

COLORADO RIVER BOARD OF CALIFORNIA

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January 2, 2009

**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: January 14, 2009, Wednesday
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Place: Lake Arrowhead Ballroom Ontario Airport DoubleTree Hotel 222 North Vineyard Avenue Ontario, CA 91764-4428 TEL: (909) 937-0900, FAX: (909) 937-1999

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, or 818-500-1625. A copy of this Notice and Agenda may be found on the Colorado River Board's web page at www.crb.ca.gov.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gerald R. Zimmerman".

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)
 - a. Presentation from Mr. Mark S. Nexsen, Mayor of Lake Havasu City, Arizona
3. Administration
 - a. Minutes of the Meeting Held December 15, 2008, Consideration and Approval (**Action**)
 - b. Governor Schwarzenegger's Letter for Furloughs and Layoffs
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, forecasted river flows, scheduled deliveries 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
 - 2009 Annual Operating Plan for Colorado River System Reservoirs
 - Ms. Jennifer McCloskey Appointed as Area Manager for Reclamation's Yuma Area Office
 - d. Basin States Discussions
Report(s) from the Executive Director
 - Seven Basin States Representatives' Letter to Mr. Bill Ruth, U.S. Section Commissioner of the International Boundary and Water Commission, Regarding Bi-National Projects and Other Areas of Cooperation between U.S. and Mexico
 - Seven Basin States' Discussion Document Concerning Bi-National Water Management
 - Pilot Operation of the Yuma Desalting Plant

Agenda (continued)

e. Colorado River Environmental Issues

Report(s) from the Board Staff

- Status of Grand Canyon Trust v. U.S. Bureau of Reclamation Lawsuit

6. Executive Session

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7. Other Business

a. Next Board Meeting: Regular Meeting

February 11, 2009, Wednesday, starting 10:00 a.m.

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