
State Water Resources Control Board

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) announces the next three Wastewater Needs Assessment (WWNA) Advisory Group quarterly meetings to be held in 2025.

WWNA Advisory Group Meeting

Friday, April 25, 2025 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

REMOTE PARTICIPATION VIA ZOOM

(<https://ucla.zoom.us/j/92538423159>)

Meeting ID: 925 3842 3159

WWNA Advisory Group Meeting

Friday, July 25, 2025 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

REMOTE PARTICIPATION VIA ZOOM

(<https://ucla.zoom.us/j/92113572019>)

Meeting ID: 921 1357 2019

WWNA Advisory Group Meeting

Friday, October 24, 2025 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

REMOTE PARTICIPATION VIA ZOOM

(<https://ucla.zoom.us/j/97380769089>)

Meeting ID: 973 8076 9089

PURPOSE

The University of Los Angeles – Luskin Center for Innovation (UCLA, primary investigator contracted), Sacramento State – Office of Water Programs, University of California – Agriculture and Natural Resources, and University of Massachusetts – Amherst (WWNA Team) will provide information on and strategies to address California’s water-related sanitation system needs. The WWNA Advisory Group

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members will advise the WWNA Team on Phase 1 project tasks, such as wastewater data gathering and gaps, baseline assessment survey, identifying “Inadequate and At-Risk” definitions, potential solutions for inadequate systems, and other areas of expertise or perspectives. The specific agenda topics will be publicly available on the [UCLA Luskin Center for Innovation WWNA website](#) no later than one business day before the scheduled WWNA Advisory Group Meetings.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

The WWNA Advisory Group meetings are open to the public. The agenda includes a questions and answers session during the Zoom meeting, or questions will be addressed afterward, as appropriate.

LANGUAGE SERVICES AVAILABILITY

To request interpretation services, translation of documents or to submit a language access complaint, use **one** of the following:

- Submit a [Language Access Request](#) online
- Call the Office of Public Engagement, Equity, and Tribal Affairs at (916) 341-5254 (Formerly known as the Office of Public Participation, OPP)
- Email the Office of Engagement, Equity, and Tribal Affairs at: OPP-LanguageServices@Waterboards.ca.gov

Requests must be received ten business days before the noticed meetings (Thursday, April 10, Thursday, July 10, and Thursday, October 9, respectively).

ACCESSIBILITY

Users of a Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD) may contact the California Relay Service at (800) 735-2929 or the teletype (TTY) voice line at (800) 735-2922.

BACKGROUND

On July 1, 2023, the WWNA Team began an evaluation of California’s wastewater infrastructure baseline conditions and needs to inform opportunities for advancing equitable access to sanitation. In January 2024, the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) staff released a public request for WWNA Advisory Group applications, and the 30 members selected represent diverse organizations across California. The WWNA Team is facilitating and managing the Advisory Group meetings. The Advisory Group kickoff hybrid meeting was held on July 26, 2024, at the Central Valley Regional Quality Control Board office in Rancho Cordova, followed by meetings in October and January. On April 10, 2025, Water Board staff released this public notice for the next three quarterly virtual Zoom meetings scheduled for 2025. The WWNA Advisory Group is a volunteer consultative body for WWNA development and implementation and does not have additional authorities or final decision-making power. The WWNA Advisory Group is not an advisory body subject to the Bagley-Keene Act,

California Government Code section 11120, et seq. Any recommendations resulting from the WWNA efforts will be brought to the State Water Board through a separate, public process in compliance with the Bagley-Keene Act.


FUTURE NOTICES

Any person desiring to receive future notices, may sign up for the automated e-mail list. Access the [Email List Subscription Form](#) and select the box for 'Wastewater Needs Assessment' located within the 'General Topics' section and provide the required information.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

More information is on the [Water Board's WWNA website](#). Please direct questions about this notice to wwna@waterboards.ca.gov

Date April 10, 2025

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Courtney Tyler
Clerk to the Board