

**TRIBAL GOVERNMENT  
CONSULTATION ON  
PROPOSITION 1 WATER BOND  
Funding Opportunities for  
Tribal Governments**

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*“Sustainable water systems include the ability to plan, develop, and manage the usage of this valuable cultural resource. Water is “paal”-sacred and important to all. In the past, we had spiritual rain-makers; today, we continue to whistle for wind that may bring our rains.”*

*Donna Begay  
Tribal Advisory Committee (TAC) Member  
A Tubatulabal Water Story  
Tribal Water Stories  
2009 Tribal Water Summit*

**TRIBAL GOVERNMENT CONSULTATION  
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JUNE 9, 2015  
8:30AM – 5:00PM  
AGENDA**

<b>8:30 am - 9:00 am</b>	REGISTRATION
<b>8:45 am - 9:15 am</b>	INTRODUCTIONS AND AGENDA OVERVIEW <b>Anecita Agustinez</b> , Tribal Policy Advisor Department of Water Resources <b>Gita Kapahi</b> , Tribal Liaison State Water Resources Control Board
<b>9:15 am - 9:45 am</b>	WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS <b>John Laird</b> , California Secretary for Natural Resources <b>Mark Cowin</b> , Director, Department of Water Resources
<b>9:45 am - 9:55 am</b>	PROPOSITION 1 OVERVIEW <b>Gordon Burns</b> , Undersecretary for Environmental Protection, California Environmental Protection Agency
<b>9:55 am - 10:05 am</b>	GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF THE TRIBAL ADVISOR <b>Cynthia Gomez</b> , Governor's Office Tribal Advisor
<b>10:05 am - 12:00 pm</b>	PANEL OF AGENCIES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Officials from State agencies and departments will discuss the relationship of Proposition 1 Water Bond to the Governor's Water Action Plan.</li> <li>• Officials will discuss the multi-agency alignment under the Governor's Water Action Plan to achieve better water reliability, restoration, and resilient outcomes.</li> </ul> <p><b>Felicia Marcus</b>, Chair, State Water Resources Control Board <b>Gary Bardini</b>, Deputy Director, and <b>Kamyar Guivetchi</b>, Manager, Statewide Integrated Water Management, Department of Water Resources <b>Kevin Hunting</b>, Chief Deputy Director, California Department of Fish and Wildlife <b>Paula Daniels</b>, Member, California Water Commission <b>Cat Kuhlman</b>, Executive Director/Deputy Secretary for Oceans and Coastal Policy, Ocean Protection Council <b>William Edgar</b>, President, Central Valley Flood Protection Board <b>Emma Suarez</b>, Vice President, Central Valley Flood Protection Board</p>
<b>10:45 am - 11:00 am</b> <b>BREAK</b>	
<b>12:00 pm - 12:10 pm</b>	OVERVIEW OF THE AFTERNOON SESSION

**TRIBAL GOVERNMENT CONSULTATION  
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<b>12:10 am - 1:30 pm</b>	LUNCH (ON YOUR OWN)
<b>1:30 pm - 2:45 pm</b>	<p>PROPOSITION 1 GRANT INFORMATION:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Officials from State agencies and departments will discuss grant programs, eligible projects, and funding opportunities for Tribal Governments.</li> <li>• State officials will provide an update on current regulations and grant program solicitation schedules for awarding water bond funds.</li> <li>• Each agency and department will discuss how tribal concerns regarding funding eligibility are being considered as each agency prepares its funding opportunities.</li> </ul> <p><b>Helen Birss</b>, Chief, Wetlands Restoration Branch California Department of Fish and Wildlife <b>Cat Kuhlman</b>, Executive Director/Deputy Secretary for Oceans and Coastal Policy Ocean Protection Council <b>Amy Vierra</b>, Deputy Director, Ocean Protection Council Ocean Protection Council <b>Dave Gutierrez</b>, Chief, Division of Safety of Dams Department of Water Resources <b>Tracie Billington</b>, Chief, Financial Assistance Branch Department of Water Resources <b>Paula Landis</b>, Executive Officer, California Water Commission <b>Leslie Laudon</b>, Assistant Deputy Director, Division of Financial Assistance State Water Resources Control Board</p>
<b>2:45 pm - 3:30 pm</b>	<p>REVIEW AND OPEN DISCUSSION <b>Anecita Agustinez</b>, Tribal Policy Advisor Department of Water Resources</p>
<b>3:30 pm</b>	<p>CLOSING <b>Gita Kapahi</b>, Tribal Liaison State Water Resources Control Board</p>
<b>3:30 pm - 5:00 pm</b>	<p>HOSTED RECEPTION IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING <i>Please enjoy light refreshments and an opportunity for networking in the mezzanine.</i></p>

