

**State Water Resources Control Board
Groundwater Ambient Monitoring and Assessment (GAMA) Program
Statewide Basin Assessment in Middle Sacramento Study Unit
Informational Meeting**

Wednesday, June 21st, 2006
1:00 pm
Butte County Water and Resource Conservation
25 County Center Drive
Oroville, CA 95965

AGENDA

- Introductions; Meeting Overview
- Participating Agencies and Organizations
- GAMA Program Overview – SWRCB
 - Background
 - AB 599 – Statewide Basin Assessments

- Basin Assessment Implementation – USGS
 - Statewide Perspective
 - Well Selection
 - Groundwater Analyses
 - Results Reporting/Products
 - Benefits to Program Participants
 - Timeline

- Sharing of Existing Water Quality Information – SWRCB with All

- Wrap-up and Adjourn

Background: The GAMA program is a comprehensive assessment of statewide groundwater quality designed to improve statewide groundwater monitoring, identify risks to groundwater resources and increase the availability of groundwater quality information to the public. The Middle Sacramento study unit includes the cities and regions of Yolo, Williams, Willows, Corning, Chico, Oroville, and Yuba City. This includes the DWR defined groundwater basins of Capay Valley, Colusa, Corning, Vina, West and East Butte, North and South Yuba, and Sutter.

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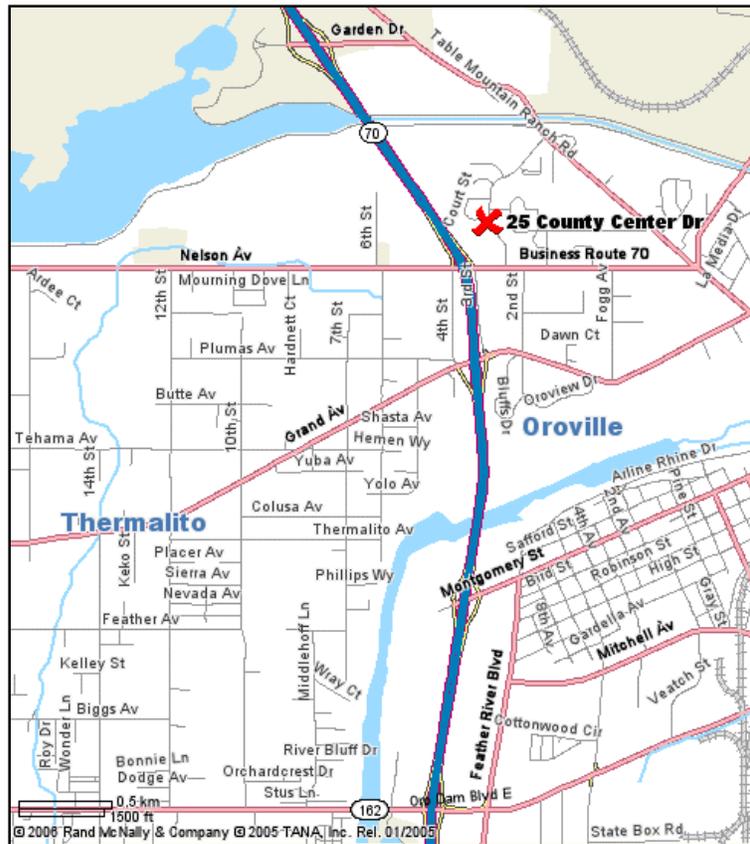
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Note:

Meeting date is subject to change. Please confirm your attendance with Julie Saturnio at 916 341-5860 or jsaturnio@waterboards.ca.gov by June 16th. For more information, please visit www.waterboards.ca.gov/gama or contact Dori Bellan at dbellan@waterboards.ca.gov.



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Traveling North on Interstate 5 to Hwy 70

- Travel on Interstate 5 to Hwy 70
- Continue on Hwy 70 into Oroville
- Exit Business 70/Nelson Ave, travel east
- Turn left on County Center Drive
- Total trip about 70 miles, from Sacramento