

**Bureau of Land Management  
California Desert District Advisory Council Meeting Agenda**

**Saturday, March 15, 2014  
Hilton Palm Springs  
400 E. Tahquitz Canyon Way  
Palm Springs, CA 92262**

**FOCUS TOPIC – Desert Renewable Energy Conservation Plan (DRECP) – Public Participation**

8:00 a.m.	Welcome/Pledge of Allegiance, introductions, approval of December 2013 meeting transcript, review of agenda and procedures for public comment*	Randy Banis, Chair
8:15 a.m.	State Director / CDD District Manager report	Teri Raml CDD District Manager
8:30 a.m.	<b>Advisory Council member reports</b> and Chair close-outs from previous meeting(s) -- Working Landscapes: mining / grazing	Council
9:15 a.m.	Public comment on items not on agenda, including requests for DAC to consider items for future agendas	Chair
9:30 a.m.	<b>Connecting People to the Desert Subgroup announcement</b> (approval of subgroup/concept, designation of chair, concurrence by DFO, first mtg, and assignments)	Chair
10:30 a.m.	<b>Morning Break</b>	
10:45 a.m.	<b>Focus Topic: Mechanics of the DRECP Public Process</b>	Mike Sintetos CASO
11:30 a.m.	DAC discussion on DRECP public process	Chair
12:00 p.m.	<b>LUNCH</b>	
1:30 p.m.	<b>Focus Topic Briefing: DRECP Web Tool Demonstration</b>	James Strittholt,PH.D Conservation Biology Institute
2:00 p.m.	DAC discussion on DRECP web tool	Chair

2:30 p.m.	Public questions / comments on DRECP – Public Participation	Chair
2:50 p.m.	<b>Afternoon Break</b>	
3:00 p.m.	Report from Dumont Dunes subgroup	TBA
3:10 p.m.	Report from SRP Subgroup	TBA
3:20 p.m.	Report from ISDRA Subgroup	TBA
3:30 p.m.	Council questions / comments on SO/DM/FO/subgroup reports	Chair
4: 00 p.m.	Public questions / comments on SO/DM/FO/subgroup reports	Chair
4:20 p.m.	Wrap-up and summary, including discussion of theme and agenda topics for next meeting	Chair
4:30 p.m.	<b>Adjournment</b>	

**\*Rules of Engagement (Procedures for Public Comment)**

- Speaker cards will be available to ensure an orderly process for individuals who wish to make public comment on that agenda item and must be submitted prior to the start of comment period
- Public comments per individual per agenda item limited to three minutes or less, depending on number of speakers and time available
- Public may bring up items not on agenda at 9:15 a.m., including requests for DAC to consider adding a particular item to a future agenda
- Public comment will be allowed before the DAC takes action on an item (noted on agenda in **bold**)