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<b>8:30 am- 9:00 am</b>	REGISTRATION
<b>9:00 am- 9:15 am</b>	WELCOME AND OUTLINE AGENDA FOR DAY 2 <b>Steven Ingram</b> , Senior Staff Counsel, Tribal Liaison CA Department of Fish and Wildlife
<b>9:15 am - 9:45 am</b>	CHAPTER 6 WATERSHED PROTECTION AND RESTORATION CA Department of Fish and Wildlife <b>Helen Birss</b> , Chief, Wetlands Restoration Branch
<b>9:45 am - 10:05 am</b>	CHAPTER 6 WATERSHED PROTECTION AND RESTORATION CA Ocean Protection Council <b>Amy Vierra</b> , Deputy Director, Ocean Protection Council
<b>10:05 am - 10:35 am</b>	CHAPTER 8 WATER STORAGE INVESTMENT PROGRAM California Water Commission <b>Rachel Ballanti</b> , Assistant Executive Officer
<b>10:35 am -10:50 am</b>	BREAK
<b>10:50 am - 11:20 am</b>	CHAPTER 5 SAFE DRINKING WATER State Water Resources Control Board <b>Dat Tran</b> , P.E., Chief, Drinking Water Technical Assistance Program, Division of Financial Assistance
<b>11:20 am - 12:00 pm</b>	CHAPTER 7 REGIONAL WATER RELIABILITY Regional Water Security, Climate, and Drought Preparedness  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Integrated Regional Water Management <i>Department of Water Resources</i> <b>Tracie Billington</b>, Chief, Financial Assistance Branch <b>Joseph Yun</b>, Chief, Planning Section</li> <li>• Multibenefit Stormwater <i>State Water Resources Control Board</i> <b>Joe Karkoski</b>, Supervising Water Resource Control Engineer, Division of Financial Assistance, Bond Section</li> <li>• Water Conservation and Water Use Efficiency <i>Department of Water Resources</i> <b>Diana Brooks</b>, Chief, Water Use and Efficiency Branch <b>Fethi Benjemaa</b>, Chief, Agricultural Water Use Efficiency Grant Office <b>Peter Brostrom</b>, Chief, Water Use Efficiency Section</li> </ul>

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<b>12:00 pm - 1:30 pm</b>	LUNCH (ON YOUR OWN)
<b>1:30 pm - 1:50 pm</b>	CHAPTER 9 WATER RECYCLING <i>State Water Resources Control Board</i> Water Recycling <b>Dan Newton</b> , Water Resource Control Engineer, Division of Financial Assistance, Water Recycling Funding Program
<b>1:50 pm - 2:10 pm</b>	CHAPTER 9 WATER RECYCLING <i>Department of Water Resources</i> Water Desalination <b>Diana Brooks</b> , Chief, Water Use and Efficiency Branch <b>Richard Mills</b> , Chief, Recycling and Water Desalination
<b>2:10 pm - 2:25 pm</b>	CHAPTER 10 GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY <i>State Water Resources Control Board</i> Groundwater Sustainability <b>Robert Reeves</b> , Senior Engineering Geologist, Division of Financial Assistance, Project Development
<b>2:25 pm - 2:50 pm</b>	CHAPTER 10 GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY <i>Department of Water Resources</i> Groundwater Planning <b>Dave Gutierrez</b> , Chief, Division of Safety of Dams <b>Tracie Billington</b> , Chief, Financial Assistance Branch <b>Laura McLean</b> , Senior Engineering Geologist, Financial Assistance Branch
<b>2:45 pm - 3:00 pm</b>	CHAPTER 11 FLOOD MANAGEMENT <i>Department of Water Resources</i> <b>David Martasian</b> , Senior Environmental Scientist, Environmental Support Section, Flood Project Office
<b>3:00 pm - 3:30 pm</b>	OPEN DISCUSSION AND CLOSING <b>Gita Kapahi</b> , Tribal Liaison, SWRCB

## Key Funding Areas

SAFE DRINKING WATER  
\$520 million

WATERSHEDS AND FLOOD  
MANAGEMENT  
\$1.89 billion

REGIONAL WATER RELIABILITY  
\$810 million

WATER STORAGE CAPACITY  
\$2.7 billion

WATER RECYCLING  
\$725 million

GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY  
\$900 million

# FACTS ABOUT PROPOSITION 1 WATER BOND

California Proposition 1, the Water Bond (Assembly Bill 1471) was approved by California's voters on November 4, 2014. The measure will enact the Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014. Proposition 1 authorizes \$7.545 billion in general obligation bonds for state water supply infrastructure projects such as public water system improvements, surface and groundwater storage, drinking water protection, water recycling and advanced water treatment technology, water supply management and conveyance, wastewater treatment, drought relief, emergency water supplies, and ecosystem and watershed protection and restoration. The bond funds will be distributed through a competitive grant process overseen by various state agencies, including the Department of Water Resources, the State Water Resources Control Board, the California , and the Department of Fish and Wildlife.



*Proposition 1 is the product of more than five years of discussions and negotiations among state lawmakers, stakeholders, and others to craft a responsible bond measure to provide targeted funding for new surface and groundwater storage projects, regional water reliability, sustainable groundwater management and cleanup, water recycling, water conservation, and safe drinking water, particularly for disadvantaged communities.*

*Unknown*

# WHAT'S IN PROPOSITION 1

## Safe Drinking Water: \$520 million

Safe drinking water and clean water program particularly for disadvantaged communities.

- \$260 million for wastewater treatment projects
- \$260 million for public water system infrastructure improvements and related actions to meet safe drinking water standards and/or ensure affordable drinking water

## Watersheds and Flood Management: \$1.89 billion

Habitat and water programs, enhancement to rivers and creeks, watersheds in designated areas, state commitments to restoration and statewide flood management.

## Regional Water Reliability: \$810 million

\$810 million for expenditures and competitive grants and loans to the Integrated Regional Water Management Program.

- Help water infrastructure systems adapt to climate change, including sea level rise
- Provide incentives for water agencies to collaborate in managing the region's water resources and set regional priorities for water infrastructure
- Improve regional water self-reliance

## Storage: \$2.7 billion

New water storage projects or reoperation of existing storage projects to add flexibility to the system and create more places to store water for use later. The California Water Commission will allocate dollars on a competitive basis to partially fund water storage projects such as groundwater storage and contamination prevention of remediation projects that provide water storage benefits.

