



Yampa/White/Green Basin Ag Producers' Water Workshop

March 22, 2017

**Steamboat Springs Community Center
1605 Lincoln Avenue, Steamboat Springs CO**

12:00 Lunch and Mingling

12:30 Welcome from CAWA – *Greg Peterson, Colorado Ag Water Alliance*

12:45 What Are Some of the Motivations for Ag Producers to Use Their Water Differently? —*MaryLou Smith, Colorado Water Institute, Colorado State University*

1:00 What Do Colorado Ag Producers Think about Ag Water Leasing? Survey Results— *Phil Brink, Colorado Cattlemen's Association*

1:15 Colorado River Compact Presentation - *Dan Birch, Colorado River Water Conservation District*

1:30 "Use it or Lose It"—Perception or Reality? *Kevin Rein, Deputy State Engineer, Colorado Division of Water Resources*

1:45 Water Waste – Does it Really Occur and if so Who Cares?— *Erin Light, Division Engineer, Colorado Division of Water Resources*

2:00 Break for coffee and questions

2:20 Collaborating with the Colorado Water Trust – *Zach Smith, Colorado Water Trust*

2:35 Trout Unlimited and Agricultural Water Users – *Brian Hodge, Trout Unlimited*

2:50 Leasing Water and the System Conservation Pilot Project - *Geoff Blakeslee, The Nature Conservancy*

3:05 Challenges of Ditch Renovations – *Mike Camblin, Maybell Ditch Company*

3:20 What Do YOU (Ag producers here today) think about what you have heard?
Dialogue facilitated by Greg Peterson

4:00 Adjourn