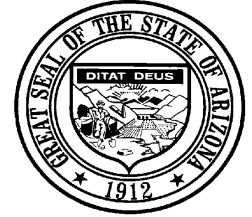


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AGENDA

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given that the next meeting of the **Santa Cruz AMA Groundwater Users Advisory Council** will be held **Virtually on Wednesday, September 10<sup>th</sup> 2025, from 1:00pm – 3:00pm**. The meeting is open to the general public. A copy of the agenda for the meeting is posted below.

Webinar Link: <https://azwater.webex.com/azwater/j.php?MTID=mab9434ed7baf608a56cfed04e19c860d>

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| <p><b>1. Call to Order – Welcome &amp; Introductions</b> –<i>Chair</i></p> <p><b>2. Meeting Logistics</b> –<i>Taylor Pearson, ADWR</i></p> <p><b>3. Water Management Assistance Program Updates</b> –<i>Tommy Thiatmaja, ADWR</i><br/>Tommy will review withdrawal fee rates and money collected in past five years, current projects, and remaining balance.</p> <p><b>4. WMAP Project Proposal Request</b><br/>The Council will hear a project proposal request for WMAP funding. Based upon such discussion, the Council may vote to make a recommendation to the ADWR Director with respect to the proposed action</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">a. University of Arizona’s Arizona Project WET –<i>Lisa Townsend, University of Arizona</i></p> <p><b>5. Groundwater Withdrawal Fee Recommendation</b><br/>The Council will discuss and recommend to ADWR Director groundwater withdrawal fee rates for the reporting year 2026.</p> <p><b>6. Planning and Permitting Deputy Assistant Director Report</b> –<i>Gwen Opel, ADWR</i><br/>Gwen will provide an update on the Arizona Department of Water Resources activities.</p> <p><b>7. Call to the Council</b> –<i>Council</i></p> <p><b>8. Call to the Public</b> –<i>Chair</i></p> <p><b>9. Adjournment</b> – <i>Chair</i></p> | <p>2. For Information</p> <p>3. For Information &amp; Discussion</p> <p>4. For Discussion &amp; Action</p> <p>5. For Discussion &amp; Action</p> <p>6. For Information &amp; Discussion</p> <p>7. For Information &amp; Discussion</p> <p>8. For Information &amp; Discussion</p> |
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- *Agenda and backup/supporting documents may be found on ADWR’s website at <https://new.azwater.gov/ama/guac/meetings>.*
- *Members of the GUAC may appear by telephone.*
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