## Water Recycling and Desalination: \$725 million

\$725 million for water recycling and advance treatment technology projects, such as, water recycling projects, contaminate and salt removal projects, multibenefit recycled water projects that improve water quality, and technical assistance and grant writing assistance for disadvantaged communities.

## Groundwater Sustainability: \$900 million

The State Water Resources Control Board will allocate funds for loans and grants for projects that will prevent or clean up the contamination of groundwater that serves or has served as a source of drinking water.



**PROP 1 PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT SCHEDULE**

<b>Category</b>	<b>Agency</b>	<b>Guideline Process Expected Start</b>	<b>Guideline Process Expected Completion</b>
Small community wastewater treatment	State Water Resources Control Board	March 2015	June 2015
Safe and affordable drinking water	State Water Resources Control Board	May 2015	July-Aug. 2015
Multibenefit watershed projects	State Conservancies (various)	Jan.-Feb. 2015	Various dates
Enhanced stream flows	Wildlife Conservation Board	Feb. 2015	May 2015
Urban creek restoration	State Conservancies (various)	In process	TBD
State obligations in water-related settlements	Natural Resources Agency	In process	TBD
Watershed and Urban River Enhancements	Natural Resources Agency	In process	TBD
Watershed restoration and Delta water quality and ecosystem restoration	Department of Fish and Wildlife	Jan. 2015	May 2015
Integrated regional water management	Department of Water Resources	March 2015	2016 (Final Round of Prop 84 in progress and to be awarded by Aug. 2015)
Water Use Efficiency Grants, Round 1 – Urban and Agricultural	Department of Water Resources	July 2015	December, 2015
Water Desalination	Department of Water Resources	July 2015	December, 2015
Stormwater management	State Water Resources Control Board	In process	December, 2015
Water Storage Investment Program	California Water Commission	Jan. 2015	Regulations must be complete by December 2016
Water recycling	State Water Resources Control Board	April 2015	June 2015
Groundwater Plans and Project Grant Program – Phase 1	Department of Water Resources	March 2015	TBD
Groundwater Sustainability (cleanup)	State Water Resources Control Board	In process	March, 2016
Multibenefit projects to achieve public safety and enhance fish/wildlife, including Delta levee maintenance and improvements	DWR/Central Valley Flood Protection Board	In process	TBD

# Proposition 1 Programs

Department of Water Resources, Department of Fish and Wildlife, California Water Commission, and State Water Resources Control Board



## CHAPTER 5. Clean, Safe, and Reliable Drinking

These projects will be designed to reduce contaminants in the state’s drinking water – particularly in disadvantaged, rural, or small communities. Half of the funds will be used for wastewater treatment projects, which may include projects that identify, plan, design, and implement regional mechanisms to consolidate wastewater systems, or provide affordable treatment technologies. The other half of the funds will be used to fund public drinking water infrastructure improvements, which may include projects that provide treatment for contamination or access to an alternate drinking water source for small community water systems in disadvantaged communities. Communities awarded funding under this chapter must share at least 50 percent of the costs of the project, but this match may be waived or reduced for disadvantaged communities or economically distressed areas. At least 10 percent of the funds allocated under Chapter 5 must serve “severely” disadvantaged communities, and up to 15 percent may be allocated for technical assistance to these communities.

### Chapter 5.

#### **STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD**

- State Water Pollution Control Revolving Fund - Wastewater Treatment Projects
- Water System Infrastructure Improvements - Safe Drinking Water

### Chapter 6.

#### **CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE AND CA OCEAN PROTECTION COUNCIL**

- Water Quality, Ecosystem Restoration and Fish Protection Facilities - Delta
- Watershed Restoration

## CHAPTER 6. Protecting Rivers, Lakes, Streams, Coastal Waters, and Watersheds

The water bond will make available \$1.495 billion for competitive grants for ecosystem and watershed protection and restoration projects that will also provide benefits for water resources. These grants will restore and protect ecosystems and habitats, restore river parkways and urban creeks throughout the state, promote watershed health that increases regional and local water self-sufficiency, and reduce pollution of California’s waters.

## CHAPTER 7. Regional Water Security, Climate, and Drought Preparedness

Chapter 7 provides more than \$810 million in funding for expenditures, grants, and loans to improve regional water self-reliance, promote collaboration among local agencies, and adapt to the effects of climate change on water supply. Eligible projects must be included in, and implemented in, an adopted integrated regional water management plan. Specifically, these projects may include things like water reuse and recycling – reusing wastewater that has been treated to meet water quality standards. Also included are water efficiency and conservation projects, which facilitate deployment of technologies that enable water users to meet the same demands with less water. Projects that capture rainwater and recharge it into groundwater basins are also potentially eligible for funds under this chapter.

