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April 30th, 2015

Sheraton Denver West 360 Union Blvd., Lakewood, CO

Golden/Bergen Park Room

Meeting Purpose: To affirm the recommendations of the subcommittees

9:00 Welcome and purpose of the day

9:15 **Conservation Stretch Goal**

- o 9:15 Review conservation stretch goal
- 9:30 Clarifying questions
- o 9:45 Discussion
- 10:15 Wrap up conversation

10:30 Agricultural Viability

- 10:35 Review the long term goal
- 10:45 Review the need for a person or program to facilitate opportunities that help farmers keep land in production and young growers get started in agriculture.
- \circ 10:55 Review minimum standard for water rights application
- 11:05 Review incentives to reduce urbanization & fragmentation of agricultural lands

11:15 **BREAK**

11:35 Agricultural Viability (continued)

- 11:35 Review the need for a law review of barriers to farmers to continue owning property in municipal/agricultural sharing agreements
- 11:45 Review the need to develop a framework for evaluations of agricultural transfers to local communities
- 11:55 Review the need to implement a pilot for agriculture to agriculture sharing, as now allowed by *SB15-198*, which expands the fallowing pilot program
- 12:05 Review the need to update and improve Colorado's aging infrastructure, including storage, which is so critical to agriculture and other uses
- 12:15 Review the statement concerning the expense federal regulations cause farmers and ranchers

12:30 **LUNCH**

1:00 Discussion of short-term legislative concepts

- o 1:30 Review new development water use efficiency local guidance concept
- o 1:40 Review water loss reporting concept
- o 1:50 Review Watersense lawn irrigation fixtures concept

2:00 Discussion of short-term administrative or on-hold concepts

- o 2:00 Review the training landscapers concept
- \circ 2:10 Review leak detection & management training and support concept
- o 2:20 Review expanded uses for graywater and reuse water concept
- o 2:30 Review permit task force concept
- o 2:40 Review state water rights statutes task group concept
- 2:50 Watershed health tax credit
- o 3:00 Review green stormwater management
- 3:10 Review & discuss instream flow carve outs
- 3:20 BREAK

3:40 Identification of other legislative concepts

- 4:00 Next steps and next meeting
 - Conceptual Framework progress report
 - IBCC and Basin Roundtable Roadmap
 - Next meeting and timeframe
- 4:30 Adjourn

Next Meeting Topics Include:

- Conceptual Framework
- Other legislative concepts, as identified by the IBCC in April
- Long-term legislative concepts *What stays on the list, what comes off?*
- Funding
- IBCC and Basin Roundtable Roadmap