

Community Meeting : Upper Verde Outstanding Arizona Water Nomination

DATE: Thursday, November 19, 2025

TIME: 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Paulden Community Center 24050 N. Marblehead Ave., Paulden, AZ 86334

This meeting is open to the community and all ages.

Meeting Purpose:

To provide information on the nomination for Outstanding Arizona Water (OAW) for the Upper Verde River and give community members the opportunity to ask questions.

AGENDA

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| 1. Welcome and Housekeeping | Daren Sweet , ADEQ Community Engagement Facilitator |
| 2. Nomination of the Upper Verde River as an Outstanding Arizona Water | Katie Anderson , ADEQ Project Manager |
| 3. ADEQ Community Science Alliance Program | Meghan Smart , ADEQ Principal Scientist - Community Science & Education Coordinator |
| 4. Closing Remarks | Daren Sweet |
| 5. Open House | Agency representatives |

Follow-Up Questions? Contact Katie Anderson | email: waterqualitystandards@azdeq.gov | phone: 602-771-0204

Website links: <https://azdeq.gov/OAW> and <https://azdeq.gov/rulemaking/upper-verde-oaw>

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