## CHAPTER 8. Statewide Water System Operational Improvement and Drought Preparedness

Fund of \$2.7 billion will be continuously appropriated for cost-effective water storage projects that improve the operation of the state water system and provide a net improvement in ecosystem and water quality conditions. All projects funded under this chapter must provide measurable improvement to the Delta ecosystem or to the tributaries to the Delta. These funds will be administered by the California Water Commission, which will establish rules and criteria for making funding decisions. Funds made available through this chapter may only be used for the public benefits associated with water storage projects, including:

- Ecosystem improvements
- Water quality improvements
- Flood control benefits
- Emergency response preparedness

### Chapter 7.

#### **DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES**

(Integrated Regional Water  
Management Regions)

Twelve hydrologic regions will share  
\$510 million toward these goals:

- North Coast Bay-\$26,500,000
- San Francisco Bay-\$65,000,000
- Central Coast-\$43,000,000
- Los Angeles-\$98,000,000
- Santa Ana-\$63,000,000
- San Diego-\$52,500,000
- Sacramento River-\$37,000,000
- Tulare/Kern-\$34,000,000
- North/South Lahontan-  
\$24,500,000
- Colorado River Basin-  
\$22,500,000
- Mountain Counties Overlay-  
\$13,000,000

Water Conservation and Water Use  
Efficiency Plans, Projects, and  
Programs

### Chapter 7.

#### **STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD**

- Multibenefit Stormwater  
Management Projects

### Chapter 8.

#### **CALIFORNIA WATER COMMISSION**

- Water Storage Investment  
Program



**Chapter 9.**

**DEPARTMENT OF  
WATER RESOURCES**

- Water Desalination

**STATE WATER**

**RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD**

- Water Recycling

**Chapter 10.**

**DEPARTMENT OF  
WATER RESOURCES**

- Develop and Implement Groundwater Plans and Projects

**STATE WATER**

**RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD**

- Groundwater Sustainability

**Chapter 11.**

**DEPARTMENT OF  
WATER RESOURCES**

- Flood Management

## CHAPTER 9. Water Recycling and Desalination

Chapter 9 designates \$725 million for water recycling and advanced treatment technology projects. Water recycling is the process of treating former wastewater to remove solids and impurities for use in irrigation, drinking water, and groundwater aquifer recharge. These projects typically provide numerous benefits, such as, decreasing discharge to sensitive water bodies, reducing and preventing pollution, and decreasing water diversion from ecosystems. Water desalination is the process of removing salts from saline water, such as brackish ground water or ocean water. This can provide a new source of water and improve water quality. The benefits of water recycling and desalination often help coastal communities, in particular, but communities throughout the state are eligible for funding under this chapter. Projects will be selected according to a number of criteria, including benefits related to decreased reliance on diversions from the Delta, and will be dispersed throughout all regions of the state.

## CHAPTER 10. Groundwater Sustainability

Prevention and cleanup of groundwater contamination are critical components of successful groundwater management. Groundwater quality becomes especially important as water providers evaluate investments in groundwater recharge projects that augment local groundwater supplies to improve regional water self-reliance. To this end, the bond includes \$900 million for projects that prevent or clean up the contamination of groundwater that serves as a source of drinking water. Funding focuses on projects addressing contamination issues that pose the biggest threat to an affected community’s overall drinking water supply, including the potential for contamination to spread. The bond also makes available \$100 million to groundwater sustainability agencies for developing new groundwater plans as part of newly passed groundwater legislation. These plans are designed to ensure sustainable management of groundwater resources throughout the state.

## CHAPTER 11. Flood Management

According to Chapter 11, the Department of Water Resources and the Central Valley Flood Protection Board will receive \$395 million for statewide flood management projects, allocating funds to projects that achieve multiple benefits, including public safety and fish and wildlife habitat enhancement. A majority of these funds will be used to reduce the risk of levee failure and flooding in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta.

## PRESENTERS BIOS

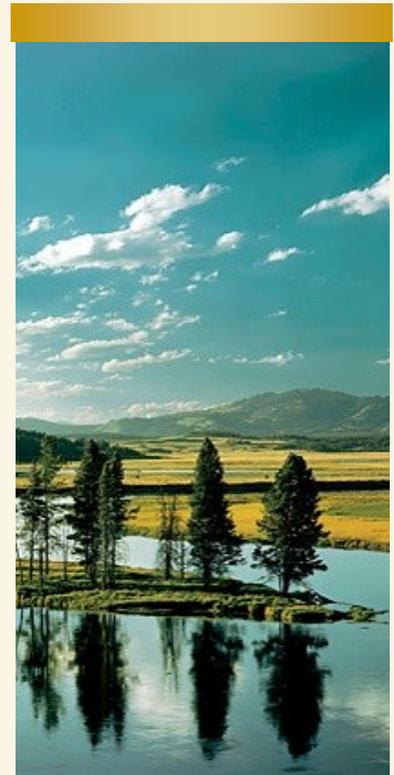


### John Laird California Secretary for Natural Resources

John Laird was appointed California Secretary for Natural Resources by Governor Jerry Brown on January 5, 2011. As Secretary, he provides administrative oversight to thirty departments, commissions, councils, museum, boards and

conservancies – and is a sitting member of sixteen conservancies, councils, boards and commissions within the purview of the Agency. Laird has spent nearly 40 years in public service, including 23 years as an elected official. In 1981, he was elected to the Santa Cruz City Council, and served nine years until term limits ended his council service in 1990. He was a two-term mayor from 1983 to 1984 and from 1987 to 1988. During his local government service, he served as a board member for local transit, transportation, water planning and regional government agencies. Laird was the executive director of the Santa Cruz AIDS Project from 1991 to 1994 and an elected member of the Cabrillo College Board of Trustees from 1994 to 2002. In 2002, he was elected to represent the 27th Assembly District in the California Assembly, which includes portions of Santa Cruz, Monterey, and Santa Clara Counties. He was re-elected in 2004 and again in 2006, when he received more than 70 percent of the vote. At the beginning of his second term, Laird joined the Assembly leadership team when Assembly Speaker Fabian Núñez named him chair of the Budget Committee, a position to which he was reappointed by Assembly Speaker Karen Bass in 2008. Laird was a member of the State Integrated Waste Management Board from 2008 to 2009 and taught state environmental policy at University of California Santa Cruz. Continuing his public service as California's Secretary of Natural Resources, Laird has made climate change adaptation, water conservation and supply reliability, enhanced relationships with tribal governments, state parks access, farmland conservation, and oceans sustainability among other issues top priorities.

