



PUBLIC NOTICE
Merced Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Agencies
Set Public Hearings to Consider Adoption of
Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP)
November 12, 2019

The three groundwater sustainability agencies (GSAs) in the Merced Groundwater Subbasin will each consider adoption of the Merced Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP) to be submitted to the California Department of Water Resources by January 31, 2020. The Turner Island Water District GSA-1, Merced Subbasin GSA, and Merced Irrigation-Urban GSA will conduct public hearings on the schedule below. The public will have an opportunity to provide oral comments on the GSP. The Merced Subbasin GSP is available at mercedsgma.org.

Turner Island Water District GSA-1 (TIWD GSA-1)

When: November 19, 2019 at 1:30pm

Where: Turner Island Water District Meeting Room, 1269 West "I" Street, Los Banos, Ca

Merced Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Agency (MSGSA)

When: December 9, 2019 at 2:00pm

Where: County of Merced Board Room, Third Floor, 2222 M Street, Merced, CA

Merced Irrigation-Urban Groundwater Sustainability Agency (MIUGSA)

When: December 11, 2019 at 9:00am

Where: Merced Irrigation District, 744 W 20th Street, Merced, CA

For more information about the Merced Subbasin GSP, to sign-up for email updates, and to find meeting times and locations, visit <http://www.mercedsgma.org>.

Background

The Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA) requires Groundwater Sustainability Plans (GSPs) be adopted for the high priority, critically-overdrafted groundwater basins in California (including the Merced Subbasin) by January 31, 2020. The plans must detail how basins will become sustainable over a 20-year timeframe and must be submitted to the California Department of Water Resources for approval. In accordance with SGMA, water management and land management agencies in the Merced Subbasin formed three Groundwater Sustainability Agencies (GSAs): Turner Island Water District GSA #1, Merced Subbasin GSA, and Merced Irrigation-Urban GSA.

The three GSAs in the region collaborated over the last two years on the creation of one GSP for the entire Merced Subbasin. The GSP development process included extensive stakeholder engagement including monthly public meetings of a Stakeholder Committee and a Coordinating Committee and public workshops held throughout the basin. The GSAs held a 30-day comment period on the draft GSP ending August 19, 2019. The GSAs held a joint Board meeting on September 18, 2019 to discuss comments on the GSP and receive additional public comment. The draft GSP was revised based on comments and is now ready to be considered for adoption. Once adopted, the GSP will guide groundwater management in the Merced Subbasin.

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Attention: Jennifer McMaster**MERCED IRRIGATION DISTRICT
744 W 20TH STREET
MERCED, CA 95340****NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR PROPOSED GROUNDWATER
SUSTAINABILITY PLAN ADOPTION
(WATER CODE § 10728.4)**

A public hearing will be held by the Merced Irrigation-Urban Groundwater Sustainability Agency (MIUGSA) proposed adoption of a Groundwater Sustainability Plan ("GSP") pursuant to Water Code section 10728.4. Under the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act of 2014 (Water Code § 10720 et seq.) ("SGMA"), at least 90-days prior to holding a public hearing to adopt a GSP, a Groundwater Sustainability Agency ("GSA") must provide notice to a city or county within the area of the proposed GSP (Water Code § 10728.4).

The three GSAs in the Merced Groundwater Subbasin collaborated on the creation of one GSP and collectively provided a Notice of Intent to adopt the GSP to the cities and the counties within the area of the proposed GSP on July 22, 2019. Each GSA will consider adoption of the Merced Subbasin GSP to be submitted to the California Department of Water Resources by January 31, 2020. The MIUGSA will conduct a public hearing on the date below. The public will have an opportunity to provide oral comments on the Merced Subbasin GSP.

Merced Irrigation-Urban Groundwater Sustainability Agency (MIUGSA)**When:** December 11, 2019 at 9:00 AM**Where:** Merced Irrigation District, 744 W 20th Street, Merced, CA

To download the Merced Subbasin GSP, find more information, sign-up for email updates, and find meeting times and locations, visit <http://www.mercedsgma.org>. Once adopted, MIUGSA will govern the sustainable groundwater management actions for all users within MIUGSA's jurisdictional boundaries, which are the same as the Merced Irrigation District boundaries. MIUGSA includes the cities of Merced, Atwater, and Livingston, as well as the communities of Winton, Cressey, Planada, Le Grand, and El Nido. Turner Island Water District GSA-1 and Merced Subbasin GSA will conduct public hearings on the schedule below:

