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**NOTICE AND AGENDA OF  
THE REGULAR MEETING AND EXECUTIVE SESSION  
OF THE ARIZONA POWER AUTHORITY  
September 17, 2019 @ 10:00 a.m.**

*Individuals wishing to attend the open portion of this Regular Commission meeting by telephone may call in to (415) 655-0001, and use the Access Code 194 861 693*  
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**AGENDA**

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Arizona Power Authority Commission and to the general public that the Arizona Power Authority will hold a meeting open to the public on September 17, 2019 beginning at 10:00 a.m. at the Arizona Power Authority, 1810 W. Adams St., Phoenix, Arizona. Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A) (1) & (3) the Arizona Power Authority may vote to go into executive session, which will not be open to the public, for the purpose of obtaining legal advice on any matter on the agenda.

Items on this agenda may be discussed out of the order reflected below, unless they have been specifically noted to be set for a time certain. One or more members of the Commission may participate by telephonic, video, or internet communications.

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**CALL TO ORDER**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**COMMISSIONER ROLL CALL**

**CHAIRMAN REQUEST FOR DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST BY ANY COMMISSIONER**

**APA HISTORY ACCOUNT – *Abel Gunn, Senior Accountant***

## **APPROVAL OF DRAFT MINUTES** *(possible action)*

- Regular Session Minutes 08.20.19

**REVIEW OF EXPENDITURES AND FINANCIAL REPORTS AND APPROVAL OF CLAIMS** – *Gary Kern, Financial Administrator* *(possible action)* (A list of expenditures to be presented at the meeting will be available at the Arizona Power Authority 24 hours prior to the meeting.)

**REPORT ON POWER OPERATIONS MATTERS** – *Linda Sullivan & Chris Shoop, Senior Rate Analysts*

- Hoover Dam Issues
- Colorado River Basin Water Report reviewing current & historical precipitation, flow, and storage data

**CUSTOMER SERVICE UPDATE** – *Heather Cole, Executive Secretary to Commission*

## **LEGISLATIVE UPDATE**

- State & Federal Update

**REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR** – *Ed Gerak, Executive Director*

- Industry Update
- Southwest Public Power Firming Purchase
- Technical Review Committee Meeting – September 11-12, 2019
- Colorado River Energy Distributors Association – September 12-13, 2019
- Bureau of Reclamation 10 Year Plan/Response
  - Hoover Dam Old Landfill Update and Responsibility for Cost
  - Customer Consultation Committee
- Pension Retirement Benefits Update
- Update and discussion of other matters and issues affecting the operations of the APA

**BUSINESS ITEMS** – *(The Commission may discuss and take possible action on the matters listed below)*

- Year End 2019 Budget Update *(possible action)*
- Payroll/Auto Deposit – Commissioner Payroll & Expenses
- Navajo National v. Department of Interior Lawsuit
- Firing Range Landfill Mitigation
- Employee & Director Compensation

## **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The Commission may vote to go into Executive Session, which will not be open to the public, to discuss matters pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A) (1) & (3) for the purpose of receiving legal advice regarding:

- Employee & Director Compensation

## **COMMISSIONERS' COMMENTS**

**VISITORS' COMMENT** - Visitors' comments may be limited to no more than five (5) minutes per person and one person per organization

## **ADJOURNMENT**

*For items not specifically identified on the agenda, pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.01(H) Commission action taken as a result of public comment will be limited to directing staff to study a matter, responding to criticism, or scheduling a matter for further consideration and decision at a later date.*