

Arizona NRCS

State Technical Advisory Committee (STAC) VTC Meeting

June 24, 2014 9:00am

VTC Locations:

- NRCS State Office, 230 North First Avenue, Phoenix, AZ
- NRCS Area Office, 2000 East Allen Road, Building 320, Tucson, AZ
 - NRCS Area Office, 1611 South Plaza Way, Flagstaff, AZ
 - Fredonia Field Office, 143 South Main Street, Fredonia, AZ
 - Holbrook Field Office, 51 West Vista Drive, Suite 3 Holbrook, AZ
- Shiprock Field Office, Old Post Office, Highway 491, Shiprock, NM
 - Yuma Field Office, 2197 4th Avenue, Suite 104, Yuma, AZ

Agenda Items

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| 1. Opening Remarks and Introductions | Tatem | 9:00 am |
| 2. Conservation Implementation Strategy (CIS) | Smarik | 9:10am |
| 3. NRCS Program Activities/Update | Kimberlin | 9:30 am |
| a. Program Funding & Contracting Status for FY-14 | | |
| b. Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP) | | |
| 4. Recent Biological Opinions that Impact Arizona
Conservation Partners and NRCS | Tuttle | 10:00am |
| 5. Reducing Groundwater Pumping by employing
Conservation Crop Rotation & Tillage Method | Klump | 10:45am |
| 6. Regional Payment Schedule Progress
For FY-15 Conservation Practices | Kepler | 11:15am |
| 7. Field Office Technical Guide (FOTG) Update | Smarik | 11:45 am |
| 8. Call to the public | Tatem | 12:15 pm |
| 9. Closing Remarks | Tatem | 12:30 pm |