



Delegation of Israeli Water Companies to Arizona

October 22-25, 2023

Organized by Israel's Ministry of Foreign Affairs along with the Arizona Commerce Authority (ACA)

Sunday, October 22nd

Midday arrival by Israeli delegation to Phoenix; Individual transportation to Hotel

Hotel: Hyatt Regency Phoenix – 122 North Second Street, Phoenix (Tentative)

18:30: Welcome Dinner – Israeli delegation members and ACA (location TBD)

Monday, October 23rd– Phoenix, AZ - ACA Office – B2B and B2G meetings

Breakfast at Hotel

8:30am: Transport to ACA office

8:45am: Welcome by ACA - Meeting with ACA leadership and team

9:45am: Panel: Arizona Entities/Utilities focused on Water Management

- Arizona Department of Water Resources

- Arizona Department of Environmental Quality
- Water Infrastructure Finance Authority of Arizona
- Central Arizona Project
- Salt River Project
- Colorado River Storage Project
- Municipal Water Districts
- Tribal Nations

- 11:00am: Meetings with city and industrial water users, moderated by the Arizona Commerce Authority and community partners.
- 12:00pm: Lunch onsite at ACA
- 1:00pm: Introductions/Elevator Pitches by Israeli companies
- 2:00pm: B2G and B2B One-on-One meetings (15-minute meetings between individual Israeli companies and Arizona governmental entities – state agencies; local water authorities; state, regional and local economic development entities; universities; and Arizona companies in the water management sector). Each company will have its own table with signage. Companies will be given an advance list of entities they can meet with.
- 5:00pm: Israeli delegation returns to hotel
- 7:00pm: Welcome Reception
- Note: Meetings with Governor Katie Hobbs and members of her Cabinet and State Legislators will be arranged for the delegation during this day/evening.

Track One Tucson Tuesday, October 24th – Tucson, AZ – B2B & B2G meetings

Breakfast at Hotel

- 7:30am: Depart by bus for travel to Tucson
- 10:00am: Arrival at the University of Arizona - Tech Parks Arizona
- 10:15am: Welcome by ACA and Tech Parks Arizona
- 10:45am: Panel: Arizona Entities/Utilities focused on Water Management & Water Issues
- Tucson Water
 - University of Arizona Water Resources Research Center

- Municipal Water Districts
- Tribal Nations

- 12:00pm: Lunch onsite
- 1:00pm: Introductions/Elevator Pitches by Israeli companies
- 2:00pm: B2B & B2G One-on-One meetings (15-minute meetings between individual Israeli companies and Arizona companies, governmental entities, universities, regional and local economic development entities). Each company will have its own table with signage. Companies will be given an advance list of entities they can meet with.
- 5:00pm: Depart by bus for return travel to Phoenix
- 7:15pm: Arrive at hotel in Phoenix
- Evening: Free unstructured time in Phoenix

Track Two Rural Tuesday, October 24th – Yuma, AZ – B2B & B2G meetings

Breakfast at Hotel

- 7:30am: Depart by bus for travel to Yuma
- 10:00am: Arrival at the University of Arizona – Experimental Farm
- 10:15am: Welcome by ACA and University of Arizona, overview of experimental farm and agricultural programs
- 10:45am: Tour of Experimental Farm and meetings with key university staff
- 11:15am: Panel of Yuma Water Users:
 - City and other Governments
 - Agricultural associations
 - Tribal Nations
- 12:00pm: Lunch onsite
- 1:00pm: Introductions/Elevator Pitches by Israeli companies
- 2:00pm: B2B & B2G One-on-One meetings (15-minute meetings between individual Israeli companies and Arizona companies, governmental entities, universities, regional and local economic development entities). Each company will have its own table with signage. Companies will be given an advance list of entities they can meet with.

5:00pm: Depart by bus for return travel to Phoenix
7:15pm: Arrive at hotel in Phoenix
Evening: Free unstructured time in Phoenix

Wednesday, October 25th

Unstructured Day: ACA will assist with limited additional meetings upon request. ACA will also provide meeting space on a first come first come basis for companies looking to arrange their own meetings.

Optional cultural tours

List of Arizona Entities Delegation May Meet With:

- Phoenix Water Services Department
- Arizona Water Company
- Arizona Water Infrastructure Finance Authority
- Global Water Resources
- Maricopa County-Water and Sewer
- University of Arizona Water Department
- University of Arizona Experimental Farms
- Fresh Produce & other agricultural associations
- Farmers and other agricultural producers
- Ray Water Co Inc (Tucson)
- Tucson Water Department
- Scottsdale City Water Department
- Saguaro Water Company
- Goodman Water
- Los Cerros Water Co
- Metropolitan Water District Southwestern
- Sunrise Water Co (Peoria)
- Water Service (Peoria)
- American Water Co (Peoria)
- EPCOR Water Arizona Inc.
- Liberty Utilities (Arizona) Corp.
- Johnson Utilities LLC
- Arizona American Water
- American Water Enterprises
- Pine Water Company
- Pinal County Water District
- Pima County
- Mohave County Water Authority
- Hualapai Valley Water District

- White Mountain Lakes Water Company
- Verde Village Improvement District
- Chloride Water District
- Arizona Water Company (New River)
- Navajo Tribal Utility Authority (serves portions of Arizona)
- Show Low Water Department