Turner Island Water District GSA-1 (TIWD GSA-1)**When:** November 19, 2019 at 1:30pm**Where:** Turner Island Water District Meeting Room, 1269 West "I" Street, Los Banos, CA**Merced Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Agency (MSGSA)****When:** December 9, 2019 at 2:00pm**Where:** County of Merced Board Chambers Room, Third Floor, 2222 M Street, Merced, CA**Declaration of Publication
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County of Merced)**

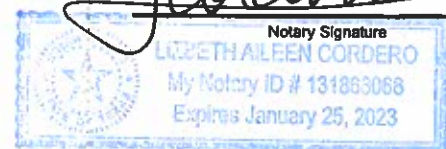
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MERCED COUNTY PLANNING
2222 M STREET
MERCED, CA 95340

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I am a citizen of the United States; I am over the age of eighteen years, and not a party to or interested in the above entitled matter. I am the principal clerk of the printer of the Merced Sun-Star, a newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in the city of Merced, County of Merced, and which newspaper has been adjudged a newspaper of general circulation by the Superior Court of the County of Merced, State of California, under the date of July 14, 1964 Case Number 33224 that the notice, of which the annexed is a printed copy, has been published in each regular and entire issue of said newspaper and not in any supplement thereof on the following dates, to wit:

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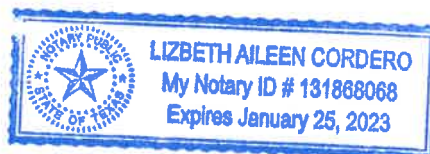
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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
FOR ADOPTION OF THE
MERCED SUBBASIN
GROUNDWATER
SUSTAINABILITY PLAN FOR THE
MERCED SUBBASIN GSA UNDER
THE SUSTAINABLE
GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT
ACT**

A Public Hearing will be held by the Merced Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Agency Governing Board on December 9, 2019 at 2:00 p.m. in the Board Room, Third Floor, County Administration Building, 2222 "M" Street, Merced, California to consider adoption of the Merced Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP).

Pursuant to California Water Code Section 10728.4, the Merced Subbasin GSA Governing Board shall hold a public hearing to consider adoption of the Merced Subbasin GSP for its portion of the Merced Subbasin (DWR Bulletin 118 Groundwater Basin: 5-022.04). This GSP was prepared in response to passage of the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act of 2014 and applies to certain areas in the Merced Subbasin. All persons interested are invited to attend and will be given an opportunity to be heard. For additional details and to download a copy of the final Merced Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Plan, visit mercedsgma.org.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR ADOPTION OF A
GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY PLAN FOR THE
TURNER ISLAND WATER DISTRICT GROUNDWATER AGENCY - 1
AND FOR ADOPTION OF A GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY PLAN
FOR THE TURNER ISLAND WATER DISTRICT GROUNDWATER
AGENCY - 2
UNDER THE SUSTAINABLE GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT ACT

A Public Hearing will be held by the Turner Island Water District Groundwater Sustainability Agency - 1 (TIWD GSA-1) on Tuesday, November 19, 2019 at 1:30 p.m. at the Turner Island Water District Meeting Room located at 1269 West "I" Street, Los Banos, California, to adopt the Turner Island Water District Groundwater Sustainability Agency - 1 Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP).

A Public Hearing will be held by the Turner Island Water District Groundwater Sustainability Agency - 2 (TIWD GSA - 2) on Tuesday, November 19, 2019 at 2:00 p.m. at the Turner Island Water District Meeting Room located at 1269 West "I" Street, Los Banos, California, to adopt the Turner Island Water District Groundwater Sustainability Agency - 2 Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP)

Pursuant to California Water Code Section 10728.4, the governing board of the TIWD GSA -1 shall hold a public hearing to adopt the GSP for its portion of the Merced Subbasin (DWR Bulletin 118, Groundwater Basin 5-22.04). Pursuant to California Water Code Section 10728.4, the governing board of the TIWD GSA - 2 shall hold a public hearing to adopt the GSP for its portion of the Delta-Mendota Subbasin (DWR Bulletin 118 Groundwater Basin 5-022-07). These GSPs were prepared in response to passage of the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act of 2014 and apply to certain unincorporated areas in the Merced and Delta-Mendota Subbasins. All persons interested are invited to attend and will be given an opportunity to be heard. For additional details and to download a copy of the final TIWD GSA - 1 Merced Sub-basin GSP, visit www.mercedsgma.org. For additional details and to download a copy of the final TIWD GSA - 2 Exchange Contractors GSP, visit www.deltamendota.org.