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AGENDA

DELAWARE RIVER BASIN FLOOD MITIGATION TASK FORCE ORGANIZATION/STEERING MEETING

Wednesday, October 25, 2006, 10:00 AM DRBC – Goddard Room

Purpose:

At the direction of the governors of the four basin states, the DRBC Commissioners at their September 27, 2006 meeting directed commission staff to convene an interstate Flood Mitigation Task Force. Although each basin state is working individually to address and mitigate flooding, it is believed that a comprehensive long-term flood loss reduction and flood mitigation strategy needs to be developed through a coordinated watershed approach.

The Commissioners set an ambitious schedule to develop a preliminary action plan including recommended measures for coordinated basin-wide flood mitigation and flood loss reduction due by the close of 2006.

Topics proposed for discussion are as follows:

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- 10:15 Overview of Agenda and Meeting Packet
- 10:30 State Perspectives and Expectations
- 10:45 Inventory Ongoing Initiatives
- 11:00 Review Report Focus Areas
 - Flood Water Management vs. Flood Plain Management
- 11:30 Flood Mitigation Guiding Principles
- 12:00 Lunch Break
- 1:00 Comments on Morning Session
- 1:15 Discuss Draft Plan Architecture
- 1:30 Discuss/React to Straw Recommendations by Task Force Support Staff
- 2:30 Review Critical Path Schedule and Anticipated Next Steps