

Forecast Verification Workshop
February 19, 2008
Agenda

9:00-9:15 am: Introduction, names, logistics, objectives (Brad Udall)

9:15-10:15 am: Introduction to forecasts and forecast verification (Kevin Werner, Tom Pagano)

10: 15-10: 45 am: Water Supply forecasting tools and process (Brenda Alcorn)

10:45-11:00 am: Break

11:00-12:00 am: Observed patterns of water supply forecast skill (Tom Pagano)

12:00-1:00 pm, Lunch

1:00-2:30 pm: Small group verification exploration exercise and large group discussion on results from lab exercise.

Groups of 4-6 people use a prepared worksheet to guide them through the western water web verification application. Recommend 1 laptop per group. (Kevin Werner, Chad Kahler)

2:30-3:00 pm: Break

3:00-3:30 pm: Issues that make evaluation a challenge (Tom Pagano)

3:30-4:00 pm: Wrap up and discussion