

Northern Nevada Water Planning Commission

STAFF REPORT

DATE: August 31, 2016

TO: Chairman and Members, Northern Nevada Water Planning Commission
("NNWPC")

FROM: Jim Smitherman, NNWPC Water Resources Program Manager

SUBJECT: Presentation of final draft chapters incorporating comments received to date on the following topics for inclusion in the 2016 Regional Water Management Plan ("RWMP") update: Regional Planning Policies and Criteria; Water Resources; Flood Management and Storm Water Drainage; Water Conservation; Costs and Financing; discussion and possible direction to staff.

SUMMARY

The five RWMP 2016 update chapters listed below are available in final draft form (i.e. without redline edits) at the following website <http://www.wrwc.us/draft.html>. The chapters , incorporate comments received to date along with draft graphics. Staff anticipates that the content, general organization and informational flow will not change significantly from the present state of the chapters. However, final review for spelling, grammar, consistent use of terminology, acronyms, references, section numbers, figure numbers and other non-substantive matters has not yet been completed.

- Chapter 1 - Regional Planning Policies and Criteria;
- Chapter 2 - Water Resources;
- Chapter 5 - Flood Management and Storm Water Drainage;
- Chapter 7 - Water Conservation;
- Chapter 8 - Costs and Financing (including two appendices)

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the NNWPC accept the final draft chapters for inclusion the draft RWMP 2016 update, pending final editorial review, and provide direction to staff as appropriate.

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