EXECUTIVE WATER TASK FORCE

Overview

August 31, 2016
DNR, Room 1005, Natural Resources Building
1:00 PM

Task Force Members:
- Mike Styler, Department of Natural Resources
- Ed Bowler, Washington County Water Conservancy District
- Sterling Brown, Utah Farm Bureau
- Warren Peterson, Farmland Reserve
- John Mabey, Mabey, Wright & James
- Voneene Jorgensen, Bear River Water CD
- Steve Clyde, Clyde Snow and Sessions
- Gawain Snow, Uintah Water CD
- Dave Decker, Provo City
- Calvin Crandall, UT Assoc. of Irrigation and Canal Co.

Ex-Officio’s:
- Kent Jones, State Engineer
- Mike Quealy, Attorney General’s Office
- Norman Johnson, Attorney General’s Office
- Boyd Clayton, Div. of Water Rights

Guests:
- James Greer, Div. of Water Rights
- Rusty Vetter, Salt Lake City
- Marianne Burbidge, Div. of Water Rights
- Steve Vuyovich, Holland & Hart
- Senator Margaret Dayton, UT Legislature
- Laura Briefer, Salt Lake City
- Paul Ashton, WCWID
- Ben Jensen, Attorney General’s Office
- Darien Alcorn, Sandy City
- Peter Gessel, UDAF
- Justin Record, USBR
- Wendy Crowther, Parsons Behle & Latimer
- Marlin Sundberg, Holliday Water Co.
- Evan Curtis, GOMB
- Mike Wilson, MWDSLS
- Eric Marble, Chanshare Farms
- Jared Hansen, CUWCD
- Rich Tullis, CUWCD
- Ryan York, Provo City
- Scott Lilja, Fabian, VanCott

- Scott Martin, Snow, Christensen, Martineau
- Megan DePaulis, Salt Lake City
- Blake Bingham, Div. of Water Rights
- Jody Williams, Holland & Hart
- Teresa Wilhelmsen, Div. of Water Rights
- Rep. Tim Hawkes, UT Legislature
- Grant Cooper, LDS Church
- Sarah Shechter, Attorney General’s Office
- Jared Manning, Div. of Water Rights
- John Shultz, Mabey, Wright & James
- David Hartvigsen, Smith Hartvigsen
- Dave Martin, Jordan Valley WCD
- Alan Packard, Jordan Valley WCD
- Gene Shawcroft, CUWCD
- Neil Winterson, City of Orem
- Emily Lewis, Clyde, Snow & Sessions
- Chris Elison, CUWCD
- Gary Calder, Provo City
- Rebecca Andrus, Provo City
Welcome and Introduction

- Mike Styler welcomed the group and excused; Mark Stratford, Tage Flint, and Craig Johansen.

Canal Inventory Sub-Committee Discussion

- Mike Styler asked for a discussion on what types of members should form the Committee.
- Communication, Law Compliancy, and Education are top priorities.
- Groups should include Planning Commissioner, Developers, Agriculture, Irrigators, Municipalities, UT Water Users, ULCT
- The group was reminded that last time they voted to support legislation for additional money for Water Rights to further this effort.
- Evan Curtis needs write-up for funding.
- Volunteers were Sterling Brown, Voneene Jorgensen, Calvin Crandall, and Dave Decker.

Provo River Water Distribution System

- Jared Manning gave an overview and presentation.
- Jared will provide URL to attendees with the information he presented. (below)


Sub-Basin Claims for Livestock Watering

- Kent Jones gave overview and explanation.
- There will be a report from Water Commission when complete.

Duty of Water – Rule Making

- Warren Peterson explained distribution.
- Rep. Tim Hawkes will open a bill file and Sen. Dayton will also help with this bill.
- Motion to pass as drafted by Steve Clyde with a 2\textsuperscript{nd} from Warren Peterson with unanimous approval from Task Force.
Other Items

- Steve Clyde requested time on the next agenda for Senator Iwamoto to discuss Expansion of In-stream Flow Bill.

- A link on the Division of Water Rights will also be established and EWTF Meeting Schedules, Agenda’s, and Overview’s will be posted there by James Greer.

- A TAPE RECORDING IS AVAILABLE OF THE 08/31/2016 EWTF MEETING FOR COMPLETE CONTENT.

The next Executive Water Task Force Meeting will be held on Monday, September 19, 2016 at 2:00 PM, in the Department of Natural Resources, Auditorium. Meeting Adjourned