

Joint Telephonic Meeting of the Northern Delta-Mendota Region Management Committee, Central Delta-Mendota Region Management Committee, and Central Delta-Mendota GSA

Thursday, September 23rd, 2021, 10:00 AM

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SLDMWA Boardroom, 842 6th Street, Los Banos, CA

NOTE: In accordance with the Governor's Executive Order (N-09-21), members of the Management Committees and Water Authority staff will be participating in this meeting from multiple locations. This meeting will occur with an in-person option for members of the Management Committees interested in attending at the San Luis & Delta-Mendota Water Authority Los Banos Administrative Office, 842 6th Street, Los Banos, California. There will still be an option to attend online or by calling in through Zoom for members of the Management Committees and for the public. If members of the public have any problems using the call-in number during the meeting, please contact the Authority office at 209-826-9696.

September 20, 2021

- **TO**: Northern and Central Delta-Mendota Region Management Committees, Central Delta-Mendota GSA and Interested Parties
- FROM: Cheri Worthy (on behalf of Federico Barajas, Executive Director)
- RE: JOINT TELEPHONIC MEETING OF THE NORTHERN AND CENTRAL DELTA-MENDOTA REGION MANAGEMENT COMMITTEES AND CENTRAL DELTA-MENDOTA GSA, THURSDAY, September 23rd, 2021, 10:00 AM

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Joint Telephonic Meeting of the Northern Delta-Mendota Region Management Committee, Central Delta-Mendota Region Management Committee, and Central Delta-Mendota GSA has been called for **Thursday, September 23rd, 2021, 10:00 AM**, on items listed on the attached agenda, which is incorporated by reference and made a part hereof.



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AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order/Roll Call
- 2. Committees to Consider Corrections or Additions to the Agenda of Items, as authorized by Government Code Section 54950 et seq.
- 3. Opportunity for Public Comment

Consent Calendar

- 4. Committees to Review and Take Action on Consent Calendar, Barcellos
 - a. Minutes for the August 26th, 2021 Joint Telephonic Meeting of the Northern and Central Delta-Mendota Region Management Committees and Central Delta-Mendota GSA
 - b. July 2021 Budget to Actual Report

Action Items

- 5. Committees to Authorize Northern and Central Regions' Cost Share for the Full Budget Amount of \$88,760 for Completion of Subsidence Characterization Study, Brodie
- 6. Committees to Consider Directing Northern and Central Delta-Mendota Regional Representatives to the Delta-Mendota Subbasin Coordination Committee to Authorize Revision of Subbasin Coordination Agreement for GSP Implementation, Brodie
 - a. Discussion and action on accountability for GSP implementation and addressing comments from DWR/SWRCB
 - b. Discussion and action on changes to the Coordination Agreement moving forward into implementation

Report Items

- 7. GSP Group Representatives Report from Subbasin Coordination Committee Meeting on September 9, 2021, Brodie/Lucchesi
 - a. Other DM GSP Groups to Prepare GSP Assessment Relative to DWR Comment Letters
 - i. Discussion of DWR/SWRCB comments on other GSPs and process for review of GSP
 - b. Monthly Coordination Committee Meetings during 1Q 2022
- 8. Committees to Discuss DWR Draft Groundwater Management and Drinking Water Well Principles and Strategies, Brodie/Howard
 - a. Webinar on Thursday September 23rd from Noon to 1:30PM
 - b. Comments due by Thursday October 7th at 5PM
- 9. Committees to Discuss Recent Requests for Input/Data, Brodie
 - a. Water Levels from "Supplemental" Wells to Support Aquifer Contours (Annual Report)
 - b. OPTI Database (Project Descriptions) to Support Funding Requests
- 10. Well Permit Review Process, Howard/County Representatives
- 11. Committees to Discuss Tracy Subbasin GSP Comment Letter, Howard
- 12. Committees to Discuss 2021 GSP Implementation
 - a. Three-Month Look-Ahead Schedule, Dutton
 - b. Tracking Tools, Dutton
 - c. GSP Implementation Monitoring Activities and Status, Dumas
 - d. Inter-Connected Surface Water Monitoring Network Development, Dumas
 - e. Annual Report: Water Level Data and Water Surface Elevation Maps, Dumas
- 13. Committees to Discuss Special Projects
 - a. Well Census and Inventory Project, Howard
 - b. Subbasin Subsidence Characterization Study and Project Feasibility Determination, Brodie
- 14. Committees to Discuss Inter-basin Coordination Update, Brodie/Montgomery/Lucchesi
 - a. Report on September 1st, 2021 Meeting
- 15. Committees to Discuss Upcoming Budget Development Process, Brodie
- 16. Committees to Discuss Potential Funding Opportunities, Brodie

- 17. Next Steps
- 18. Reports Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2(a)(3)
- 19. Future Meetings
 - a. Thursday October 28th, 2021 at 10:00 AM
 - b. Tuesday November 16th, 2021 at 10:00 AM
 - c. Thursday December 16th, 2021 at 10:00 AM

Closed Session

20. Conference with Legal Counsel – Existing Litigation

The Committees will meet in closed session to confer with legal counsel pursuant to Paragraph (1), Subdivision (d) of Government Code Section 54956.9.

California Sportfishing Protection Alliance v. All Persons Interested in the Matter of the Validity of the Northern and Central Delta-Mendota Regions Groundwater Sustainability Plan, et al., Stanislaus County Superior Court, Case No. CV-20-001748 [Delta-Mendota Subbasin SGMA Challenge].

Open Session

- 21. Report Out of Closed Session
- 22. ADJOURNMENT

Persons with a disability may request disability-related modification or accommodation by contacting Cheri Worthy at the Water Authority, 842 6th Street, Los Banos, CA 93635, and telephone: (209) 826-9696 at least 3 for regular or 1 for special day(s) before the meeting date.