

Biosolids Study Committee

PURPOSE: To review the use of biosolids for agricultural and other uses in this State, including on state trust lands, and shall evaluate the policy of accepting biosolids from other states. On or before December 31, 2028, the Committee shall submit a report of its findings and recommendations for rule changes or legislative changes that the Committee determines necessary to the Governor, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House and shall provide a copy of this report to the Secretary of State.

MEMBERSHIP:

House The Chairperson of the House of Representatives Natural Resources, Energy and Water Committee, or the Chairperson's designee:
Gail Griffin

Senate The Chairperson of the Senate Natural Resources Committee or the Chairperson's designee:
Thomas "T.J." Shope

Other The Chairperson of the Yuma County Board of Supervisors or the Chairperson's designee:
Ms. Lynne Pancrazi

The Director of the Arizona Department of Agriculture or the Director's designee:
Mr. Paul Brierly, Director, Arizona Department of Agriculture

The Director of the Department of Environmental Quality or the Director's designee:
Ms. Karen Peters, Director, Arizona Department of Environmental Quality

The State Land Commissioner or the Commissioner's designee:
Ms. Robyn Sahid, Commissioner, Arizona State Land Department

Notes: The Committee may hold hearings, conduct fact-finding tours, request data from any political subdivision of this State and take testimony from witnesses who may assist in fulfilling the Committee's responsibilities. All hearings shall be open to the public. The Legislature, the State Land Department, the Department of Environmental Quality and the Arizona Department of Agriculture shall provide meeting space, staff and support services to the Committee.

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REPORT DATE: 12/31/2028

EXPIRATION DATE: 06/30/2029

STATUTORY CITE: Laws 2026, Chapter 224