

SITES  
RESERVOIR  
PROJECT

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VIRTUAL  
PUBLIC MEETING**

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3                   Sara Katz,  
4                   Meeting Moderator

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6                   Aly Forsythe,  
7                   Sites Environmental Planning and Permitting  
8                   Manager

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10                  Vanessa King,  
11                  Bureau of Reclamation

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13                  Sarah Rossetto,  
14                  Q&A Monitor

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16                  Mike Hendrick,  
17                  Fisheries Biologist

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1                   Okay. We'll go to our next speaker, Dan  
2    Bacher.

3                   Dan, if you want to unmute yourself.

4                   DAN BACHER: Yes. I just spoke, but I wasn't  
5    able to finish one simple sentence, and this is all I  
6    want to leave with you -- or actually two sentences.  
7    Now is not the time for you to keep going forward with  
8    Sites Reservoir. Now is the time to take decisive  
9    action, to stop species extinction. Please remember,  
10   extinction is forever.

11                  Thank you.

12                  SARA KATZ: Thank you, Dan. We have five more  
13   minutes that we will be accepting formal public  
14   comments, and then we will provide instructions how you  
15   might be able to submit them in the written form if  
16   that's your preference.

17                  Please remember that any comments submitted  
18   via the Q&A box will not be entered into the formal  
19   record. We would ask that you either raise your hand  
20   and read them into the record and/or follow the  
21   instructions on our closing slide, which will allow you  
22   to submit them formally via email and/or hard copy.

23                  Thank you.

24                  We have a hand raised with Shannon Wittgen.  
25   If you could please, again, your name for the record,