

## NOTICE OF A SERIES OF COMMUNITY DRINKING WATER WORKSHOPS: NORTHERN TULARE COUNTY REGIONAL DRINKING WATER SOLUTIONS PROJECT

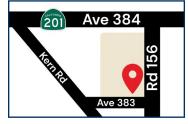
The State Water Resources Control Board will hold a series of community workshops to explore and evaluate potential long-term drinking water solutions and governing options for a sustainable regional approach to serve the seven neighboring communities of **Cutler, East Orosi, Monson, Orosi, Seville, Sultana, and Yettem**.

Each meeting in the series will cover a different set of topics that build on one another, with the goal of understanding the region's drinking water needs, developing a shared vision for a long-term solution, and beginning to shape a potential regional drinking water project. While it is not necessary to attend every meeting, participation is encouraged whenever possible, as the conversations will build over time. Community members are welcome to join at any point in the process.

A quorum of the following local water district boards may be present, but no decisions will be made: Cutler Public Utility District, East Orosi Community Services District, Sultana Community Services District, Orosi Public Utility District, and Yettem-Seville Community Services District.

### **MEETING DATES AND LOCATIONS**

All meetings will take place from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. and will be both in person and virtually via Zoom:



Wednesday May 7, 2025

Stone Corral Elementary School Cafeteria 15590 Avenue 383, Seville, California 93292 (Corner of Avenue 384 and Road 156)



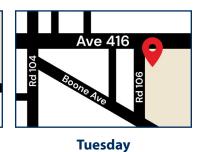
Wednesday June 18, 2025 Orosi High School Cafeteria 41815 Road 128, Orosi, California 93647 (Corner of Avenue 419

and Road 128)



#### Wednesday August 27, 2025

Cutler Elementary School Cafeteria 40532 Road 128, Culter, California 93615 (Corner of School Avenue and Road 128)



December 9, 2025 Monson Elementary School Cafeteria 10643 Avenue 416, Sultana, California 93666 (Corner of Avenue 416 and Road 106)

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#### **PROJECT BACKGROUND**

The goals of the Northern Tulare County Regional Drinking Water Solutions Project workshop series are:

- Learn about the drinking water needs and concerns of each community and begin to develop a shared regional vision.
- Review draft feasibility study results showing possible drinking water solutions and their estimated costs.
- Identify potential regional drinking water solutions that could reliably serve East Orosi, Orosi, Cutler, Monson, Sultana, Yettem, and Seville.
- Learn about different regional governance structures and discuss which model could work best for the communities.
- Gain clarity on the State Water Board's funding process, including how projects are evaluated and what funding options are available.
- Identify clear next steps to move forward with a regional drinking water solution.

#### **SAFER PROGRAM INFORMATION**

This meeting is part of the Safe and Affordable Funding for Equity and Resilience (SAFER) Drinking Water Program. The SAFER program was designed to ensure Californians who lack safe and affordable drinking water receive it as quickly as possible. The SAFER program helps water systems achieve this goal through a set of tools, funding sources, community engagement, and regulatory authorities.

#### 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 to request language services at least one week before the meeting date.

- Submit an online request: bit.ly/OPEETALanguageServices
- Call 916.445.5615
- Email languageservices@waterboards.ca.gov

#### ACCESSIBILITY AND REASONABLE ACCOMMODATIONS

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 email **SAFER@waterboards.ca.gov** or call **916.445.5615**.

#### **QUESTIONS AND MORE INFORMATION**

Contact SAFER@waterboards.ca.gov, call 916.445.5615, or learn more at https://bit.ly/saferntc.