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State Water Resources Control Board Notice of Public Meeting

Potential Consolidation of Tract 349 Mutual Water Company and Tract 180 Mutual Water Company

January 14, 2026, from 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM.

This meeting will be held at:

Cudahy Bedwell Hall | 5240 Santa Ana Street | Cudahy, CA 90210

Or participate virtually via Zoom: <https://bit.ly/3LRT7kO>

Or via Phone: **+1 (669) 900-9128, then enter 889 0251 7325**

PURPOSE

The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) invites you to attend a public meeting to learn about the potential consolidation project for Tract 349 Mutual Water Company (Tract 349 MWC) and Tract 180 Mutual Water Company (Tract 180 MWC). Consolidation merges a small water system with a nearby water system to resolve water quality or water quantity concerns. For this project, we are exploring the potential for Tract 349 MWC and Tract 180 MWC to consolidate with one another or with a neighboring water system: Golden State Water Company (Bell/Bell Gardens), City of South Gate, City of Huntington Park.

The purpose of this meeting is to provide the following:

- Past and current status of drinking water in Tract 349 MWC and Tract 180 MWC
- Information on the consolidation process

The meeting will include an opportunity for the public to provide comments and ask questions. The public can submit comments through **February 16, 2026**.

BACKGROUND

Tract 349 MWC is a community water system that serves the west part of the City of Cudahy and a small part of the City of Bell. On October 24, 2002, the State Water Board issued Compliance Order No. 04-07-02CO-002 to Tract 349 MWC for exceeding the secondary maximum contaminant level (SMCL) for manganese. The issue has not been resolved and Tract 349 MWC meets the criteria of a failing water system.

E. JOAQUIN ESQUIVEL, CHAIR | ERIC OPPENHEIMER, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Tract 180 MWC is a community water system that serves a portion of the city of Cudahy with two active wells. While Tract 180 MWC is classified as a Not At-risk system, both of its wells are under a monitoring order for PFAS.

LANGUAGE SERVICES

This meeting will be offered in English with Spanish interpretation services. To request translation of a written document, interpretation services for the meeting, or sign language services, please use one of the following options by **January 8, 2026**.

- Submit a [Language Services Request](#) online (https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/about_us/public_participation/language-access.html)
- Contact the Office of Public Engagement, Equity, and Tribal Affairs (OPEETA) at: 916-341-5254 or at: LanguageServices@waterboards.ca.gov

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. For reasonable accommodations, please call (916) 445-5615 or email DDW-SoCalEngagement@waterboards.ca.gov.

HOW TO SUBMIT PUBLIC COMMENTS – DEADLINE FEBRUARY 16, 2026

Mail: Saeeda Rafique

State Water Resources Control Board – Division of Drinking Water
500 N Central Avenue, Suite 500, Glendale, CA 91203

Email: DDW-SoCalEngagement@waterboards.ca.gov

MEETING MATERIALS

Meeting materials and details will be provided during the meeting. For more information visit: <https://bit.ly/3YuHRxW>

MORE INFORMATION

For more information, please contact us at

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