

PROPOSED AGENDA, version 2  
 Technical Committee Meeting  
 Gila River Basin Native Fishes Conservation Program  
 BLM Safford District Office, AZ  
 December 9, 2014 @ 10:00 AM

- I. Preliminaries, lunch arrangements, etc.
- II. Update on progress of moving fund transfer administration to Reclamation
- III. Discussion of Arizona Land & Water Trust proposal to retire Aravaipa Farms irrigation rights (proposal expected prior to meeting)
- IV. Discussion of USFS/Scott Bonar proposal to define Habitat Suitability Index curves for native fishes (further info expected prior to meeting)
- V. Review old spreadsheets; update task progress (spreadsheet colors)
- VI. Identification of FY2016 fund transfer projects

Preliminary list:

1. Topminnow stock maintenance (yr 1 of 5; renewal?)	\$ 13,710
2. NMDGF recovery actions (yr 9 of n)	
a. W Fk Gila River mechanical removal (yr 4 of 5)	\$ 21,175
b. Spikedace repatriations to San Francisco River (yr 4 of 5)	\$ 3,250
c. Turkey Ck trib surveys/mechanical removal (yr 3 of 4)	\$ 16,100
d. T&E fish repatriations and monitoring (yr 4 of 5)	\$ 14,600
3. FWS recovery actions (yr 9 of n)	
a. W Fk Gila River mechanical removal (yr 4 of 5)	\$ 10,570
b. Spikedace repatriations to San Francisco River (yr 4 of 5)	\$ 3,055
c. Turkey Ck trib surveys/mechanical removal (yr 3 of 4)	\$ 15,215
d. T&E fish repatriations and monitoring (yr 3 of 5)	\$ 3,055
4. USFS recovery actions (yr 9 of n)	
a. W Fk Gila River mechanical removal (yr 4 of 5)	\$ 9,790
b. Spikedace repatriations to San Francisco River (yr 4 of 5)	\$ 1,982
c. Turkey Ck trib surveys/mechanical removal (yr 3 of 4)	\$ 14,440
d. T&E fish repatriations and monitoring (yr 3 of 5)	\$ 2,727
5. Surveys of Gila River tributaries on BLM lands in NM (yr 3 of 3)	\$ 10,370
6. AZGFD recovery actions (yr 9 of n)	\$ 306,970
a. Update list of old continuation projects	
7. Bubbling Ponds O&M (yr 9 of n)	<u>\$106,000</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 552,989</b>
8. Other	
a. Middle Fork Gila River surveys?	\$ 60,120
b. Phoenix Zoo Gila chub refuge pond?	

VII. Fish barrier update

- A. Spring Creek (Oak)
- B. West Fork Black River
- C. O'Donnell Canyon
- D. Redfield Canyon
- E. Eagle Creek
- F. Middle Fork Gila River
- G. Spring Creek (Tonto)
- H. Verde River

VIII. BPNFCF update, including hatchery expansion, funding, etc.

IX. Status of USGS selective piscicide development study

X. Native fish conservation/renovation/repatriation/monitoring activities update

XI. Blue River/Spring Creek (Oak) repatriations/augmentations

XII. Other discussion items?