

Arizona Resource Advisory Council

PURPOSE: To: (1) act as an advisory body regarding the planning and management of federal land resources in this State except for rangeland resources; (2) develop recommendations for (a) the United States Bureau of Land management and any other federal land management agency, as determined by the Council, regarding land use planning, classification and retention and the management and disposal of federal lands within this State except for rangeland resources, and (b) any other matter on request of the Governor, President of the Senate, Speaker of the House of Representatives or State Land Commissioner; and (3) submit an annual report of its findings and recommendations to the Governor, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives on or before December 31 and provide a copy of this report to the Secretary of State.

MEMBERSHIP:

Other One person who either represents dispersed recreational activity interests, archaeological or historical interests, or a nationally or regionally recognized wild horse and burro interest group, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Mr. Stephen Clark, Arizona Elk Society

One person who either represents interests associated with transportation or rights-of-way, the commercial timber industry, or the mineral or energy development industry, appointed by the President of the Senate:

Mr. Steve Trussell, Executive Director, Arizona Rock Products

One person who holds a state, county or local elected office, appointed by the President of the Senate:

Ms. Emilena Turley, Queen Creek Town Council

Notes: The Council shall elect a Chair and Vice-Chair from among its members. The Council shall elect a new Chair and Vice-Chair each calendar year. The initial Council members shall assign themselves by lot to terms of one, two and three years in office. All subsequent members serve three-year terms. The Chair shall notify the appointing authority on appointment of these terms.

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