

Lower Colorado River RC&D Area, Inc.

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SPONSORS:

NRCD Sponsors: Wellton-Mohawk Valley Yuma Laguna

Parker Big Sandy

Counties:

LaPaz County Yuma County Mohave County

<u>Tribal Nations:</u> Colorado River Indian Tribe

Cities and Towns:
City of Bullhead City
City of Kingman
Town of Quartzsite
Town of Parker
Town of Wellton
City of Yuma
City of San Luis

Town of Wellton

<u>Irrigation Districts:</u> Yuma County Water Users

<u>Qualifying Non-Profits:</u> Yuma Crossing Heritage Area

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

President - Matthew Spriggs Vice President - Herman York Secretary - Christine Ballard Treasurer - Nancy Ngai Rep. at Large -

Rep. at Large – Sheryl Christenson Rep. at Large –



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Jerry Zimmerman, Chair LCR MSCP Implementation Steering Committee Colorado River Board of California 770 Fairmont Avenue, Suite 100 Glendale, CA 91203-1035

Dear Mr. Zimmerman and Steering Committee Members.

We are writing to expr ess our interest in and formally apply for membership wit hin the Implementation Steering Committee (Committee) of the Lower Colorado River MSCP (MSCP). The Lo wer Colorado River Resource Conservation & Development Council (RC&D) is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization dedicated to fostering resource conservation in the lower Colorado River Reg ion. The RC&D works in voluntary partnership wit h local governments, irrigation districts, and non-pr ofit organizations and is in part supported by the USDA Natural Resource Conservation Service. The health and quality of the lower Colorado River and its restoration through the MSCP is vitally important to the RC&D.

Under section 7.3.1 of the Financial and Management Agreement (FMA) of the MSCP, our organization would be a member under 7.3.2.F Conservation Participant Group.

The point of contact for our organization would be Matthew Spriggs, AICP, President 180 W. 1st Street, Ste. E Yuma, AZ 85364 (928) 373-5193 matthew.spriggs@ci.yuma.az.us

"Our mission is to serve as a catalyst in our communities for resource conservation, economic development and an improved quality of life."



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The Lower Colorado River RC&D Council agrees to abide by the terms of the FMA and the bylaws of the Steering Committee and regularly attend Steering Committee meetings.

Sincerely,

Matthew Spriggs, AICP President