

Arkansas Natural Resources Commission: Special Meeting Scheduled for October 20th (Via Zoom) to Consider Act 605 Rules



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The Arkansas Natural Resources Commission (“ANRC”) has announced it will hold a special meeting via Zoom on Wednesday, October 20th.

The meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m.

The only agenda item is listed as “Legal – Act 605 Rules.”

Act 605 presumably references Senate Bill 386 sponsored by Senator A. Clark and Representative Love which amended the law concerning retail water providers and related services.

A Legislative Task Force had previously been created to consider a number of issues related to water providers such as areas served, importance of water supplies to economic developments, etc.

The Arkansas Water Provider Legislative Task Force subsequently published a report titled:

Summary Report: Vision for the Future, Challenges, Recommendations 2017-2018 Task Force Meetings (“Report”)

A link to the ANRC news release and instructions for how to participate in the Zoom meeting can be found [here](#).

Further, a link to Act 605 can be found [here](#).