



THE FUTURE OF WATER IN THE PASO DEL NORTE REGION
Urban/Industrial Stakeholder Meeting

December 1, 2015

El Paso Natural Gas Conference Center, UTEP Campus

AGENDA

- 09:30 a.m.** Registration and Coffee
- 10:00 a.m.** Welcome and Opening Remarks – Ana Rodriguez, Program Manager, Hunt Institute for Global Competitiveness
- 10:10 a.m.** Introductions
- 10:20 a.m.** Overview of the USDA-funded Project: *“Sustainable water resources for irrigated agriculture in a desert river basin facing climate change and competing demands: From characterization to solutions”* – Dr. Joe Heyman, Co-Leader & Director, Center for Inter-American and Border Studies, UTEP
- 10:40 a.m.** Discussion of the Future of Water – Dr. Bill Hargrove, Facilitator
1. Do you see water supply and demand impacting your business/institution/utility in the future, and if so how?
 2. Do you see water supply and demand impacting the region’s potential for economic development and its global competitiveness in the future, and if so how?
 3. What questions would you like to ask about the future of water?
 4. What future scenarios would you like to explore, both for water supply and water demand?
 5. What issues or processes are important to consider in our modelling research?
 6. To help you think about (visualize) the future of water, what information (data, model predictions/output) would you want to know?
 7. How would you like to see this information presented (maps, numbers, narrative, etc.)?
 8. What time horizon concerns you?
- 12:00 p.m.** Lunch
- 01:00 p.m.** Adjourn

Contact Information for Project Leaders:

Dr. Bill Hargrove: wlhargrove@utep.edu
Dr. Joe Heyman: jmheyman@utep.edu
Ana Rodriguez: arodriguez132@utep.edu