

**SUMMARY MINUTES**  
**OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COTTONWOOD CITY COUNCIL HELD JUNE 18, 2013, AT 4:00 P.M., AT THE COTTONWOOD COUNCIL CHAMBERS LOCATED AT 862 NORTH MAIN STREET, COTTONWOOD, ARIZONA.**

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This summary is a statement of action taken by the Cottonwood City Council at a Special Meeting pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02(D.), and is being provided as required by A.R.S. § 38-431.01(D.).

**Council Members Present:** Mayor Diane Joens, Vice Mayor Karen Pfeifer, Council Members Jesse Dowling, Tim Elinski, Linda Norman and Terence Pratt.

Council Members Absent: Council Member Ruben Jauregui

PRESENTATION BY REPRESENTATIVES OF THE UNITED STATES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY (USGS) ARIZONA WATER SCIENCE CENTER, REGARDING THE RESULTS OF THE NORTHERN ARIZONA REGIONAL GROUND WATER FLOW MODEL SCENARIO RUNS FOR THE VERDE VALLEY

Representatives from the USGS presented the ground water flow model they completed which outlines the effects of past and future groundwater development on the hydrological system of the Verde Valley. The conclusion of the model is that as of 2005, human stresses were found to have decreased the base-flow component of stream flow in the Verde River. The model can be found on the USGS' website: [usgs.gov](http://usgs.gov).

ADJOURNMENT

The special meeting adjourned at 5:35 p.m.