

TASK FORCE ON DROUGHT EMERGENCY RESPONSE

HB 4113(2016)



Agenda

August 15, 2016

10:00 am to 3:00 pm

Oregon State Capitol Building, Room 350
900 Court St., NE, Salem, OR 97304

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- I. Review of Agenda, Announcements, and Introductions** [10 minutes]
- II. Perspective on Drought from the Governor's Office** [10 minutes]
- Lauri Aunan, Governor's Natural Resources Office
- III. Factors Considered by Agriculture During Drought**
- Farm Services Agency Programs [15 minutes]
Phil Ward, Farm Service Agency
 - Marketing and Promoting Crops During Drought [10 minutes]
Terry Fasel, Department of Agriculture
 - Producer Perspectives [20 minutes]
Mary Anne Nash, Oregon Farm Bureau
April Snell, Oregon Water Resources Congress
- IV. 2015 Drought Impacts on Fisheries, Angling Restrictions, and Policy Development** [15 minutes]
- Fish Division Staff, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife
- V. Reducing the Impacts of Drought on Fisheries** [50 minutes]
- Eric Quaempts, Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation
 - Brett Golden, Deschutes Water Conservancy
 - Chrysten Lambert, Trout Unlimited
 - Kimberley Priestley, WaterWatch of Oregon
- Lunch – [Starting at approximately 12:30 – 1:00]*
- VI. Local Pre-Disaster Mitigation Plans** [15 minutes]
- JR Cook, Northeast Oregon Water Association
- VII. Discussion, Review, and Next Steps: Report Outline/Draft, Rules, and Minutes** [90 minutes]
- VIII. Public Comment** [15 minutes]
- IX. Adjourn**
- Next Meeting September 15

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Drought Task Force Governor's Appointees

<u>Name</u>	<u>Sector</u>
Cook, JR	Industrial Water Use
DeLorenzo, Suzanne	Municipal Water Supplier
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Rees, Robert	Conservation
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Smitherman, Julie	Municipal Water Supplier
Snell, April	Irrigation Districts

HB 4113 Themes

Theme #1 – Drought Response Tools

- Evaluate the sufficiency of existing tools to address short-term drought response needs and recommend additional tools to address short-term drought response needs;
- Identify options to minimize the impact of drought on agricultural, municipal, fish and wildlife, and other interests;
- Identify tools to assist small water providers in developing water management, conservation or efficiency plans and in anticipating drought risks and responses.

Theme #2 – Information and Data

- Identify the data and resources necessary for anticipating drought and drought impacts on the economy, communities and the environment;
- Recommend improvements in information sharing necessary for enabling the public, water users and recreational in-stream users to understand drought conditions and to assist in efforts to mitigate or adapt to drought