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AQUATIC ECOLOGY SYMPOSIUM

February 17 and 18, 1997

Tempe Mission Palms
60 East Fifth Street
Tempe, Arizona

9:00 a.m. - 5:30p.m. (Monday)
8:00 a.m. - 4:15 p.m. (Tuesday)

Sponsors: Western Water Policy Review Advisory Commission
Arizona State University

AGENDA

Monday, February 17, 1997 9:00a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

The Status of Western Aquatic Ecosystems

9:00-9:15 a.m. **Opening Remarks:** Denise Fort, Chair,
WWPRAC/Dale Pontius, Consultant to WWPRAC

Presenters:

9:15-10:30 a.m. **Watersheds and Geomorphology:** Will Graf,
Regents Professor of Geography, Arizona State University

10:30-11:30 a.m. **Riparian Communities and Wetlands:**
Duncan Patten, Professor, Mountain Research Center, Montana
State University

11:30-1:00 Lunch Break

1:00- 2:00 p.m. **Stream Ecology, Primary Production and
Chemistry:** Nancy Grimm, Associate Research Professor,
Department of Zoology, Arizona State University,

2:00-3:00 p.m. **Stream Ecology, Secondary Production :**
Mary Power, Professor, Department of Integrative Biology,
University of California, Berkeley,

3:00-3:15 p.m. Break

3:15-4:15 p.m. **Vertebrates:** James Deacon, Chair,
Department of Environmental Studies, University of Nevada,
Las Vegas,

4:15-5:30 p.m. **Synthesis Panel**

Tuesday, February 18, 1997 8:00a.m. - 4:30p.m.

Role of Federal Agencies in Protecting Aquatic Ecosystems

8:00 - 8:30 a.m. **Bureau of Reclamation:** Robert Johnson,
Regional Director, Lower Colorado Regional Office

8:30 - 9:00 a.m. **U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service:** Ralph
Morgenweck, Regional Director, Region 6

9:00-9:30 a.m. **U.S. Forest Service:** Dr. Jim Sedell, Program
Manager, Pacific Northwest Research Station

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9:30-9:45 a.m. - Break

9:45-10:15 a.m. **National Resource Conservation Service:**
Warren Lee, Director, Watersheds & Wetlands Program

10:15-10:45 a.m. **Environmental Protection Agency:** John
Meagher, Director, Wetlands Division of the Office of
Wetlands, Oceans, & Wetlands

10:45-11:15 a.m. **Bureau of Land Management:** Jesse Juan,
Area Manager, Tucson Resource Area

11:15-1:00 p.m. **Lunch.** Speaker: Dan Beard, Director,
Washington Office, National Audubon Society; former
Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation

1-1:30 p.m. **National Marine Fisheries Service:** Will Stelle,
Northwest Regional Director

1:30-2:00 p.m. **Corps of Engineers:** Michael Davis, Deputy
Assistant Secretary, Civil Works

2:00-2:15 p.m. Break

Role of State Agencies in Protecting Aquatic Ecosystems

2:15 - 2:45 p.m. **California:** Michael Mantell, Deputy
Secretary, Department of Natural Resources

2:45 - 3:15 p.m. **Alaska:** Christopher Estes, Instream Flow
Coordinator, Alaska Game & Fish Department

3:15 - 3:45 p.m. **New Mexico:** Alleta Belin, Assistant
Attorney General, State of New Mexico

3:45 - 4:15 p.m. **Arizona:** Duane Shroufe, Director, Arizona
Game & Fish Department

4:30 - 6:00 p.m. **Commission Meeting (Open to the public)**

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