

COLORADO RIVER BOARD OF CALIFORNIA

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March 3, 2008

**NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE
COLORADO RIVER BOARD**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the call of the Chairperson, D. Bart Fisher, Jr., by the undersigned, the Executive Director of the Colorado River Board of California, that a regular meeting of the Board Members is to be held as follows:

Date: March 12, 2008, Wednesday
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Place: Room Big Bear
Ontario Airport DoubleTree Hotel
222 North Vineyard Avenue
Ontario, CA 91764-4428
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The Colorado River Board of California welcomes any comments from members of the public pertaining to items included on this agenda and related topics. Oral comments can be provided at the beginning of each Board meeting; while written comments may be sent to Mr. D. Bart Fisher, Jr., Chairperson, Colorado River Board of California, 770 Fairmont Avenue, Suite 100, Glendale, California, 91203-1068.

An Executive Session may be held in accordance with provisions of Article 9 (commencing with Section 11120) of Chapter 1 of Part 1 of Division 3 of Title 2 of the Government Code and in accordance with Sections 12516 and 12519 of the Water Code to discuss matters concerning interstate claims to the use of Colorado River System waters in judicial proceedings, administrative proceedings, and/or negotiations with representatives from other states or the federal government.

Requests for additional information may be directed to: Gerald R. Zimmerman, Executive Director, Colorado River Board of California, 770 Fairmont Avenue, Suite 100, Glendale, CA 91203-1068, 818-500-1625. A copy of this Notice and Agenda may be found on the Colorado River Board Internet web page at www.crb.ca.gov.

A copy of the meeting agenda, showing the matters to be considered and transacted, is attached.


Gerald R. Zimmerman
Executive Director

attachment: Agenda

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A G E N D A

At the discretion of the Board, all items appearing on this agenda, whether or not expressly listed for action, may be deliberated upon and may be subject to action by the Board. Items may not necessarily be taken up in the order shown.

1. Call to Order
2. Opportunity for the Public to Address the Board (Limited to 5 minutes)
As required by Government Code, Section 54954.3(a)
3. Administration
 - a. Minutes of the Meeting Held February 13, 2008, Consideration and Approval (**Action**)
 - b. Revised 2008 Board Meeting Schedule (**Action**)
4. Agency Managers Meetings
Reports from the Executive Director
5. Protection of Existing Rights
 - a. Colorado River Water Report(s)
Report from Board Staff on current reservoir storage, reservoir releases, projected water use, forecast of river flow, scheduled flows to Mexico, and salinity
 - b. State and Local Water Reports
Reports from Board members on current water supply and use conditions
 - c. Colorado River Operations
Report(s) from the Executive Director
 - Final 2008 Annual Operation Plan
 - Southern Nevada Water Authority Notice of Availability of Unused Apportionment for Storage by MWD, 2008
 - U.S. Bureau of Reclamation's Letters to IID and Central Arizona Water Conservation District Regarding 2006 Overrun of Colorado River Entitlements
 - d. Basin States Discussions
Report(s) from the Executive Director

Agenda (continued)

- e. Colorado River Environmental Issues
Report(s) from the Board Staff
 - Reclamation's Environmental Assessment for Experimental Releases from Glen Canyon Dam, Arizona, 2008 through 2012,
 - Conservation Organization's Letter Opposing H.R. 2515 to Committee of Natural Resources,
 - Status of Grand Canyon Trust v. U.S. Bureau of Reclamation Lawsuit

6. Water Quality
Report(s) from the Board Staff
 - a. Colorado River Basin Salinity Control Advisory Council's Letter to Colorado, Utah and Wyoming States Conservationists Requesting Input to Modify the Parallel Program,
 - b. The Salt Lake Tribune News Article, "DOE paving way for trucks to haul tailings from Moab"

7. Executive Session
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8. Other Business
 - a. Next Board Meeting: Regular Meeting
April 16, 2008, Wednesday, 10:00 a.m.
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