

Revised: November 5, 2012

**TENTATIVE AGENDA  
for the  
FIFTH MEETING IN 2012  
of the  
WATER AND NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE**

**November 8, 2012  
Albuquerque-Bernalillo County Water Utility Authority  
6000 Alexander Boulevard NE  
Albuquerque**

**November 9, 2012  
Room 322, State Capitol  
Santa Fe**

**Thursday, November 8**

- 9:30 a.m.            **Call to Order**  
—Representative Joseph Cervantes, Chair
- 9:35 a.m.            **Welcome**  
—Ken Sanchez, Chair, Albuquerque-Bernalillo County Water Utility  
   Authority (ABCWUA)  
—Wayne Johnson, Vice Chair, ABCWUA
- 9:45 a.m.            **New Mexico First/New Mexico Experimental Program to Stimulate  
Competitive Research (NM EPSCoR) Report on the Las Conchas Fire**  
—Mary Jo Daniel, Associate Director, NM EPSCoR
- 10:45 a.m.           **Acequia Issues and HJM 10 (2012) Report**  
—Paula Garcia, New Mexico Acequia Association  
—Ralph Vigil, Chair, Acequia Commission  
—Subhas Shah, Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District
- 11:45 a.m.           **Fencing Issues on Railway Rights of Way**  
—Caren Cowen, Executive Director, New Mexico Cattlegrowers'  
   Association  
—Railway Representatives (invited)
- 12:15 p.m.           **Lunch**
- 1:15 p.m.            **Rio Grande Environmental Management Program**

—Representative Mimi Stewart  
—John D'Antonio, Deputy District Engineer for Project Management,  
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers  
—James Hogan, Surface Water Quality Bureau, Department of  
Environment

- 2:30 p.m.            **ABCWUA Overview**  
—Paul Robinson, Research Director, Southwest Research and Information  
Center  
—Dave McCoy, Citizens Action New Mexico  
—Leslie Weinstock and Joe Wexler, Agua es Vida Action Team  
—Mark Sanchez, Executive Director, ABCWUA
- 3:45 p.m.            **Tour of ABCWUA Surface Water Treatment Plant**  
—John Stomp, Chief Operating Officer, ABCWUA
- 5:00 p.m.            **Recess**

**Friday, November 9**

- 9:00 a.m.            **Healthy Foods Initiative**  
—Pam Roy
- 9:30 a.m.            **Right to Farm**  
—Senator Phil A. Griego  
—T.J. Trujillo, Gallagher & Kennedy P.A.
- 10:00 a.m.           **Report on *Tri-State Generation and Transmission Assn., Inc. v. D'Antonio***  
—DL Sanders, General Counsel, Office of the State Engineer  
—Reed Benson, Professor, University of New Mexico School of Law
- 10:30 a.m.           **Review of Proposed Legislation**
- 12:00 noon           **Adjourn**