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MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

ENVIRONMENTAL MITIGATION PROGRAM WORKING GROUP

The Environmental Mitigation Program Working Group may take action on any item appearing on this agenda.

Tuesday, May 13, 2014

1 to 3 p.m.

SANDAG, 7th Floor Conference Room 401 B Street, Suite 800 San Diego, CA 92101

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AGENDA HIGHLIGHTS

 SAN DIEGO FORWARD: THE REGIONAL PLAN: DRAFT CLIMATE CHANGE MITIGATION AND ADAPTATION WHITE PAPER

AD HOC COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATION FOR ALLOCATION OF ANNUAL REGIONAL MANAGEMENT AND MONITORING FUNDING

REGIONAL BIOLOGICAL DATABASES AND DATA LIBRARIES

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ENVIRONMENTAL MITIGATION PROGRAM WORKING GROUP

Tuesday, May 13, 2014

ITEM NO.

1. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS (Vice Chair, Mike Grim, City of Carlsbad)

+2. APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES

Review and approve the meeting minutes of the March 11, 2014, meeting.

3. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS

RECOMMENDATION

Estimated Start Time: 1:00 – 1:05 p.m.

APPROVE

Estimated Start Time: 1:05 – 1:10 p.m.

Estimated Start Time: 1:10 – 1:15 p.m.

Members of the public shall have the opportunity to address the Environmental Mitigation Program Working Group (EMPWG) on any issue within the jurisdiction of SANDAG that is not on this agenda. Anyone desiring to speak shall reserve time by completing a "Request to Speak" form and giving it to the EMPWG coordinator prior to speaking. Public speakers should notify the EMPWG coordinator if they have a handout for distribution to EMPWG members. Public speakers are limited to three minutes or less per person. EMPWG members also may provide information and announcements under this agenda item.

REPORTS

SAN DIEGO FORWARD: THE REGIONAL PLAN: DRAFT CLIMATE +4.CHANGE MITIGATION AND ADAPTATION WHITE PAPER (Allison Wood, SANDAG)

Climate change mitigation and adaptation is one of the key emerging issues for San Diego Forward: The Regional Plan (Regional Plan). Allison Wood, SANDAG, will present the draft white paper, which describes the state's strategy, local governments' and SANDAG roles, and recommendations for inclusion in the Regional Plan.

+5. AD HOC COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATION FOR ALLOCATION OF ANNUAL REGIONAL MANAGEMENT AND MONITORING FUNDING (Susan Wynn, Ad Hoc Chair, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service)

During the March 11, 2014, EMPWG meeting, an Ad Hoc Committee was formed to discuss the allocation for Fiscal Year 2015 funding totaling \$4 million to the activities identified in the Management Strategic Plan. The Ad Hoc Committee met on April 30, 2014, and will present their recommendations to the Working Group.

6. REGIONAL BIOLOGICAL DATABASES AND DATA LIBRARIES (Sharon Coe, SDMMP, and Chris Brown, USGS)

Staff from the San Diego Management and Monitoring Program and the U.S. Geological Survey will be providing a status report on the input, storage, and retrieval of biological management and monitoring data using regional databases that have been developed.

DISCUSSION

Estimated Start Time: 1:15 – 1:40 p.m.

RECOMMENDATION

Estimated Start Time: 1:40 – 2:15 p.m.

INFORMATION/ DISCUSSION

Estimated Start Time: 2:15 - 2:50 p.m.

7. **NEXT MEETING DATE AND ADJOURNMENT**

The next meeting of the EMPWG is scheduled for Tuesday, August 12, 2014, from 1 to 3 p.m.

Estimated Start Time: 2:50 – 3 p.m.

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