



ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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Chairman Establishes Commission Committees

(Phoenix) The Arizona Corporation Commission adopted a resolution which allows the Chairman to establish Committees of the Corporation Commission to examine policy issues in depth and make recommendations to the entire Commission. Commissioners will serve as chairs of the committees and will include Staff and stakeholders to discuss recommendations and solutions to often complex issues.

“I’m pleased to announce that three Committees have already been created,” said Chairman Tom Forese. “These Committees will provide an opportunity for a ‘deep dive’ into issues that come before the Commission and will offer a more complete perspective as to how we can best serve the residents of Arizona.”

The three new Committees are the Committee on Water in which Commissioner Andy Tobin will serve as its Chairman, the Committee on Ethics and the Committee on Federal Affairs both which Boyd Dunn will lead as Chairman.

“Commissioner Tobin is a formidable leader in water issues and the Committee on Water is an obvious fit for him,” said Chairman Tom Forese. “Commissioner Dunn’s history in public service and with it a legacy of commitment to sound legal and ethical principles will be assets to the Committees he will be leading.”

“This will allow us to focus on the areas where we have specific interests or expertise,” said Commissioner Boyd Dunn. “The Committees will help the Commission be better informed and more efficient in the decision making process.”

More Committees will be formed on various issues. The Chairman docketed a letter regarding the vote. It can be viewed at www.azcc.gov eDocket number ACC-00000B-17-0062.

Established by Article 15 of the state’s constitution, the Arizona Corporation Commission is responsible for the regulation of public utilities, overseeing the incorporation or registration of companies wishing to do business in Arizona. Additionally, the Corporation Commission registers and oversees securities offerings and dealers, and enforces railroad and pipeline safety. The five commissioners that make up the Commission are elected by the people of Arizona for a four-year term, with the option of serving for two consecutive terms. To learn more about the Arizona Corporation Commission and the Commissioners, please check out <http://www.azcc.gov/Divisions/Administration/about.asp>

