



## **Watershed Planning Subcommittee**

1:30 p.m., October 26, 2009

### **Pima Association of Governments**

177 N. Church Ave., Transamerica Building  
5<sup>th</sup> Floor Main Conference Room, Suite 501

### **Agenda**

**1. Call to Order and Introductions – 5 min.**

**2. In-Kind Form**

**3. Approval of Minutes of Sept. 28, 2009 – 5 min.**

**4. Call to the Audience/Announcements/Comments – 5-15 min.**

**5. Local Drought Impact Group – 30 minutes**

Kathleen Chavez, Water Policy Manager-Pima County, will discuss the activities of Pima County's Local Drought Impact Group (LDIG). LDIGs are county-level groups that coordinate drought public awareness, provide impact assessment information to local and state leaders and implement and initiate local mitigation and response options.

Mead Mier, PAG, will present information on the hydrologic monitoring that PAG contributes to the LDIG. Ms. Mier will discuss how PAG determines impacts of drought to Cienega Creek and what the findings have been.

**6. Survey of Public Perceptions Regarding Water Reuse in Arizona: Challenges and Opportunities – 20 min.**

Dr. Channah Rock, Water Quality Specialist/Assistant Professor at the University of Arizona, will present a study on public perceptions of wastewater reuse. Dr. Rock will discuss the level of public support, what their concerns are and how these concerns can be addressed to ensure successful reclaimed water management in Arizona. In addition to the survey, she will talk about a cooperative effort with Kristine Uhlman in mapping effluent across the state.

**7. Environmental Planning Advisory Committee: Watershed Issues List – 10 min.**

Claire Zucker, PAG, will lead a discussion on updating the Environmental Planning Advisory Committee (EPAC) issues list. The issues form the basis for decisions about topics for Subcommittee meetings. The issues will be reviewed by EPAC and will go to Regional Council for approval.

**8. Call to the Audience / Future Agenda Items – 5 minutes**

**9. Adjournment**