



Eastern Idaho Water Rights Coalition

Special Forum

Waterfront Event Center at Snake River Landing

1220 Event Center Drive, Idaho Falls, ID 83402

December 8, 10:00 AM

Agenda

Drought Resiliency: Beneficial Use and Conservation

Welcome: Roger Warner: How we got to the current situation, need to plan for long-term decline in water supply.

Moderator: Marc Carroll, Mayor of Blackfoot

Panel Discussion: 10 to 15 minutes each – questions and discussion at end.

- **Alan Jackson**, Bingham Groundwater District: Using Conjunctive Management as a Tool to Build Drought Resiliency and How 21st Century Controls Can Save Water: Delivery and On-Farm.
- **Dan Davidson**, Manager Minidoka Irrigation District: Perspective of the Surface Water Coalition
- **Gary Spackman**, Director Idaho Department of Water Resources: IDWR perspective.
- **Jerry Rigby**: Balancing Prior Appropriation with Beneficial Use, Conservation, and Common Sense – a Legal Perspective.
- **Brian Olmstead**: Perspective from the Idaho Water Resource Board.
- **Angie Slaughter**, Vice President, Agriculture, Sustainability, Procurement, Anheuser-Busch: Why Ag Businesses Need Certainty in Planning.

Questions:

Wrap up: Mayor Carroll

A short business meeting for Coalition members will follow.