

Enterprise Anderson Groundwater Sustainability Agency
Response to Section E(1) of the GSA- List of Interested Parties

Pursuant to Water Code Section 10723.8(a)(4), the Agency has developed and will maintain a list of interested persons pursuant to Water Code Section 10723.2. The Agency will consider all interests of beneficial users and users of groundwater in developing and operating its GSA and developing and implementing its Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP).

Attached is a list of the interested parties developed to date. In addition, the following summarizes interested parties pursuant to Water Code Section 10723.2 and how their interests will be considered in the EAGSA:

(a)(1) Agricultural users – Holders of overlying groundwater rights - Agricultural users are represented on the Board of Directors through their member agencies.

(a)(2) Domestic well owners – Holders of overlying groundwater rights - Domestic well owners are represented on the Board of Directors through the County of Shasta.

(b) Public water systems - Public water systems are represented on the Board of Directors through their member agencies with the exception of Centerville Community Services District, Igo-Ono Community Service District, and Cottonwood Water District. These local agencies opted to not participate in the EAGSA and Shasta County has agreed to represent their groundwater interests.

(c) Municipal well operators - Municipal well operators are represented on the Board of Directors through their member agencies.

(d) Local land use planning – local land use agencies are represented on the Board of Directors through their member agencies.

(e) Environmental users of groundwater - the Agency has attempted to determine what, if any, environmental users of groundwater there may be in the Enterprise and Anderson subbasins. At this time, it is unknown whether such use exists. Nonetheless, environmental groups can seek representation through their local agency and from the local agency representative on the Governing Board. The Agency will continue to consider and evaluate whether such use does exist.

(f) Surface water users – All member agencies with the exception of the City of Anderson are surface water users and will have representation on the EAGSA Board. Centerville CSD, a local agency over the basin using surface water, opted not to participate in the EAGSA, as noted above, and will be represented by Shasta County. Other private surface water users are represented on the Board of Directors through their member agencies.

(g) The federal government - including, but not limited to, the military and managers of federal lands - The Agency has attempted to determine which federal lands and/or federal areas are in need of representation in the GSA. At this time, it does not appear such need exists. However, the Agency members have formal and informal relationships with federal agencies and representation on the Board of Directors can be through these member agencies.

(h) California Native American Tribes - The Agency has reached out to the local tribes in the GSA formation process. The tribes that responded did not express interest in a formal role in the EAGSA. The Agency will continue to reach out during the course of the GSP development and ensure tribal groundwater interests are identified and managed in the plan.

(i) Disadvantaged communities - including, but not limited to, those served by private domestic wells or small community water systems. Disadvantaged communities are represented through various member agencies on the Board of Directors.

(j) Entities listed in Section 10927 - Entities listed in Section 10927 that are monitoring and reporting groundwater elevations in all or a part of a groundwater basin managed by the EAGSA – all Section 10927 agencies are represented through member agencies on the Board of Directors.