**New Mexico Water Dialogue**

**Annual Meeting Discussion at Board Meeting, July 12, 2018**

Lucy Moore, facilitator

**THEME:** Twenty Five Years: Looking Back and Looking Forward (very draft wording but that’s the idea)

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**AGENDA:** (times approximate)

8:30 – 8:50 Welcoming remarks – Jason?

 Agenda Review -- Lucy

8:50 – 9:10 **NM Water Dialogue: Our beginning and our future** (very draft wording)

* Lucy talks about birth, goals, challenges and what Dialogue may look like 25 years in future
* Recognize original board members (maybe have list of all board members from last 25 years?); also acknowledge big contributions of Lisa Robert, Chris Nunn Garcia and Aron Rael

9:10 – 10:25 **Panel #1 How far have we come and what lies ahead?** Or, snapshot of 25 years ago (1994), and 25 years in future (2044) (very draft wording)

* Climate (15 min) Dubois from NMSU
* Economy (15 min) Chernak from UNM
* Tribal…. Perspective? View? (15 min)
* Audience discussion/questions (30)

10:25 **BREAK**

10:40—11:45 **Panel #2 Water Management: Changes and Forecasts** (very draft wording)

* 3 panelists (15 min each) (could focus on planning, data, and technology?)
* Dagmar, John Leeper, tribal water manager???
* Audience discussion/questions (20)

11:45 **Board nominations**

 **Orientation to Breakout groups**

12:00 **LUNCH**

1:15—2:15 **Breakout Groups** (12 tables, 3 or 4 topics)

* 45 minutes discussion around assignment/deliverable
* 15 minutes outlining report out presentation, with consensus of group

2:15 – 2:35 **BREAK**  (facilitators/notetakers can refine presentations and compare notes with other tables on same topic)

2:35 – 3:15 **Panel #3 Political Perspective** (this panel may need to be in the morning depending on speakers’ schedules, etc.)

* Need to be flexible, see who is available that would be weighty, who could be anchor/draw to keep people around, able to speak to the theme
* Maybe new governor, new congressperson, key legislator(s), etc.

3:15—4:15 **Report Outs from Breakout groups**

* Clumped by topic (may be some coordination among tables with same topic, or that may be asking too much)
* Interactive with audience, and perhaps with panelists who are still around

4:15-5:00 **Wrap Up, last words, informal evaluation**

**BREAKOUT GROUPS:**

One round only, after lunch, topics tied to theme

3 or 4 topics

* Water Management
* Rural Perspective (including tribes, or separate tribal topic?)
* Urban Perspective
* (State Water Plan????) – or can we include this somewhere else?

Each breakout topic could have subset topics – for instance rural perspective could have one table for ag/ranching, one table for tribal, one table for acequias? Or that might complicate things…

Clear deliverables for breakout groups:

* 3 steps necessary to take/implement in next 25 years in order to……(sustainable future? Equitable use of water? Etc.?)
* 2 big challenges to overcome in order to implement above? (just throwing it out there)
* Important to make assignment clear and feasible to do in one hour
* Will give more focus, and less room for too much personal story-telling

Facilitators/Notetakers:

* Important to have good team at each table, will work together to prepare presentation
* Previous facilitators/notetakers will have first choices
* May need to recruit outside facilitators/notetakers

Self-selection by participants:

* 3 baskets/bowls at registration with sticky dots (blue =water management, red= urban, yellow = rural)
* First come, first serve – choose topic you want and stick dot on your name tag
* Once a basket is empty, no more seats available for that topic
* Incentive to arrive early
* Can always trade with someone
* Option for pay to play….(could be fun and a way to raise money for Dialogue, but controversial, maybe offensive to some)

Eileen will send out request for facilitators and notetakers to step forward and choose one of the 3(4) topics