

TASK FORCE ON DROUGHT EMERGENCY RESPONSE

HB 4113(2016)



Agenda

August 1, 2016

10:00 am to 3:00 pm

Room 124 – North Mall Office Building
725 Summer St., NE, Salem, OR 97304

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- I. Review of Agenda, Announcements, and Introductions** [10 minutes]
- II. Local and Regional Planning** [75 minutes]
- Santiam Drought Contingency Plan
Brent Stevenson, Santiam Water Control District
 - Oregon's Water Management and Conservation Plans
Lisa Jaramillo, Oregon Water Resources Department
 - Local Pre-Disaster Mitigation Plans
JR Cook, Northeast Oregon Water Association
 - State Hazard Mitigation Planning and Drought
Alyssa Mucken, Oregon Water Resources Department
- III. Data Needs in Responding to and Anticipating Drought** [30 minutes]
- Drought Early Warning System for the Pacific Northwest
Kathie Dello, Oregon Climate Service
 - Data and Drought Indicators
Ken Stahr and Brenda Bateman, Oregon Water Resources Department
- Lunch – [Starting at approximately 12:15 - 12:30]* [30 minutes]
- IV. Challenges and Resources for Small Water Systems** [30 minutes]
- Jason Green, Oregon Association of Water Utilities
- V. Water Right Drought Response Tools** [40 minutes]
- Lanaya Blakely and Racquel Rancier, Oregon Water Resources Department
- VI. Discussion: Meeting Minutes, Scoping, and Next Steps** [30 minutes]
- VII. Public Comment** [20 minutes]
- VIII. Adjourn**
- Next Meeting August 15

Task Force Membership

Legislative Appointees

<u>Name</u>	<u>Sector</u>
Ken Helm	Legislature
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House Bill 4113 Objectives

The task force shall research and evaluate potential tools to prepare for or deal with drought emergencies.

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