



WESTFAST UPDATE

Kevin Werner, WestFAST Chair
Deborah Lawler, Federal Liaison Officer
July 2019

WestFAST Liaison

Welcome Deb Lawler!!

- New Liaison – April 28, 2019 ~ April 28, 2021

Executive Committee Rotations

- July 2019
- Executive Committee Members Rotation
 - *Patrick Lambert – Chair*
 - *????? – Vice Chair*
 - *Kevin Werner – Former Chair/Advisor*

WestFAST member changes

- USFWS
 - *Andrew Hautzinger retiring*
 - *Welcome Mike Higgins*
- USACE
 - *Welcome Jeff Arnold*
- NOAA
 - *Welcome Ed Clark*

WestFAST Workplan 2019-2021

- Draft
- Finalizing - target completion August

WestFAST Webinars

- Reinitiating w/finalization of 2019-2021 Workplan
- Every other month

Infrastructure Symposium Part II

- Engagement with Water Policy Committee (formerly Water Subcabinet), states, and others
- April 2019 – Water Infrastructure Forum, Washington, DC
- Feedback
 - *Good first step*
 - *More substantive dialogue and planning desired*
- Forum, Part II, Fall time-frame, Washington, DC

Other Topics

- 10/19/18 Presidential Memorandum on Promoting the Reliable Supply and Delivery of Water in the West
 - *DOC and DOI Action Plan called for section 3 in final development*

Questions

