

CONFERENCE

HOUSE KEEPING

- 1) There are 3 ways by which a protest is resolved:
 - a. Protestant withdraws the protest
 - b. Applicant withdraws the application
 - c. Hearing is held and a hearing officer renders a decision.
The hearing officer is appointed by the director.
If either party can object to the decision by taking it to district court.
- 2) Discuss the 7 Items
 - a. #5 Burden of proof is equally shared by both parties
 - b. #7 Is not an issue here because it deals with out of basin water.
- 3) Has there been any discussion between the two parties?
- 4) Discuss the Application. How does the applicant envision the project?
- 5) Dates on when a hearing could be scheduled. 80-180 days out.
- 6) Is either party interested in an order authorizing discovery?
 - a. Order comes from director or hearing officer.