

12th ANNUAL WATER 101 & 201 SEMINAR

Sponsored by the Water Information Program & Tri-State Generation and Transmission,

September 18 - 19, 2018

First Park Community Center; 1045 Main St., Nucla, CO

Water 101 Agenda: Tuesday, September 18, 2018

8:00 - 8:30 am	Registration and Convening	
8:30 - 8:40 am	Welcome, Introductions, & Housekeeping	Elaine Chick, Water Information Program, Manager
8:40 - 10:15 am	Colorado Water History & Law	Gregory Hobbs, Colorado Supreme Court Justice, Retired
10:15 - 10:30 am	Break	
10:30 - 11:30 am	Federal Water Agencies Projects & Perspectives	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• U.S. Bureau of Reclamation• U.S. Army Corps of Engineers	Ryan Christianson, Western Colorado Office, Chief, Southern Water Management Group Ben Wilson - Project Manager, Colorado West Regulatory Section, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
11:30 – 12:15 pm	State Water Agencies Perspectives	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Colorado Division of Water Resources <i>History and Administration of the San Miguel</i>	Mark Ragsdale - Lead Water Commissioner, District 60 - San Miguel River
12:15 – 1:00 pm	Lunch	
1:00 – 1:45 pm	State Water Agencies Perspectives (Continued)	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Colorado River District Drought Contingency Planning	Dave Kanzer – Deputy Chief Engineer
1:45 – 2:30 pm	Colorado Ag Water Alliance	Greg Peterson – Executive Director
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stream management and stream restoration	
2:30 – 3:00 pm	Law Enforcement Perspective	Deputy Dave Huhn – Agriculture and Water Law Specialist – Montezuma County Sheriff’s Office
3:00 – 3:15 pm	Break	
3:15 – 4:15 pm	Local Perspectives	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• History of Colorado Cooperative Ditch Company	Aimee Tooker – Colorado Cooperative Ditch Co.
4:15 – 4:30 pm	Q&A, Closing Remarks, Wrap-Up, Evaluations, and Adjourn	

* Also see state conservation and conservancy districts information in handout packets.

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Draft Water 201 Agenda: Wednesday, September 19, 2018

8:00 - 8:30 am	Registration and Convening	
8:30 - 8:40 am	Welcome, Introductions, & Housekeeping	Elaine Chick, Water Information Program, Manager
8:40 – 10:10 am	River Compacts!	Gregory Hobbs - Colorado Supreme Court Justice (Retired)
10:10 – 10:30 am	Break	
10:30 – 12:00 pm	Water Court Process, to include: Water rights change cases, diversions & consumptive use. Conditional decrees, due diligence, absolute decree, and augmentation plan decree; case study examples. Exempt wells and substitute water.	Bob Hurford - Colorado Division of Water Resources – Division Engineer, and Carrie Lile Padgett – Harris Water Engineering
12:00 – 12:15 pm	Q&A, Closing Remarks, Wrap-Up, Evaluations, and Adjourn	

*** For more information or to register go to: <https://waterinfo.org/event/water-101-201/> or contact the Water Information Program at (970) 247-1302 or 970-759-8818, or www.waterinfo.org.**

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