - iii. Land Use and Water Supplies.
 - iv. Agriculture Efficiency.
 - v. Ad Hoc Group Discussion of Legislation, re: Changes of Water Rights.
- c. Recovery Plans - Non-Native Fish Removal.
6. Discussion of Mutual Interests and Cooperative Efforts.

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