



## Water Supply Availability Committee & Drought Readiness Council MS Teams Meeting *April 15, 2026*

### **Meeting purpose:**

Develop a shared understanding of current water supply and drought conditions and discuss the potential consequences to increase situational awareness.

### **Water Supply Availability Committee meeting agenda:**

1. **Conditions Updates**
  - a. Natural Resources Conservation Service
  - b. National Weather Service
  - c. Northwest River Forecast Center
  - d. Oregon Climate Service
  - e. US Geological Survey
  - f. Oregon Water Resources Department
  - g. US Bureau of Reclamation
  - h. US Army Corps of Engineers

### **Drought Readiness Council meeting agenda:**

1. **Drought Declaration Requests and Impacts Discussion**
  - a. Evaluate drought declaration requests from Crook, Grant, Jackson, Jefferson, Morrow, and Wallowa counties.
  - b. Impacts Discussion
    - i. Current/anticipated impacts and consequences to Community Lifelines.
      1. Water Systems (Wastewater and Potable Water Infrastructure)
      2. Safety and Security (Firefighting)
      3. Energy (Power/Fuel)
      4. Health and Medical (Public Health, Medical Care)
      5. Food, Hydration, Shelter (Agriculture, Temporary Hydration)
    - ii. Consequence Management (i.e., public messaging, water conservation, temporary water distribution)



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- iii. Drought Coordination (interagency coordination, coordination with jurisdictions)
2. **Drought Monitor Discussion**
  - a. Discuss Oregon drought depiction on US Drought Monitor and discuss potential changes.
3. **Wrap-up**
  - a. Schedule next month's meeting. **5/20**
  - b. Action items.

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