**Agenda for October WERA 1508 Annual In-Person Meeting**

**October 14, 2025, Denver, CO**

1. [WERA 1508](https://nimss.org/projects/view/mrp/outline/19143) (WERA 1508 Leadership team)
   1. History
   2. Objectives
   3. Needs and aspirations for new WERA dedicated to the proposition of resolving complex western water issues
   4. Reminder WERA is we make of it what we will do individually
2. Vision paper highlights (presentation) (Kristi Hansen)
   1. Demonstrate how our current activities are working toward that: collecting up programs/projects/activities that fall into the various buckets in the vision paper.

SHORT BREAK (10-15 mins)

1. Brainstorming session - start with pre-seeded ideas agenda, elaborate on ideas for outcomes
   1. Catalog programs and projects
      1. What do we have?
      2. What are the gaps?
      3. How to regionalize?
   2. Identify low hanging fruit/initial targets for WERA
      1. Identify tasks and next steps

SHORT BREAK (10-15 mins)

1. Work session to discuss Western Water Network
2. Have people sign up for what they can/will work on
3. Future meetings