

# STATE OF NEW MEXICO WATER QUALITY CONTROL COMMISSION

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#### **CONSTITUENT AGENCIES**

Environment Department
Department of Game and Fish
Department of Agriculture
State Parks Division
Bureau of Geology and Mineral Resources

State Engineer & Interstate Stream Commission EMNRD Oil Conservation Division Department of Health Soil and Water Conservation Commission (At-Large) Public Members

### **MEETING AGENDA**

New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission In-Person and Hybrid Meeting<sup>1</sup> via Cisco WebEx Platform<sup>2</sup> August 12, 2025, 9:00 A.M.

## **Items for WQCC Discussion and Possible Formal Action**

- 1. Roll call of Water Quality Control Commission ("WQCC" or "Commission") Members.
- 2. Approval of August 12, 2025, WQCC Meeting Agenda.
- 3. Approval of July 8, 2025 regular meeting minutes.
- 4. Public Comment.

**NOTE:** "Pursuant to NMSA 1978, Sections 10-15-1 (H)(3) and (7), the Commission may enter closed session to discuss the following pending litigation."

- 5. **APPEAL A-1-CA-42732:** WQCC 23-84 (R): Summary of NMOGA Appeal; Eduardo Ugarte II, Commission Counsel.
- 6. **WQCC 25-34 (R):** *WELC's Motion for Reconsideration of Commission Decision to Grant Request for Hearing.* Tannis Fox, counsel for Western Environmental Law Center.
- 7. WQCC 25-34 (R): Joint Motion from Center for Biological Diversity, New Energy Economy, Western Environmental Law Center, and WildEarth Guardians' for Commission to Comply with Advisory Committee Requirements and to Hold Hearing in Summer 2026. Tannis Fox, counsel for Western Environmental Law Center; Gail Evans and Colin Cox, counsel for The Center for Biological Diversity; Mariel Nanasi, counsel for New Energy Economy; Tim Davis, counsel for WildEarth Guardians.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> New Mexico State Capitol, Room 307, 490 Old Santa Fe Trail, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> To join the meeting via video or telephone see information on next page. If you are having difficulty joining the meeting virtually, please contact WQCC Administrator Pamela Jones (505-660-4305) pamela.jones@env.nm.gov

- 8. **WQCC 25-34 (R):** *Joint Motion to Dispose of the Petition Outright and Exhibits A and B.* Mariel Nanasi, counsel for New Energy Economy; Gail Evans and Colin Cox, counsel for The Center for Biological Diversity; Matthias Sayer, Jennifer Bradfute, counsel for WATR; Tim Davis, counsel for WildEarth Guardians; Tannis Fox, counsel for Western Environmental Law Center; Jeff Wechsler, Kari Olson, Sharon Shaheen, counsel for NMOGA, IPANM, PBPA; Lila Jones, Adam Rankin, Christine Mulcahy, counsel for Oxy, USA, Inc.; Jolene McCaleb, Elizabeth Taylor, counsel for Select Water Solutions; Daniel Tso, Mario Atencio, Nicholas Maxwell, Bruce Wetherbee, Pro Se.
- 9. Next WQCC meeting date and upcoming Commission matters.
- 10. Adjournment.

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