

# Colorado Basin Roundtable

## Meeting Agenda

October 25, 2010

Glenwood Springs Community Center

Glenwood Springs, CO

1-4 pm

**The Colorado Basin Roundtable and two subcommittees, Nonconsumptive and Education, will meet prior to the regular Roundtable meeting. All Roundtable members, liaisons and interested parties are invited, making this a Committee of the Whole experience. A pizza lunch will be provided.**

### **9:00 Nonconsumptive Subcommittee**

This meeting is focused on refinements to the Watershed Flow Evaluation Tool and here's what we hope to cover:

- Roll out the preliminary results of the approach to a recreation flow metric that we recommended back in June for discussion and input
- Review and discuss the preliminary validation results of the trout metric
- Review and discuss the application of the revised riparian flow metric based on input from the Riparian Workshop and Subcommittee over the summer.

A lot has been accomplished since our last meeting. We still have a few significant topics to address in this project including:

- Flows for warm water species
- A metric to address winter flow nonconsumptive needs
- Defining levels of risk associated with each metric for use in the Tool's output
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Please bring comments on the NCNA Phase 2 maps that were sent out by Nicole Rowan, CDM, earlier this week in preparation for the Oct 15th meeting. To view them, go to the ftp site

[ftp.cwcb-cdm-ftp.com](ftp:cwcb-cdm-ftp.com)

username: [NCNA@cwcb-cdm-ftp.com](mailto:NCNA@cwcb-cdm-ftp.com)

password: Phase2

Username and password are case sensitive.

Lane Wyatt, subcommittee chair

### **12:00 Working Lunch**

### **12:15 Education Subcommittee**

**Caroline Bradford**, Subcommittee chair

**Jayla Poppington**, magazine editor for the CFWE

Discussion of the Headwaters magazine content on the Colorado River Mainstem.

### **1:15 Start of Regular Roundtable meeting/Introductions**

### **1:20 Reports**

Approve September minutes

CWCB – John Redifer

Nonconsumptive Subcommittee – Ken Neubecker/Lane Wyatt

Education Subcommittee – Caroline Bradford

### **1:40 Reappointments**

**Mark Fuller** was reappointed by Sen. Bruce Whitehead and Rep. Randy Fischer

**Karl Hanlon** seeks reappointment as Garfield muni rep

### **1:50 Dust on Snow presentation**

Chris Landry, Director of the Center for Snow and Avalanche Studies in Silverton, Colo.

### **2:20 Break**

### **2:30 Update on West Slope water supply talks with Denver Water**

**Eric Kuhn**, General Manager, Colorado River District

### **3:00 Discussion of Interbasin Compact Committee Water Supply vision**

**Eric Kuhn**, General Manager, Colorado River District

**Carlyle Currier**, Roundtable IBCC rep

**Stan Cazier**, Roundtable IBCC rep

**See attached document to this email**

### **3:45 Comments**

IBCC and Basin Roundtable Members: The last draft technical memorandum in our series of technical work that will form the Statewide Water Supply Initiative (SWSI) 2010 Update. The link to [Draft 2050 Municipal and Industrial Gap Analysis](#), contains information on local water provider's identified projects and processes (IPPs) and calculates the 2050 M&I gap. This technical memorandum is DRAFT and we would like your feedback and input. Please provide your comments on the M&I Gap Analysis to [Eric Hecox](#), 303-866-3441 x3217, by **Monday November 1, 2010**.

The linked M&I Gap Analysis compliments the other draft and final reports that were circulated in July. These reports include:

DRAFT Reports (Please remember that comments on these document are due by **September 30, 2010**):

*2050 Agricultural Demands Technical Memo*

*Alternative Agricultural Transfer Methods Grant Program Summary of Key Issues Technical Memorandum*

*Nonconsumptive Needs Phase 2 Update.*

Final Reports (Previously out for review):

*2050 M & I Water Use Projections*

*Reconnaissance Level Cost Estimates for Agriculture and New Supply Strategy Concepts*

*Watershed Flow Evaluation Tool Pilot Study* (pilot final, on-going work through the Yampa and Colorado Basin Roundtables)

*Nonconsumptive Needs Assessment Focus Mapping Report (Phase 1)*

These draft and final reports are available on CWCB's [Water Supply Planning page](#). The information in all of these technical reports will be incorporated into a SWSI 2010 report that is scheduled for completion in January 2011. Additionally, the information contained within these reports will be compiled into basin-specific reports in early 2011 to serve as Basin Needs Assessments, if approved by the Basin Roundtables.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions on the attached Draft Report, the previous reports, the timeframe for the SWSI 2010 Update, or any other Basin Roundtable/IBCC matters. Thank you once again for your involvement in these processes!

**Eric Hecox**  
**CWCB**

**4:00    Dismiss**