



International Boundary and Water Commission United States Section

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USIBWC Southeast Arizona Citizens Forum Public Meeting in Tubac on August 12

The U.S. Section of the International Boundary and Water Commission (USIBWC) Southeast Arizona Citizens Forum board will host an in-person and virtual public meeting on:

Tuesday, August 12, 2025, from 4-6 p.m. MST.

- **Francisco Morales, Project Manager, North American Development Bank**, will present on his agency's wastewater projects aimed at preventing transboundary flows in the Nogales, Arizona, area.
- **Joaquin Marruffo Ruiz, Border Programs Administrator, Arizona Department of Environmental Quality**, will provide an update on progress, challenges, and plans for the Oso Wash and Brickwood Canyon projects in Arizona.

The public meeting will be held in person at:

Tubac Community Center
Santa Cruz County, North Facility
50 Bridge Road, Tubac, AZ 85646

The public meeting will also be held virtually. [Click here to join the meeting](#). If possible, it may be helpful for you to test connectivity on your own prior to the meeting by clicking on the "Join" link and ensuring your camera and microphone are functioning. Or join by phone: +1 915-320-4718,,604116403# Phone conference ID: 604 116 403#

For those connecting via phone, the presentations will be available before the start of the meeting. Go to the USIBWC Citizens Forum page at <https://www.ibwc.gov/citizens-forums-past-meetings/> and look for the Southeast Arizona Citizen Forum meeting.

If you would like to speak during the public comment period, please sign up by contacting Frankie Pinon at frankie.pinon@ibwc.gov or 915-832-4716 by noon on August 8, 2025.

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The USIBWC is dedicated to protecting Americans from exposure to Mexican sewage, maintaining and operating critical infrastructure, and ensuring the U.S. gets its fair share of water. We are committed to working with our federal, state, and local partners and our Mexican colleagues to spearhead these issues.

SOUTHEAST ARIZONA CITIZENS FORUM

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And Via Teams

Agenda

- **Welcome and Introductions** – USIBWC Citizens Forum Board

Francisco Morales, Project Manager, North American Development Bank: Agency projects aimed at preventing transboundary flows in the Nogales, Arizona, area.

- **Joaquin Marruffo Ruiz, Border Programs Administrator, Arizona Department of Environmental Quality:** Update on progress, challenges, and plans for the Oso Wash and Brickwood Canyon projects in Arizona.
- **Public Comment**
- **Board Discussion**
- **Suggested Future Agenda Items**

If you have a disability that you wish to self-identify confidentially that requires accommodation, please advise us ahead of time. For more information call 915-832-4716 or email frankie.pinon@ibwc.gov

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