[http://resources.ca.gov/secretarys\\_page/](http://resources.ca.gov/secretarys_page/)





## Mark W. Cowin Director



Mark W. Cowin was re-appointed Director for the California Department of Water Resources by Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. on April 13, 2012. Mr. Cowin has extensive experience with California water resources management and

has served as Director of DWR since 2010. As DWR Director, Mr. Cowin heads a Department that protects, conserves, and manages the state's water supply, including operation of the California State Water Project (SWP). SWP is the largest state-run, multi-purpose water and power system in the United States. It provides a supplemental water source for more than 30 million Californians and about 750,000 acres of irrigated farmland, and directly sustains over \$400 billion of the state's economy. In previous assignments, Mr. Cowin served for five years as Chief of DWR's Division of Planning and Local Assistance and was responsible for the state's strategic planning for water management and for providing technical and financial assistance for water management to local agencies and communities. He received a B.S. in Civil Engineering from Stanford University in 1980.

<http://www.water.ca.gov/director.cfm>

“The priorities of native peoples and nations should be recognized and represented in California’s Integrated Regional Water Management planning effort. Your participation in this collaborative effort is a turning point in how state government partners with Tribes to protect our state’s water resources.”

-Mark Cowin,  
Department of Water Resources  
Director

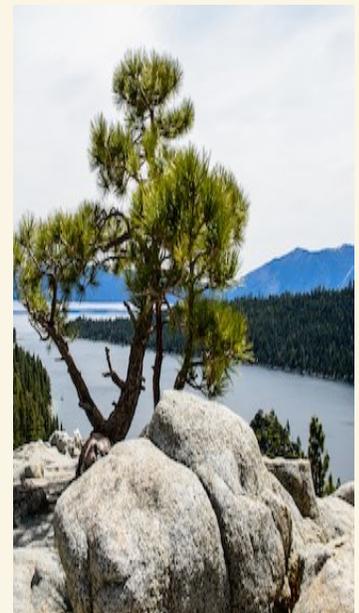


## Gordon Burns Undersecretary for Environmental Protection



Gordon Burns was appointed Undersecretary for the California Environmental Protection Agency by Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. in December 2011. Prior to his appointment, Gordon spent

most of his career as an attorney in the California Attorney General’s Office, where he focused on complex natural resources cases, writs, and appellate practice. From 1999 to 2006, he was a Deputy Attorney General in the Land Law Section, representing clients in cases involving regulatory takings, the California Environmental Quality Act, the restoration of the Lower Owens River, and the CALFED Bay-Delta Program. Beginning in 2006, he served as Deputy Solicitor General, supervising all of the State’s civil cases in the Supreme Court. From 2010 until his appointment as Undersecretary, Mr. Burns was an attorney at the Resources Law Group, where he led the firm’s climate change, land use, and transportation program. Mr. Burns holds a degree in history from the University of California Los Angeles and a law degree from the University of California Hastings College of the Law.





## Cynthia Gomez Governor's Tribal Advisor



Judge Cynthia Gomez is Governor Brown's Tribal Advisor and Native American Heritage Commission Executive Secretary. She advises Governor Brown and Cabinet colleagues on

topics related to Tribal governments and the implementation of effective government-to-government consultation between the Governor's Administration and California Tribes on policies that affect California Tribal communities. Tribal Advisor Gomez has more than 30 years advocating on behalf of Tribal people and other sensitive populations. Judge Gomez earned a juris doctorate degree at the University of Northern California's Lorenzo Patiño School of Law. Judge Gomez is Native American from the Tule River Yokut Tribe from the Tule River Indian Reservation in central California.

[http://tribalgovtaffairs.ca.gov/About\\_Us/Biography.html](http://tribalgovtaffairs.ca.gov/About_Us/Biography.html)



## Felicia Marcus Chair



Felicia Marcus was appointed by Governor Jerry Brown to the State Water Resources Control Board for the State of California in 2012, and designated by the Governor as Chair in April of 2013. Felicia served as the Regional Administrator

of the U.S. EPA Region IX in the Clinton Administration where she was known for her work in bringing unlikely allies together for environmental progress and for making the agency more responsive to the communities it serves, particularly Indian Tribes, communities of color, local government, and agricultural and business interests. While at U.S. EPA, Felicia worked extensively on the range of environmental issues under EPA's jurisdiction, most heavily in air quality, Bay-Delta water, tribal, and US-Mexico border issues. She currently serves or has served in the past on many non-profit boards and Advisory Councils including the Public Policy Institute of California Statewide Leadership Council, Sustainable Conservation, USC-Kesten Institute for Public Finance and Infrastructure Policy, and the Center for Diversity and the Environment. She is also currently an Obama Administration appointee to the Commission on Environmental Cooperation-Joint Public Advisory Council (U.S., Mexico, Canada).

