

## A G E N D A

Upper Republican River Water Users  
Stakeholder Meeting  
October 2, 2018  
09:30 AM Central Time  
Cheyenne County Fairgrounds  
St Francis, Kansas

1. Introductions and meeting overview (go around the room, preview meeting (10 min))
2. Brief history of the Republican River Compact issues in the Upper Republican River region. (15 min)
  - a. Compact requirements and performance since 2002
  - b. Colorado's augmentation project
  - c. Why Bonny Reservoir was drained in 2012
3. Change in interstate relationship (10 min)
  - a. Kansas-Colorado 2016 long-term agreement on compact requirements
    - i. Retiring acres in SF, new CREP deal in Colorado 28 August
    - ii. Plan for Bonny (Covered in more detail later)
  - b. Kansas-Colorado recent (August 2018) settlement on past use of the Republican River (15 min)
    - i. Colorado comments on the settlement and plans to invest in the region
    - ii. Kansas comments on the settlement
4. Where should we go from here?
  - a. Background on Bonny Reservoir and Kansas South Fork Use (10 min)
    - i. Keep water in reservoir or release?
    - ii. What are the implications under the compact and to the system?
  - b. Background on use of settlement funds in Upper Republican (10 min)
    - i. What Kansas statute says is permissible
    - ii. What is happening in Lower Republican with NE funds
    - iii. Brief review of 2010 report on options
  - c. Break into groups to discuss (35 min)
    - i. What should the states try to accomplish regarding Bonny?
    - ii. What should be considered when deciding how to invest? Water rights, conservation, efficiency, economic development. What else?
5. Next steps (5 min)
  - a. Recap what the state will be working on
  - b. When and how will stakeholders hear from the state next?