



Westlands Water District

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March 3, 2022

City of Avenal
Melissa Whitten
919 Skyline Boulevard, Avenal, CA 93204

Dear Ms. Whitten,

Westlands Water District, which serves as the Groundwater Sustainability Agency for the Westside Subbasin (WWD GSA), hereby provides pursuant to California Water Code Section 10728.4 notice of its intent to consider for adoption an amended and/or supplemented Westside Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP) no earlier than 90-days upon your receipt of this notice. Within 30 calendar days of receiving this notice, the City of Avenal may submit to the WWD GSA a request to consult on the GSP. A request for consultation received after 30 calendar days will not be considered.

The WWD GSA approved the GSP in December 2019 and submitted the GSP to the Department of Water Resources (DWR) in January 2020. After evaluating the GSP, on January 21, 2022, DWR informed the WWD GSA that the GSP is "incomplete." DWR based that determination on recommendations from a "Staff Report", included as an enclosure to a "Statement of Findings" provided to the WWD GSA on January 21, 2022. The Staff Report provided corrective actions which DWR recommended to address the identified deficiencies that supported the incomplete determination. WWD GSA is working to amend and/or supplement the GSP to the fully address the deficiencies identified by DWR.

The GSP, as may be amended and/or supplemented, will govern and WWD GSA will administer sustainable groundwater management actions within the Westside Subbasin (Groundwater Basin: 5-022.09; see attached map).

For additional information regarding this notice please contact me at 559-241-6226.

Sincerely,

Westlands Water District GSA
Katarina Campbell, PE
SGMA Program Manager