[http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/about\\_us/board\\_members/](http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/about_us/board_members/)



## Gary B. Bardini Deputy Director



Gary B. Bardini was appointed Deputy Director for Integrated Water Management in August, 2011. In this capacity, he is responsible for leading four divisions and almost 850

employees conducting a variety of programs in support of the 2014 Governor's California Water Action Plan. Some of the services provided under Mr. Bardini's leadership include: statewide water management investigations, analysis and planning tied to the California Water Plan; drought management operations; water use efficiency investigations, outreach and local assistance; sustainable groundwater management; storage investigations; technical and financial assistance to nearly 50 integrated water management groups in the state, and climate change. Mr. Bardini is also responsible for the multi-faceted FloodSAFE California initiative which operates and enhances State-owned flood facilities, provides resources for local flood risk reduction projects, and implements the Central Valley Flood Protection Plan, all within the area served by the State Plan of Flood Control. Mr. Bardini served for two years as Chief of DWR's Division of Flood Management, where he led development and progression of the FloodSAFE California initiative and the 2012 Central Valley Flood Protection Plan. He holds a B.S. degree in civil engineering from California Polytechnic State University at San Luis Obispo with an emphasis in water resources and structures.

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## Kamyar Guivetchi Chief, Division of Statewide Integrated Water Management



Kamyar Guivetchi was appointed Chief of the Division of Statewide Integrated Water Management in August 2008 with the California Department of Water Resources (DWR) and prior to this appointment, he managed DWR's Strategic Water Planning from 2000 to 2008. During his 37 years with DWR, Mr. Guivetchi has worked on many projects with the North-Central Region Office, Division of Planning, Bay-Delta Office, and the Division of Environmental Services as Manager of the Suisun Marsh Program. Mr. Guivetchi managed DWR staff work and coordinated the participation of numerous government agencies, Native American Tribes, stakeholders, and public to prepare the California Water Plan Updates 2005 and 2009 using a collaborative and consensus-seeking approach. He now chairs the 29-member State Agency Steering Committee for Water Plan Update 2013. Mr. Guivetchi has a Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering and completed post graduate work in Environmental Engineering at the University of California, Davis. He is a California-registered Civil Engineer.





## Kevin Hunting Chief Deputy Director



Kevin Hunting is the Department of Fish and Wildlife’s Chief Deputy Director responsible for overall Department operations, administration of Department divisions and functions, and assisting the Director with issue resolution and policy development. Prior to his assignment, Mr. Hunting was the Deputy Director of the Ecosystem Conservation Division responsible for the Department’s regulatory and planning, conservation incentive, water resources planning and assessment programs. Mr. Hunting is currently co-chair of the National Fish, Wildlife, and Plants Climate Adaptation Strategy Implementation team, co-chair of the Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies Climate Change Committee, and serves on the Governor’s Drought Task Force and Climate Action team. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Wildlife Biology from Humboldt State University and has worked in wildlife management, conservation planning, and resource assessment for over 25 years.



## Paula Daniels Member



Paula Daniels, of Los Angeles, is a Pritzker Environment and Sustainability Education Fellow for 2015. She has worked on issues related to food systems, water, and climate as a volunteer at the Governor's Office of Planning and Research since 2014 and has been a lecturer at the University of California, Los Angeles Institute of the Environment and Sustainability since 2010. Daniels was a senior advisor on food policy and special projects in water at the Los Angeles Mayor's Office from 2011 to 2013 and was a commissioner at the City of Los Angeles Board of Public Works from 2005 to 2011. Prior to that, she was an attorney with various firms from 1985 to 2005. She served as a member of the California Bay-Delta Authority from 2003 to 2010 and is a member of the California League of Conservation Voters Education Fund Board of Directors and the Heal the Bay Board of Governors.





Cat Kuhlman  
OPC Executive Director  
Deputy Secretary for Oceans and Coastal  
Policy California Natural Resources Agency



As Deputy Secretary for Ocean Policy in California, Cat Kuhlman provides the vision to lead agencies toward the shared goal of healthy ocean ecosystems and a sustainable future. Her work spans the West Coast where she builds productive collaborations with neighboring states to find common priorities and approaches that serve across political borders. As executive director of the Ocean Protection Council, Cat advances science-informed policy through inter-agency collaborations and the application of strategic funding. Before her appointment to these posts by Governor Brown in 2012, Cat led the North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board where her work at preserving critical headwaters earned her national recognition and multiple awards. Prior to her service on the North Coast, Cat served the U.S. EPA in diverse capacities, addressing complex water resource management issues across jurisdictions and national borders. Known as a staunch advocate for resource stewardship and a problem solver who seeks equitable solutions, Cat continues to be sought after for her expertise at working on the intersection of the Clean Water Act and marine resource management.





## William H. Edgar Board President



On January 23, 2014, Mr. Bill Edgar was re-appointed by Governor Brown to a second term of office which expires on January 1, 2018. Mr. Edgar's career in government service spans almost 50 years, having served as City Manager for the City of Sacramento from 1993 to his date of his retirement in 1999, and as Assistant City Manager for the City of Sacramento from 1977 to 1992. Mr. Edgar served as the first Executive Director for the Sutter-Butte Flood Control Agency from 2007 to 2012 when the Governor appointed him to the Flood Protection Board. Mr. Edgar's contributions to the community have been honored by the American Society of Public Administration, the League of California Cities, the League of Women Voters and the Modern Transit Society of Sacramento. Mr. Edgar served as a member and officer of the California State Reclamation Board from 2001 to 2005 as well as other local boards and commissions in Sacramento. Mr. Edgar graduated from Haverford College in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and received his Masters Degree from the University of Pennsylvania, Fels Institute of State and Local Government within the Wharton School.

