Central Yavapai Highlands Water Resources Management Study Technical Working Group Friday, Jan. 14, 2011 Meeting Minutes

Attendees:

Ron Grittman – Chino Valley Lou Bellisi – Citizen Doug Von Gausig – Clarkdale Jeanmarie Haney - TNC Diane Joens – Cottonwood John Rasmussen- YCWAC Leslie Graser – Prescott Rebecca Davidson - SRP John Munderloh – Prescott Valley Tom Whitmer - ADWR Stacey Barnes – Camp Verde Water Sys John Nystedt - FWS Keith Self – AZ Water Co. Santiago Garcia - Reclamation John Zambrano - CWAG Marvin Murray - Reclamation Ken Janecek - CWAG Leslie Meyers - Reclamation

Phase III – Alternative Formulation

TWG members reviewed each of the alternatives formulated at the December meeting and discussed infrastructure needs. See attached table.

Reclamation will begin documenting and evaluating costs for each of the alternatives. Small groups may be convened to help accurately outline the Flood Water and Storm Water Alternatives.

General Discussion

Several TWG members expressed concern about whether or not all of the appropriate parties are at the table for alternatives discussions.

Action Item: Leslie and John Rasmussen will review and update the TWG routing lists and make contact with new representation as appropriate. Additionally, the lists will be reviewed by the TWG at the Feb. meeting for additional input.

The February TWG meeting will be devoted to discussion of legal and institutional and environmental issues associated with the alternative analysis phase of the study. Small working groups will be formed to brainstorm issues and to work on analyzing each of the alternatives.

Next Meeting
Thursday, February 3, 2011
10:30 am
Yavapai County - Gladys Gardner Meeting Room
1015 Fair Street, Prescott, AZ

Central Yavapai Highlands Water Resources Management Study Water Supply Alternatives w/ Infrastructure Draft

Water Supply	Alt#	Alternative	Infrastructure
		Inside the Study Area	
Groundwater	1	Local Groundwater Development	Wells and possible treatment
	2	Regional Groundwater Development	wells, transmission facilities *
			and possible treatment
Waste Water (Septic Only)	3	Conversion of Existing Systems (Urban)	sewer lines, possible upsize or
			development of new WWTP
	4	Conversion of Existing Systems (Rural)	sewer lines, possible upsize or
			development of new WWTP
Flood Water	5	Capture and Store Verde (or Trib) Flood	Diversion, off stream storage,
		Water	treatment and transmission
			facilities or Horseshoe or
			Bartlett dam modifications
Storm Water	6	Macro Rainwater Harvesting, Urban	landscape treatment,
		Stormwater Capture	detention/retention basins and
			infiltration sites
Effluent	7	Existing Unused Effluent and/or	no new infrastructure
		Capacity	
	8	New Effluent from Septic (See 3/4	
		above)	
	9	New Effluent from new population	new sewer systems and
			WWTPs
Conservation	10	Implement Conservation (i.e. Rainwater	(may or may not require
		Harvesting, educational programs, etc.)	infrastructure)
		Outside the Study Area	
Surface Water	11	Alamo Lake	transmission facilities and
			treatment
	12	Colorado River (via (a)Alamo Lake,	transmission facilities and
		(b)Lake Powell, (c)Diamond Creek,	treatment
		(d)Lake Mead, (e)Lake Havasu)	
Ground Water	13	(a)Big Sandy, (b)Bill Williams (Santa	Wells, transmission facilities
		Maria Creek), (c) Bill Williams (Burro	and possible treatment
		Creek), (d)Agua Fria	
Other	14	Weather Modification	tbd
	15	Watershed Management	tbd

*Note: Treatment facilities could include lifts stations.