

Glen Canyon Dam Adaptive Management Program
Adaptive Management Work Group Meeting, August 24-25, 2016
 Little America Flagstaff, 2515 E. Butler Avenue, Flagstaff, AZ 86004, 800.352-4386

Wednesday, August 24, 2016

FINAL AGENDA

START TIME ¹ (Duration)	Wednesday, August 24, 2016 Topic and Presenter and Purpose ²
9:50	<p>Welcome and Administrative: Brent Rhees, Regional Director, Bureau of Reclamation and Secretary's Designee's Alternate</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Determination of Quorum (13 members) ▪ Department of Interior Update ▪ Approval of May 25, 2016 Meeting Minutes ▪ Action Item Tracking Report ▪ Progress on Nominations and Reappointments ▪ Update: AMWG Charter ▪ Introduction of Seth Shanahan, new TWG Chair (FY17) ▪ Introductions: group exercise
10:25	<p>FY 2017 Budget and Work Plan: Katrina Grantz, Bureau of Reclamation; Scott VanderKooi, Grand Canyon Monitoring and Research Center; Vineetha Kartha, Technical Work Group (TWG) Chair</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Presentation (30 minutes) ▪ Q&A, discussion, and action (30 minutes)
10:55	<p>Technical Work Group Report—Triennial Budget Process Development: Vineetha Kartha, TWG Chair</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Presentation (15 minutes) ▪ Q&A, discussion, and action (30 minutes)
11:25	<p>Basin Hydrology and Water Year 2017 Hydrograph: Paul Davidson, Bureau of Reclamation; Vineetha Kartha, TWG Chair</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Presentation (30 minutes) ▪ Q&A, discussion, and action (15 minutes)
12:15 (1:30)	LUNCH
2:15	<p>Science Advisors Charter and Protocols Government-to-Government Consultations Update: Katrina Grantz, Bureau of Reclamation</p>
2:45	<p>Science Advisors Program—2016 Accomplishments and 2017 Plans: David Braun, GCDAMP Science Advisors</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Presentation (20 minutes) ▪ Q&A, discussion (25 minutes)
3:04	<p>GCMRC Science Updates: Paul Grams and Scott VanderKooi, Grand Canyon Monitoring and Research Center</p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Presentation (45 minutes) ▪ Questions, responses, and discussion (15 minutes)
4:30	Green Sunfish Discussion: Jan Balsom, Rob Billerbeck and Melissa Trammell from National Park Service
4:45	Public Comment
5:00	ADJOURN FOR THE DAY Please fill out evaluation form if you will not return tomorrow.

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8:30	Welcome and Administrative: Brent Rhees, Regional Director, Bureau of Reclamation and Secretary's Designee's Alternate <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introductions and Determination of Quorum (13 members)
8:40	National Park Service 100th Anniversary: Jan Balsom, Grand Canyon National park
8:50	Basin Fund and Revenue Overview: Lynn Jeka, Western Area Power Administration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Presentation (30 minutes) ▪ Questions, responses, and discussion (15 minutes)
9:25	Federal -Tribal Liaison Report: Dr. Sarah Rinkevich, Federal Tribal Liaison for the Glen Canyon Dam Adaptive Management Program <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Presentation (20 minutes) ▪ Q&A, discussion (10 minutes)
9:55 (:15)	BREAK
10:15	Stakeholder's Perspective: The River of Never-Ending Life—Cultural Resources from Navajo: Melinda Arviso-Ciocco, AMWG Alternate, Navajo Nation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Presentation (20 minutes) ▪ Q&A, discussion (10 minutes)
11:00	GCMRC Science Presentations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Sandbar Modeling Project Update: Erich R. Mueller, Research Hydrologist, U.S. Geological Survey, GCMRC ▪ Aquatic Foodbase of the Little Colorado River: Jeff Muehlbauer, USGS Research Ecologist ▪ Science behind High Flow Experiment Planning: David Topping, Research Hydrologist, U.S. Geological Survey, GCMRC <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Presentation (15 minutes each) ○ Q&A, discussion (5 minutes each)
12:00 (1:30)	LUNCH

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1:30	<p>Long-Term Experimental Management Plan (LTEMP) Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) Update and Science Plan: Katrina Grantz, Bureau of Reclamation; Rob Billerbeck, National Park Service; Scott VanderKooi, Grand Canyon Monitoring and Research</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ LTEMP EIS update (30 minutes) ▪ Q&A and discussion (15 minutes) ▪ Science Plan presentation (30 minutes) ▪ Q&A and discussion (15 minutes)
2:40	Public Comment
2:50	<p>Wrap-up: Brent Rhees, Regional Director, Bureau of Reclamation and Secretary's Designee's Alternate</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Please fill out the meeting evaluation sheet at your place. ▪ Next AMWG meeting dates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ February 15-16, 2017 ○ May 24, 2017 (webinar) ○ August 30-31, 2017
3:00	ADJOURN

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