[http://www.cvfpb.ca.gov/members/Bill\\_Edgar\\_Bio\\_Info\\_9.1.14.pdf](http://www.cvfpb.ca.gov/members/Bill_Edgar_Bio_Info_9.1.14.pdf)

## Emma Suarez Board Vice-President



Ms. Emma Suárez was reappointed to the State Central Valley Flood Protection Board (Board) by Governor Brown in 2012. While serving on the Board, Suárez has been the Board's point person working with staff to update the CVFPB's Title 23 regulations. She previously served on the Board from 2005 to 2006, and from 2007 through the present. Suárez has over 20 years of experience handling legal and policy matters relating to natural resources management. In addition to her duties on the CVFPB, Ms. Suárez currently provides legal and policy advice to clients on matters relating to the federal Endangered Species Act, the National Environmental Policy Act, Porter Cologne Water Quality Control Act, and other environmental laws. . From 2004 to 2006, she served as an attorney in the natural resources and environmental division for the California Farm Bureau Federation. She served as Director of Government Affairs for the Fresno Chamber of Commerce. As a member of Gov. Pete Wilson's Administration, Suárez served as Director of the Governor's Office of Community Relations and Director of External Affairs, California Department of Food and Agriculture. She represented Pacific Gas and Electric as a Public Affairs Representative, focused on local government and community relations in four Central Valley counties part of the PG&E territory.

<http://www.cvfpb.ca.gov/members/bio-suarez.cfm>



## Helen Birss Chief, Wetlands Restoration Branch



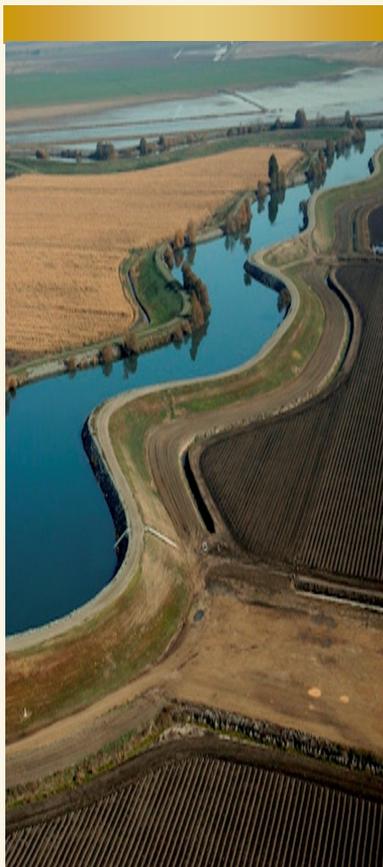
Helen Birss is the Branch Chief of the new Wetlands Restoration Branch for the Department of Fish and Wildlife. Ms. Birss and her Branch are responsible for the development of two new grant programs funded through the Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014 (Proposition 1): the Watershed Restoration Grant Program and the Delta Water Quality and Ecosystem Restoration Grant Program. Ms. Birss is also responsible for administering the new Greenhouse Gas Reduction Grant Program funded through the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund. Prior to this assignment, Ms. Birss was Branch Chief of the Habitat Conservation Planning Branch for the Department. Prior to joining the Department in 2002, Ms. Birss was Executive Director of the Rural Development Council with the California Technology, Trade and Commerce Agency. Ms. Birss received her B.S. degrees in Wildlife Biology and Botany from Colorado State University, and M.S. degree in Natural Resource Economics from the University of Idaho.



## Amy Vierra Deputy Director



Amy Vierra is Deputy Director of the Ocean Protection Council. Prior to joining the OPC, Amy served as a consultant to the process to designate marine protected areas in California's Central Coast and was previously with Environmental Defense Fund. Amy holds a Master's in Public Policy from the Goldman School and a Master's of Science from the Energy and Resources Group, both at UC Berkeley.



## Dave Gutierrez Chief, Division of Safety of Dams

David Gutierrez is currently the Chief of Division of Safety of Dams and Program Manager for the Groundwater Sustainability

Program within the Department of Water Resources. He has worked for the department in several capacities over the past 35 years including Chief of the Division of Safety of Dams (DSOD), Deputy Director for Public Safety, and Deputy Director for Business Operations. As Chief of DSOD he oversees the regulation of over 1,250 dams in California and as Deputy Director of Public Safety, he oversaw the development of the FloodSAFE California Program. He has a Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering and Master of Science degree specializing in Geotechnical Engineering from California State University, Sacramento. He is a registered professional civil and geotechnical engineer in the State of California. David has served on the Board of Directors for the Association of State Dam Safety Officials and also served as president of the organization. He is a member of the National Dam Safety Review Board and the Strong Motion Instrumentation Advisory Committee of the California Division of Mines and Geology.



## Tracie Billington P.E, Chief of Financial Assistance Branch

Tracie Billington, P.E., Chief of Financial Assistance Branch Department of Water Resources, Integrated Regional Water Management Division. Ms. Billington

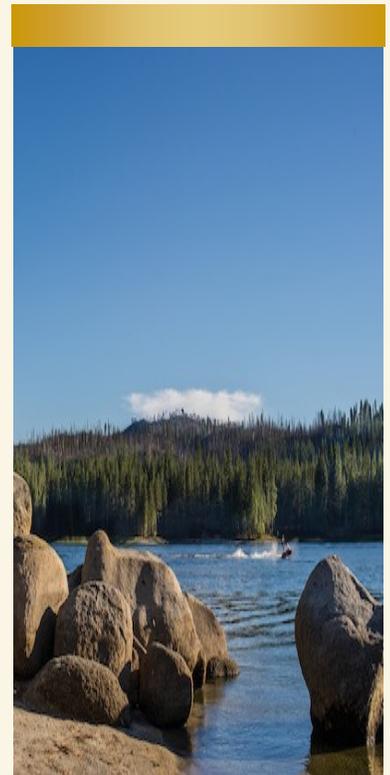
manages a variety of water management grant programs including the Integrated Regional Water Management Grant Program. She has worked for DWR since 2000. Prior to joining DWR, Ms. Billington worked in the hazardous waste field. She has an Environmental Resource Engineering degree from Humboldt State University and is a registered Civil Engineer.



