

International Boundary and Water Commission United States Section

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USIBWC Lower Rio Grande Citizens Forum Public Meeting on December 5

The U.S. Section of the International Boundary and Water Commission (USIBWC) Lower Rio Grande Citizens Forum board will host an in-person and virtual public meeting on **Thursday**, **December 5**, **2024**, **from 3-5pm CST**.

Delbert Humberson, Hydrologist, USIBWC Water Accounting Division, will present updates on Rio San Juan discussions with Mexico and the recent signing of Minute 331, "Measures to Improve the Reliability and Predictability of Rio Grande Water Deliveries to Benefit the United States and Mexico."

Ignacio Farias, **Biologist**, **EGC**|**AGEISS**, will provide an update on the Arroyo Colorado vegetation management project.

The public meeting will be held in person at:

USIBWC Mercedes Field Office 325 Golf Course Road Mercedes, TX 78570

The public meeting will also be held virtually. <u>Click here to join the meeting</u>. If possible, it may be helpful for you to test connectivity on your own prior to the meeting by clicking on the "Join" link and ensuring your camera and microphone are functioning. Or join by phone: Call-in number +1 915-320-4718,,830887077# Phone conference ID: 761 741 972#

For those connecting via phone, the presentations will be available before the start of the meeting. Go to the USIBWC Citizens Forum page at https://bit.ly/4fYv3XA and look for the links for the Lower Rio Grande Citizen Forum meeting.

If you would like to speak during the public comment period, please sign up ahead of time by contacting Frankie Pinon at frankie.pinon@ibwc.gov or 915-832-4716 by noon on November 29, 2024.

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LOWER RIO GRANDE CITIZENS FORUM Thursday, December 5, 2024, from 3-5pm CST

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Agenda

- Welcome and Introductions USIBWC Citizen Forum Board
- USIBWC, Delbert Humberson, Hydrologist Updates to Rio San Juan discussions and Minute 331 signing.
- EGC|AGEISS, Ignacio Farias, Biologist Updates to plot monitoring for the Arroyo Colorado vegetation management project.
- Public Comment
- Board Discussion
- Suggested Future Agenda Items

If you have a disability that you wish to self-identify confidentially that requires accommodation, please advise us ahead of time. For more information call 915-832-4716 or email frankie.pinon@ibwc.gov

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