

Appendix B
DROUGHT MONITORING AND RESPONSE CONTACTS
(Updated September 2011)

ASSISTANCE / INFORMATION NEEDED	NAME / ORGANIZATION	CONTACT INFORMATION
Emergency Assistance		
Equipment for pumping, hauling and treating water for public water systems. Corps of Engineers' emergency assistance to public water systems.	Jonathan York Response & recovery Branch Director Adjutant General's Department Kansas Division of Emergency Management	(785) 274-1406 jonathan.r.york@us.army.mil (785) 207-1371 (cell) <u>Emergency 24-hours</u> (785) 296-3176 1-800-905-7521
Drought Monitoring		
Climate and weather information; outlook	Mary Knapp State Climatologist Kansas State University	(785) 532-7019 mknapp@ksu.edu
Crop and livestock conditions; Weekly Crop-Weather Report	Glenda Shepler State Statistician USDA – National Agricultural Statistics Service	(785) 233-2230 nass-ks@nass.usda.gov
Kansas Climate Summary and Drought Report	Diane Coe Kansas Water Office	(785) 296-0864 diane.coe@kwo.ks.gov
Environmental Impacts		
Fish kills; habitat loss; state fishing lakes	Steve Adams Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks	(785) 296-2281 steve.adams@ksoutdoors.com
Federal Declarations		
Presidential major disaster declarations	Angee Morgan, Deputy Director KS Division of Emergency Management	(785) 274-1409 angelynn.t.morgan@us.army.mil
USDA county disaster declarations; emergency haying and grazing	Lee Hartford USDA Farm Service Agency	(785) 539-3531 lee.hartford@ks.usda.gov
Governor's Drought Response Team		
Team Chair	Tracy Streeter, Director Kansas Water Office	(785) 296-4094 tracy.streeter@kwo.ks.gov
Staff Support	Susan Stover Kansas Water Office	785) 296-0876 susan.stover@kwo.ks.gov
News Media Enquiries		
	Sherriene Jones-Sontag Governor's Press Secretary	(785) 368-7138 media@ks.gov
	Katie Patterson-Ingels Kansas Water Office	(785) 296-0877 katie.ingels@kwo.ks.gov
	Sharon Watson Public Affairs Director Adjutant General's Department	(785) 274-1192 sharon.watson3@us.army.mil 785) 806-4063 (cell)
	Chelsea Good Kansas Department of Agriculture	(785) 296-2653 Chelsea.Good@KDA.KS.GOV
Water Conservation		
Municipal water conservation plans and practices	Tina Rajala Kansas Water Office	(785) 296-0875 tina.rajala@kwo.ks.gov
Water from Reservoirs		

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Surplus Water Marketing Program contracts: emergency use of federal reservoirs and state fishing lakes	Margaret Fast Kansas Water Office	(785) 296-0865 margaret.fast@kwo.ks.gov
Permit for public water supply system to use different source of water	Dan Clair Public Water Supply Section Bureau of Water Kansas Dept. of Health and Environment	(785) 296-5503 dclair@kdheks.gov
Water Rights		
Temporary permits; minimum desirable streamflow administration; protection of reservoir releases	Lane Letourneau, Manager Water Appropriations Program Division of Water Resources Kansas Department of Agriculture	(785) 296-3710 lane.letourneau@kda.ks.gov
Wildfire		
Rangeland fire danger, rural fire	Ross Hauck Kansas Forest Service	(785) 532-3314 rhauck@ksu.edu
Open Burning	Terry Maple State Fire Marshall's Office	(785) 296-0654 terry.maple@ksfm.ks.gov

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