

State Emergency Council

PURPOSE: To monitor emergencies declared by the Governor; to make recommendations to the Governor; and to declare emergencies when the Governor is unavailable.

MEMBERSHIP:

House The Speaker of the House of Representatives or the Speaker's designee, as an advisory member:

Ben Toma

Senate The President of the Senate or the President's designee, as an advisory member:

Warren Petersen

Other The Director of the Department of Agriculture or the Director's designee:

Mr. Paul Brierley, Director, Arizona Department of Agriculture

The Director of Water Resources or the Director's designee:

Mr. Thomas Buschatzke, Director, Department of Water Resources

The Director of the Division of Emergency Management or the Director's designee:

Mr. Allen Clark, Arizona Division of Emergency Management

The Director of the Department of Health Services or the Director's designee:

Ms. Jennie Cunico, Acting Director, Arizona Department of Health Services

The Secretary of State or the Secretary of State's designee:

Mr. Adrian Fontes, Secretary of State

The Director of the Department of Public Safety or the Director's designee:

Col. Jeffrey Glover, Director, Department of Public Safety

The Governor or the Governor's designee:

Ms. Kathleen Hobbs, Governor of Arizona

The Attorney General or the Attorney General's designee:

Ms. Chris Mayes, Attorney General, Attorney General's Office

The Adjutant General or the Adjutant General's designee:

Major General Kerry Muehlenbeck, Arizona Department of Emergency and Military Affairs

The Director of Environmental Quality or the Director's designee:

Ms. Karen Peters, Director, Arizona Department of Environmental Quality

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The Director of the Arizona Department of Administration or the Director's designee:

Ms. Elizabeth Thorson, Director, Department of Administration

The Director of the Arizona Department of Transportation or the Director's designee:

Ms. Jennifer Toth, Director, Department of Transportation

CONTACT: Zach Dean, Senate Research Staff; Justin Larson, House Research Staff

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