



**Water Supply Availability Committee
and
Drought Readiness Council
Telephone Conference**

Agenda

**Thursday, September 10, 2020
9:00 to 12:00**

I. Welcome and Introductions

Committee Chair/s	Ken Stahr/Traci Naile
Committee and Council Members	Introductions

II. Agenda review, meeting explanation and goals.

Suggestions or additions.
Any news or announcements?

III. Review/approve May WSAC/DRC meeting notes.

Approval of August notes:

IV. Update on Monthly Conditions and Water Year Summary (1.5 hour)

Scott Oviatt – Mountain Precipitation, Soil Moisture
Amy Burke – Precipitation, Temperature, Streamflow forecast
Larry O’Neal – Climate updates
Carrie Boudreau and Ken Stahr – Streamflow conditions
Jonathan Rocha – USBR Reservoirs
Mary Karen Scullion or Yamen Hoque – USACE Reservoirs
Nick Yonker – Wildfire updates

V. Outlook and DRC Discussion (1.5 hour)

New declarations – Potentially Baker County
Are there any other emerging or lingering water supply issues?
County Emergency Managers – input or observations
Other observations or feedback

Suggested topics for upcoming DRC meetings.

OWRD – Evapotranspiration and OpenET project with Desert Research Institute.
Other suggestions?

Continue follow-up on US Drought Monitor coordination.
How are we doing?
Does the USDM reflect the data and current conditions?

Review Bi-Weekly Conditions Report
Information included
Suggestions/Corrections
Moving forward – Assignments or suggestions for future reports?

VI. Announcements & Next Meeting

- Next WSAC/DRC meeting to be determined (propose October 8, 2020 9:00 to 12:00)

Meeting Objectives:

- Report on current conditions, seasonal outlook, if practical
- Conditions review for drought declaration requests
- Review declaration requests if any
- Draft suggestions for conditions report and recommended maps

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Water Supply Availability Committee Members and Back-ups:

NOAA – Andy Bryant, Amy Burke, Kevin Berghoff, and Steve King
NRCS – Scott Oviatt
OCCRI – Larry O’Neill
ODA – Margaret Matter
ODF – Nick Yonker
OEM –Erik Rau, Traci Naile, and Daniel Stoelb
OWRD – Ken Stahr and Ryan Andrews
USACE – Mary Karen Scullion and Yamen Hoque
USBR – Peter Cooper, Chris Runyon, and Jonathan Rocha
USGS – Marc Stewart, Keith Overton, and Carrie Boudreau