

Coconino Plateau Water Advisory Council

Government Affairs Subcommittee

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Government Affairs Accomplishments

- ❑ **Legislative Outreach Day (Held in November 2012)**
- ❑ **Continued Advocacy for Feasibility Study**
- ❑ **Tracked Legislation of Interest to the CPWAC**
- ❑ **Supported Efforts to Continue Funding for the Rural Water Supply Program**



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Next Steps, Goals, Key Issues

Discuss Continued Role of CPWAC:

- Is there a need for the GAC Subcommittee with the current role of CPWAC Coordinator?
- If so, what is the appropriate role?
- How do we increase participation in the GAC?
- What are some priorities of the GAC?
 - Continued work on Feasibility Study advocacy
 - Advocacy for funding for Rural Water Supply Act

