

## AGENDA

### Texas Water Research Coordination Network ▪ December 3-4, 2015

UT Austin Main Campus – Student Activity Center

December 3: Room 2.302 (Legislative Assembly Room)

December 4: Room 1.106

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#### Two-day Meeting Goals/Outcomes:

1. *Interact and discuss current/future research*
2. *Understand intersection of the NSF grant and the network*
3. *Refine grand challenges*
4. *Agree on mission statement*
5. *Agree on long-term goals and short-term strategies*
6. *Plan the network structure and next steps*

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#### Thursday, December 3: 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

10:00 am – Welcome and update by Jay Banner, ESI

10:45 am – How do the RCN and the NSF research project intersect?

11:05 pm – Refining the grand challenges

12:00 pm – Break, pick up lunches, sign-up for dinner

12:30 pm – Perspectives: Bech Bruun, Chair, Texas Water Development Board

1:30 pm – Participants meet in network nodes based on research interests

*Participants will discuss what research is needed in each node to address the grand challenges, and how they will interact with others on this research.*

3:45 pm – Break

4:00 pm – Node notes – Reports from each network node

4:30 pm – Starting the discussion for the RCN mission

5:30 pm – Close Day 1

6:00 pm – Dinner social invitation

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#### Friday December 4, 2015: 8 a.m. -1 p.m.

8:00 am – Breakfast social

8:30 am – Welcome and agenda

8:40 am – Defining the RCN

- *Complete work of mission begun on Thursday if needed*
- *Long-term goals and short-term strategies to achieve RCN's mission*

9:45 am – Break

10:00 am – Perspectives: Kip Averitt, Averitt & Associates

10:45 am – Building the network/ next steps

- *Future meetings*
- *Communication*
- *Broadening the network*

12:00 pm – Lunch (wrap-up discussion and social lunch)

1:00 pm – Adjourn