

NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT

Tentative Agenda

WATER TOPICS OVERVIEW COMMITTEE

Thursday, April 10, 2014

South Convention Center, Sleep Inn and Suites, 2400 10th Street SW
Minot, North Dakota

- 9:00 a.m. Call to order
Roll call
Consideration of the minutes of the February 3-4, 2014, meeting
- 9:10 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Dan Jonasson, Public Works Director, Minot, on flood control, flood recovery, and infrastructure needs
- 9:55 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Frank Durbian, Project Leader, J. Clark Salyer National Wildlife Refuge, on management of the refuge
- 10:15 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Chris Augustin, North Central Research Extension Center, North Dakota State University, on the effect of floods on the soil
- 10:30 a.m. Comments by interested persons
- 10:45 a.m. Break
- 11:00 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Todd Sando, State Engineer and Chief Engineer-Secretary, State Water Commission, on the Northwest Area Water Supply Project
- 11:10 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Dan Schaefer, All Seasons Rural Water District, on the shortage of water and the need for the Northwest Area Water Supply Project
- 11:20 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Sando on recent activities of the State Water Commission, the Southwest Water Authority, and prioritization of water projects
- 12:00 noon Luncheon recess
- 1:00 p.m. Presentation by Mr. Sando on the State Water Commission's cost-share policy
- 1:30 p.m. Comments by interested persons on cost-share policy
- 1:45 p.m. Comments by committee members on cost-share policy
- 2:00 p.m. Committee discussion on cost-share policy
- 2:30 p.m. Adjourn

Committee Members

Senators: Tony Grindberg (Chairman), Ray Holmberg, Gary A. Lee, Larry Luick, Larry J. Robinson
Representatives: Bill Amerman, Dick Anderson, Ron Guggisberg, Curt Hofstad, Curtiss Kreun, Scott Louser, Naomi Muscha, Jon Nelson, Todd Porter, Jim Schmidt, Vicky Steiner

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