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San Juan Basin Regional Steering Committee Meeting Scheduled To Help Update Regional Water Plan *Public invited to comment on Draft Plan through April 1, 2016*

Santa Fe – The New Mexico Interstate Stream Commission (ISC) is currently working with all of New Mexico’s 16 water planning regions to finalize regional water plan updates by the fall of 2016. This process includes having three ISC-facilitated regional steering committee meetings in each region, all of which are open to the public.

Each regional steering committee is composed of a representative group of water users who work together to identify and determine strategies to address the region’s unique future water needs, support effective local water resource management, and reconcile gaps between supply and demand. The steering committees also compile information about projects, programs, and policies to be implemented in each region.

Regional steering committee meetings are open to the public and all are encouraged to attend. Opportunities for the public to make comments on the draft regional water plan updates will be coordinated through local steering committees.

The San Juan Basin Regional Water Planning Steering Committee will be accepting public comments on the Draft Regional Water Plan until April 1, 2016. Please address your comments to Regional Water Planning Steering Committee c/o San Juan Water Commission, 7450 E. Main Street, Farmington, NM 87402, or e-mail comments to sjwcoffice@sjwc.org

The next regional steering committee meeting will be held in the San Juan Water Commission conference room on Wednesday, April 6, 2016 from 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. Locations, dates and times of all regional steering committee meetings are posted on the Interstate Stream Commission’s website and are subject to change: www.ose.state.nm.us

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