

State Water Resources Control Board

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REVISED NOTICE¹ OF PUBLIC STAFF WORKSHOP² AND POTENTIAL FUTURE MEETING DATES

Consideration of Potential Amendments to the Water Quality Control Plan for the San Francisco Bay/Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Estuary Relating to Southern Delta Salinity and San Joaquin River Flow Objectives

> Commencing at 9:00 a.m (Rescheduled to 9:00 a.m. from 10:00 a.m. as stated in the <u>February 13, 2009 Notice</u>)

> > on Wednesday, April 22, 2009 at Joe Serna, Jr. (Cal EPA) Building Sierra Hearing Room 1001 I Street Sacramento, California

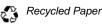
SUBJECT OF WORKSHOP

The purpose of this staff workshop is to receive information and conduct detailed discussions regarding potential amendments or revisions to the southern Delta salinity and San Joaquin River flow objectives included in the 2006 Water Quality Control Plan for the San Francisco Bay/Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Estuary and their implementation. This revised notice explains the process that will be used at the April 22, 2009, workshop, and identifies potential future meeting dates. These potential dates and specific topics will be discussed and scheduled at the April 22 meeting.

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

After opening remarks from State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) staff, participants will be partitioned into smaller breakout groups to facilitate discussion of: 1) southern Delta salinity objectives; 2) San Joaquin River flow objectives; and 3) administrative process. After each session, the entire group will reconvene and discussions will be summarized. Individual parties will have an opportunity for comment at the end of the meeting. A draft agenda is attached and a final agenda will be posted prior to the meeting at: http://www.waterrights.ca.gov/baydelta/wq_controlplanning.html.

California Environmental Protection Agency



¹ The February 13, 2009, staff workshop notice remains in effect except for the changes noted herein.

² A quorum of the State Water Board members may be present at the workshop. No regulatory action will be taken.

POTENTIAL FUTURE MEETINGS

The following is a list of meeting dates that may be used to continue detailed discussions of southern Delta salinity and San Joaquin River flow. All of these dates may not be used, and additional meetings will be scheduled as needed. Specific topics, times, and locations will be noticed prior to the meetings.

Date	Time
May 8, 2009	10:00 - 5:00
May 18, 2009	8:30 - 12:30
June 3, 2009 ³	1:00 - 5:00
June 16, 2009	8:30 - 12:30
June 25, 2009	1 :00 - 5:00
July 22, 2009 ³	10:00 - 5:00
July 31, 2009	10:00 - 5:00

³ A quorum of the State Water Board members may be present at these workshops.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE WORKSHOP

Questions concerning this notice may be directed as follows:

- San Joaquin River flow: Chris Carr, (916) 341-5305 or <u>ccarr@waterboards.ca.gov</u>
- Southern Delta salinity: Mark Gowdy, (916) 341-5432 or mgowdy@waterboards.ca.gov
- Legal or administrative process: Erin Mahaney, (916) 341-5187 or emahaney@waterboards.ca.gov.

PARKING, ACCESSIBILITY, AND SECURITY

The attached maps show the location and parking for the Joe Serna Jr./Cal-EPA Building in Sacramento. The Joe Serna Jr./Cal-EPA Building is accessible to people with disabilities. Individuals who require special accommodations at the Joe Serna Jr./Cal-EPA Building are requested to contact Catherine Foreman, Office of Employee Assistance, at (916) 341-5881.

Due to enhanced security precautions at the Cal-EPA Headquarters Building, all visitors are required to register with security staff prior to attending any meeting. To sign in and receive a visitor's badge, visitors must go to the Visitor and Environmental Services Center, located just inside and to the left of the building's public entrance. Depending on their destination and the building's security level, visitors may be asked to show valid picture identification. Valid picture identification can take the form of a current driver's license, military identification card, or state or federal identification card. Depending on the size and number of meetings scheduled on any given day, the security check-in could take up to fifteen minutes. Please allow adequate time to sign in before being directed to the hearing.

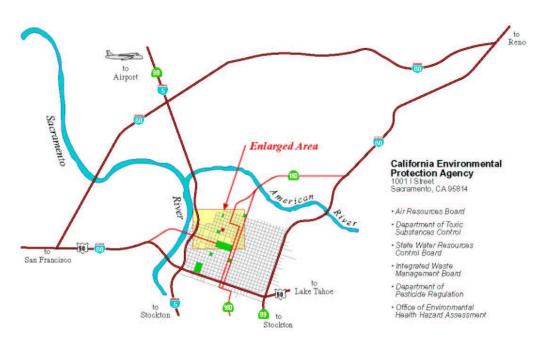
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Attachments



Parking Lot Locations



Parking Lot Locations Lot 1 (7th & G St.) Lot 2 (7th & G St.) Lot A (7th & Capitol) Lot C (14th & H St.) Lot G (3rd & L) Lot H (10th & L) Lot I (10th & L, 11th & I) Lot K (6th & J/L, 7th & K) Lot P (2nd & I) Lot U (5th & J) Lot W (2nd & I St.)

PUBLIC STAFF WORKSHOP

Consideration of Potential Amendments to the Water Quality Control Plan for the San Francisco Bay/Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Estuary relating to Southern Delta Salinity and San Joaquin River Flow Objectives

April 22, 2009 at 9:00 a.m. Cal/EPA Headquarters 1001 I Street, Sacramento, CA Sierra Hearing Room

DRAFT AGENDA

- I. 9:00 to 10:00 Staff Introduction / Organization
- II. 10:00 to 11:30 Breakout Session #1: Southern Delta Salinity Objectives
- III. 11:30 to 12:30 Lunch
- IV. 12:30 to 2:00 Breakout Session #2: San Joaquin River Flow Objectives
- V. 2:00 to 2:15 Break
- VI. 2:15 to 3:45 Breakout Session #3: Administrative Processes
- VII. 3:45 to 4:00 Break

VIII. 4:00 to 5:00 – Closing remarks from individual participants

Notes:

- a) All participants will have an opportunity to discuss each topic as part of breakout groups that will consist of approximately 25 people. State Water Board staff will facilitate discussions and take notes for each breakout group. All participants will reconvene following each breakout group session, and a speaker will provide a summary for all workshop participants.
- b) Each breakout session will begin with an overview of the topics and questions to be addressed pertaining to the information requested by the State Water Board on February 13, 2009, followed by 45 minutes of discussion. Each session will end with a 5-minute summary for all workshop participants of each breakout group's session.
- c) This meeting will not be webcast.