Introduction to
ADEQ Community Liaisons and Resources

RV/Mobile Home Park Webinar
November 30, 2021
Role of ADEQ Community Liaisons

- Six liaisons throughout the state
- Coordinate with ADEQ program staff to answer specific questions or resolve problems
- Provide permitting assistance
- Provide customer service as requested to the regulated community, the public, citizen groups, districts and local governments
- Assist the public and regulated community on ADEQ-related issues
Introductions

Community Liaisons

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To better assist the public and regulated community, ADEQ created six Community Liaison regions in Arizona:

Apache, Navajo and Gila Counties
Mannie Bowler
928-301-0018
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Cochise, Graham, Greenlee and Santa Cruz Counties
Melissa Hayes
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Coconino and Yavapai Counties
Morgan O'Connor
928-201-1700
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Maricopa County
Leonard Drago
602-771-2288
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Mohave, La Paz and Yuma Counties
Jaime Hernandez
928-920-6572
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Pinal and Pima Counties
Roxanne Linesley
520-628-6716
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Which Community Liaison region are you in? | View Regions Map >

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Community Liaison Unit

West – Yuma, La Paz and Mohave Counties
Expertise/talents: A mixed experience in managing manufacturing lines and special district air quality programs. Expertise in New Source Review and well versed in rule development.

Jaime Hernandez

Ombudsman – Maricopa County
Expertise/talents: Administers ADEQ’s Voluntary Environmental Stewardship Program, serves as Maricopa County Liaison, and, as ombudsman, helps citizens resolve ongoing issues with the agency.

Len Drago

Northwest – Coconino and Yavapai Counties
Expertise/talents: 40 hour HAZWOPER, 8 hour DOT Hazardous Materials Transportation, 8 hour RCRA Hazardous Waste Generator

Morgan O’Connor

Northeast – Apache, Gila and Navajo Counties
See expertise/talents above

Mannie Bowler

Southeast – Cochise, Graham, Greenlee and Santa Cruz Counties
Expertise/talents: Skilled in collaboration with multiple entities, document editing, event logistics planning, familiarity with various funding entities, extensive experience fostering positive relationships between ADEQ and other government representatives.

Melissa Hayes

Legislative Analyst – Pima and Pinal Counties
Expertise/talents: Customer service, compliance processes, legislative processes and research, air quality planning, and data analysis. Building and maintaining relationships and connections between ADEQ and local governments and customers.

Roxanne Linesley
Recent Assistance

**Mobile Home Park**

- Brought to ADEQ’s attention through a complaint

- Issues with septic system and drinking water

- Pulled together multiple parties to problem solve short- and long-term solutions, with same goal to solve the issue.

- **Resolution**: Owner installed new septic system until municipality can work with funding organization and residents to hook up area to municipal sewer. Drinking Water services reestablished.
Rural Water Infrastructure Committee (RWIC)  
www.rwic.net

- Partnership of various federal and state agencies who provide loans, grants and technical assistance for water and wastewater infrastructure to Arizona’s rural communities.

- Funding and Technical Assistance Resource Matrix

- Project Information Form

- Community Liaisons can help you get in touch with RWIC.
Thank you!

Questions?

ADEQ Community Liaison Contact Information:
http://www.azdeq.gov/node/1194

Map of ADEQ Community Liaison Coverage Areas:
https://adeq.maps.arcgis.com/apps/MapJournal/index.htm
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