

**Gila River Basin Native Fish Conservation Program
Policy Committee Meeting**

Tuesday, May 19, 2020 *1PM – 4PM (AZT)

Bureau of Reclamation, 6150 W Thunderbird Rd, Glendale, AZ 85306

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MEETING AGENDA

Meeting Objectives

- Review work completed by the Program in the last year
- Finalize recommendations for the FY21 Work Plan
- Provide relevant updates on projects, contracts and species' recoveries

- 1:00PM **Welcome**
Bill Stewart, Bureau of Reclamation
- 1:10 **Introductions and Agenda Review**
Carrie Eberly, Southwest Decision Resources
- 1:20 **GRBNFCP Year in Review**
Bill Stewart, Bureau of Reclamation and Doug Duncan, US Fish and Wildlife Service
- Program status update
- 1:40 **Program Operations (Doug)**
Doug Duncan, US Fish and Wildlife Service
- Conflict of Interest discussion
 - Updates to Work Plan process moving forward
 - Strategic Plan discussion
- 2:00 **FY21 Work Plan**
Bill Stewart, Bureau of Reclamation
- Project proposals by agency – updated projects from AGFD
 - Technical committee review and revisions
 - Recommendation
- 2:30 **BREAK**
- 2:45 **Updates (5 mins each)**
- Section 7 consultation (Bill/Jeff)
 - CCAST and Non-native workshop (Bill)
 - Native fish monitoring (Kent)
 - ARCC update (Doug/AZGFD)
 - Fish barrier update (Bill)
 - Tier 2 Projects update (Bill)
 - I&E update (Kent)
 - White Mountain Apache Tribe Loach minnow (Doug)
 - Recovery plan and species status assessment updates (FWS)
 - Loach minnow
 - Spikedace
 - Gila Topminnow
 - Gila chub
 - Desert Pupfish

- Razorback suckers
- Sport fish stocking section 7 consultation (AZGFD and FWS)
- Other

4:00PM

Adjourn