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Chris B, Hongsheng, Chelsea, Scott, Megan, Ivan, Jim, Jesse

EC Agenda – June 26, 2012

1. Annual meeting
 - a. October Monday 15th & Tuesday 16th
 - i. Starting times? 1:00 pm and 8:00 am central time
 - b. Location and lodging...TBD – How many rooms to reserve for each state?
 - c. Announcement of date change (agreement to postpone) - Barfield
2. EC tasks
 - a. Immediate Tasks
 - i. April 15 data exchange – CO working on making 2011 available...will try for 10% of 2010 CO – numbers to Willem, CIR (waiting on IT to get meter data available) Probably available by the October meeting.
 - ii. Recharge/return flow issue
 1. Scott to provide data/studies to CO & NE
 2. Email July 1, 2011 and both 2010 and 2011 RRCA meeting where documents were previously provided
 - Sent files – CJ to forward to NE & CO today
 - iii. 5 year spreadsheet – Ivan to review files, but table the issue for now. NE – no recent review but has started looking into it
 - iv. Finalize accounting data – Scott to send a spreadsheet for meter data, etc. CO – data is buried in database, can get total diversions but maybe not meter readings yet. Will provide what is required in FSS. NE – meter data from NRDs
 - v. Relocated stream gage – NE field office staff to contact Scott. Gage below Guide Rock diversion dam. Equipment moved to bridge. Gage data is coming from the bridge location. Hongsheng – need data for ice days for NE gages, should be interpolated from before and after ice, all gages. Paul updating and reposting data? NE – Beaver and below Guide Rock gages. All other USGS.

Non-federal reservoirs – no aerial photos available for 2011. Updates on evap but surface areas are same as 2010. (Same issue in 2008)

- vi. Bonny area-capacity tables – CO wants to move forward...keep on agenda...KS team needs to review issue. Bureau has adopted for their use. Need an official action/recommendation by this committee. NE ok on issue. CO Q – want retroactive application 2007-2010+, any KS objection? Scott to check with team. Keep on agenda.
- vii. Groundwater recharge project – Need to get numbers and process before the commissioners...keep on agenda. Frenchman-Valley spring project – data needs to be reviewed. Frenchman-Cambridge didn't do their project. Need the committee to do an analysis? NE to share their findings in the fall, but should fall to next year meeting. Project happened and analysis is pending.
- viii. Future augmentation plans – work on after August...need a framework proposal to review. CO project, Upper Republican NRD project. What is KS looking for in an aug proposal from the states?
- ix. Precip data – confirm that task is complete

1. Done - Confirmed with Sam Perkins...final agreement to be signed by Sam, Paul and Willem and then presented to Commissioners at the annual meeting. [Provide draft to review – part of EC report.](#)
- x. Conservation Committee data
 1. Done - Scott asked committee for data size, suggestion by committee to use NE DNR site
- b. Tasks off the table for now, keep on Agenda list for later time
 - i. User Manual
 - ii. 5 year spreadsheet
 - iii. CO Aug plan ([separate negotiation track](#))
 - iv. Agreement on final accounting
3. Annual report
 - a. Ivan working on previous year. [Draft out in July.](#) Final review of 2008-2010 annual reports. [Transcript errors – attach separate sheet.](#) [Send around suggestions and review.](#) Make an agenda item for next meeting. [Megan to resend 2010 package \(2011 meeting\).](#) [NE's reports on their website – year 2009 – Jim to email zip files.](#)
4. Engineering Committee Report
 - a. Need a draft to circulate

Next meeting? Tues July 24th – 2:00 pm central

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