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### DEVELOPMENT PROJECT BEFORE RECLAMATION BOARD

SACRAMENTO -- The Reclamation Board of California will consider several flood control issues of importance to the Sacramento region when it meets at 9 a.m. on Friday, December 21 in the First Floor Auditorium of The Resources Building at 1416 Ninth Street, Sacramento.

Agenda items include the proposed Captain's Table hotel and restaurant project, and a staff briefing on a joint Reclamation Board - U.S. Army Corps of Engineers study of the proposed Woodland Flood Control Project.

The Captain's Table project is in South Sacramento in a triangle of land where Riverside Boulevard crosses under Interstate 5, between the Sutterville and Fruitridge-Seamas freeway exits. The Reclamation Board has twice disapproved the project for encroaching upon federal flood protection levees, but will reconsider the applicant's modified project design that limits riverfront development to the restaurant alone and places the hotel on the landside of the levees. Reclamation Board staff is recommending approval of the hotel and denial of the restaurant.

At Friday's meeting, The Reclamation Board also will be briefed on two options for the proposed Woodland Flood Control Project. For approximately the same cost, the options are either about 200-year flood protection for the City of Woodland including agricultural areas, or about 2,000-year protection for the City of Woodland alone, without protection for agriculture. No board decision will be made on the project Friday.

Other agenda items include: approval of a resolution supporting the Lower American River Corridor Management Plan, and briefings on activities of the Department of Water Resources, Middle Creek Flood Damage Reduction and

Ecosystem Restoration, and the Sacramento River Conservation Area.

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