

Wednesday, December 15

Registration 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

8:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. **New Hoover Dam Bypass Bridge & Lake Mead Intake No. 3 Preview Tour** (Tour full, reserved guests only)

9:00 a.m. **Program Committee** – Consul Boardroom

9:00 a.m. **Membership Committee** – Genoa

9:00 a.m. **Nominations Committee** – Livorno

9:00 a.m. **Public Affairs Committee** – Senate Boardroom

9:00 a.m. **Resolutions Committee** – Anzio

9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. **Upper Colorado River Commission**
– Messina

10:00 a.m. **Audit Committee** – Modena

10:30 a.m. **Budget Committee** – Modena

11:00 a.m. **Committee Chairs Meeting** – Siena

11:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. **Board of Trustees Lunch and Meeting**
– Florentine I-II

2:00 – 6:00 p.m. **Exhibit Hall Open** – Palace I-II

Continued on reverse: Afternoon Engineering and Legal Colloquiums

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2:30 – 5:00 p.m. Engineering Colloquium – Roman IV

Engineering Adaptations to Increasing Water Scarcity

Moderator: Marc Jensen, Director of Engineering,
Southern Nevada Water Authority

Navajo Power Generating Station Intakes Lowering

David Jurich, P.E., Manager, Hatch Mott MacDonald

All American Canal Warren Brock (Drop 2) Reservoir

David Palumbo, Regional Engineer, U.S. Bureau of
Reclamation – Lower Colorado Region

Animas-La Plata Project

Rick Ehat, Project Engineer, U.S. Bureau of
Reclamation – Four Corners Construction Office

Lake Mead Intake No. 3

Marc Jensen

California Bay Delta Conveyance Plan

Roger Patterson, Assistant General Manager – Strategic
Water Initiatives, Metropolitan Water District of Southern
California

3:00 – 5:00 p.m. Legal Colloquium – Florentine III-IV

**Reclamation's Latest Update of "The Hoover Dam
Documents"**

Katherine Verburg, Field Solicitor, U.S. Bureau of
Reclamation

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Registration 6:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

- 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.** **Exhibit Hall Open** – Palace I-II
- 7:30 a.m.** **State Breakfasts**
Arizona State Caucus – Florentine III-IV
California State Caucus – Florentine I-II
Colorado State Caucus – Capri
Nevada State Caucus – Pompeian III-IV
New Mexico State Caucus – Genoa
Ten Tribes Partnership – Livorno
Utah State Caucus – Pompeian I-II
Wyoming State Caucus – Anzio
- 9:00 a.m.** **Welcome and Business Meeting** – Palace III
John A. Zebre, CRWUA President
- 9:15 a.m.** **Video Presentation: Managing a River of Issues**
- 9:30 a.m.** **U.S. Bureau of Reclamation Remarks** – Palace III
Michael Connor, Commissioner, U.S. Bureau of Reclamation
- 9:45 – 10:15 a.m.** **Through the Lens: Images of Hoover Dam and the Bypass Bridge** – Palace III

Michael Green, Professor of History, College of Southern Nevada, providing narration for historical photographs by Cliff Segerblom

Jamey Stillings, Photographer, Bypass Bridge at Hoover Dam
- 10:15 a.m.** **Break, Prize Drawing at beginning of 10:30 a.m. session**

Continued on reverse

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- 10:30 a.m. – Noon** **Black Fuel in a Green World: Coal Power in the Future**
– Palace III
Moderator: William R. Gray, Chief Operating Officer, Arizona School of Real Estate and Business – Scottsdale
Richard Walje, President, Rocky Mountain Power
Thomas Acker, Professor, Northern Arizona University
David Modeer, General Manager, Central Arizona Project
Arvin Trujillo, Government Relations Manager, Arizona Public Service Company – Fossil Fuel Administration
- Noon – 1:45 p.m.** **Lunch and Baxter Black Show – Augustus III**
Music provided by the James Kilpatrick Quartet
Prize Drawing at beginning of 2:00 p.m. session
- 2:00 – 3:30 p.m.** **Law and Disorder: Water Law on the Colorado**
– Palace III
Moderator: Chris Treese, External Affairs Manager, Colorado River Water Conservation District
Douglas Kenney, Senior Research Associate, University of Colorado – Natural Resources Law Center
Rebuttals and Concurrences:
George Arthur, Chair, Resources Committee of the Navajo Nation Council
John Entsminger, Assistant General Manager for Strategic Initiatives, Southern Nevada Water Authority
Felicity Hannay, U.S. Commissioner, Upper Colorado River Commission
Taylor Hawes, Colorado River Program Director, The Nature Conservancy
- 3:30 p.m.** **Break, Prize Drawing at beginning of 3:45 p.m. session**
- 3:45 – 4:45 p.m.** **Dust Busting: Dirt Layer Accelerates Snowmelt in the Rockies** – Palace III
Moderator: Chris Finlinson, Government Affairs Director, Central Utah Water Conservancy District
Brad Udall, Director, Western Water Assessment
Thomas H. Painter, Scientist IV, Jet Propulsion Laboratory – Caltech
Jayne Belnap, Research Ecologist, U.S. Geological Survey
- 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.** **Percolation and Runoff** – Palace III

Friday, December 17

- 7:00 – 9:30 a.m.** **Exhibit Hall Open** – Palace I-II
Continental breakfast available 7:00 – 9:00 a.m.
- 8:00 – 8:45 a.m.** **Take No Prisoners: Beating Back Invading Species**
– Palace III
Leonard Willet, Environmental Compliance
Monitor, U.S. Bureau of Reclamation –
Hoover Dam
- 8:45 a.m.** **Break**
- 9:00 – 9:45 a.m.** **U.S. Bureau of Reclamation Roundtable
Discussion** – Palace III

Michael Connor, Commissioner, U.S. Bureau
of Reclamation

Lorri Gray-Lee, Lower Colorado River Regional
Director, U.S. Bureau of Reclamation

Larry Walkoviak, Upper Colorado River Regional
Director, U.S. Bureau of Reclamation
- 9:45 – 10:30 a.m.** **Secretary of the Interior Keynote Address**
– Palace III
Ken Salazar, Secretary, U.S. Department
of the Interior
- 10:30 a.m.** **Prize Drawing and Adjournment**

Spouse and Guest Activities

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No scheduled activities

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8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast and Prize Drawing – Emperors I

9:00-11:00 a.m. Spice Up Your Holidays

Misty Kirby and Julie Lemmon have been in the catering and party planning business for six years. They have a passion for entertaining whether it be showers, weddings or family get-togethers. They show you how a little creativity and attention to detail can turn a mundane event into a memorable, even “magical” moment.

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8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast – Emperors I

Additional suggestions for your independent activities include:

Shopping

Town Square* (south Strip)

Fashion Show Mall* (central Strip)

Las Vegas Premium Outlets (downtown)

*Numerous dining options also at these locations

Culture/Sightseeing

Springs Preserve (Valley View Boulevard and U.S. 95, springspreserve.org)

CityCenter Fine Art Collection (3730 S. Las Vegas Blvd.)

Conservatory and Fountains at the Bellagio (adjacent to Caesars Palace)

Red Rock National Conservation Area (west of Charleston Boulevard and I-215 interchange)