**Paula J. Landis, P.E.**  
**Executive Officer**  
**California Water Commission**



Paula J. Landis is a Registered Civil Engineer with 30 years of experience in water management and planning with the US Bureau of Reclamation and the California Department of Water Resources. Prior to becoming Executive Officer of the California Water Commission, she was the Chief of the Division of Integrated Regional Water Management for the Department of Water Resources. She has dealt with complex water use and environmental issues including river restoration, groundwater management, grant funding, water transfers, flood management and more. Ms. Landis holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering, Bachelor of Arts degrees in Art and French and a Master of Arts degree in Art History. She divides her time between Fresno and Sacramento.



**Leslie Laudon**  
**Assistant Deputy Director**



Leslie Laudon is the Assistant Deputy Director of the Division of Financial Assistance at the State Water Resources Control Board. She has worked in a variety of programs for the State and Regional Water Boards for the past 23 years. Ms. Laudon currently manages a number of funding programs including Prop 1 Groundwater Sustainability and Stormwater, Clean Beaches, Areas of Special Biological Significance, Drought Response Outreach Program for Schools (DROPS), Interim Emergency Drinking Water, and the Underground Storage Tank Cleanup Fund. Ms. Laudon has Bachelor's Degrees in Chemistry and Geology from the University of Wisconsin-Madison and a Master's Degree in Geochemistry from the Colorado School of Mines.



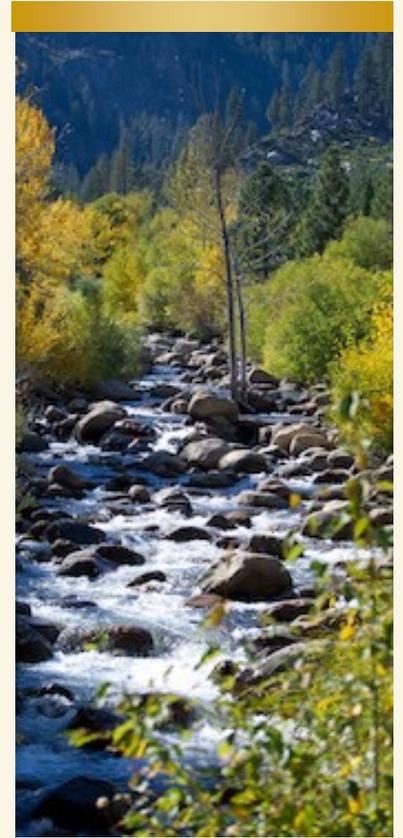


## Anecita Agustinez Tribal Policy Advisor



Department of Water Resources (DWR) appointed Anecita Agustinez as Tribal Policy Advisor in August 2013. Her primary responsibilities are to provide policy support and recommendations regarding tribal issues

to Director Mark Cowin and Chief Deputy Director Laura King Moon. Anecita has been actively engaged with DWR's various divisions assisting in Tribal Consultation and in the development of DWR's Tribal Consultation Policy. Before joining the Department, she served as the Native American Liaison, and Manager of the Office of Legislative and External Affairs, and the Office of Health Access at the Department of Health Care Services. She previously was the Assistant Director of the Office of Native American Affairs at the Department of Justice in the Office of the Attorney General. Her experience includes developing and conducting training in the areas of tribal consultation, cultural competency, environmental justice, social justice issues, and legislative advocacy on behalf of California's Tribal Governments. The Office of the Tribal Policy Advisor coordinates communication and outreach with other state agencies and facilitates government-to-government consultation between Department of Water Resources and California's Native American Tribes and Tribal governments. Anecita is an enrolled citizen of the Navajo Nation. She is born to the Tó dích'íinii (Bitter Water Clan) and born for the Ilocano Clan.





## Steven Ingram Tribal Liaison and Senior Staff Counsel

Steven Ingram is the Tribal Liaison and Senior Staff Counsel for the Department of Fish and Wildlife. As Tribal Liaison, Mr. Ingram drafted the Department's Tribal Communication and Consultation Policy and has managed the Department's relations with all of California's Tribes since 2012. As an attorney in the Department's Office of General Counsel, Mr. Ingram handles the Department's legal work associated with renewable energy and other complex California Endangered Species Act project permitting and also works on complex habitat conservation plans, endowments, fisheries issues, and other matters. Prior to working at the Department, Mr. Ingram served as Deputy County Counsel for Solano County, a law professor at the University of Cincinnati College of Law, and a law clerk to a United States District Court judge. Mr. Ingram received his B.A. from the University of California-Santa Cruz, his M.A. from the University of Wisconsin-Madison, and his J.D. from Boalt Hall School of Law at the University of California-Berkeley.



## Gita Kapahi Director of the Office of Public Participation, Tribal Liaison

Gita Kapahi is the Director of the Office of Public Participation for the State Water Resources Control Board. In this Office, she serves in many capacities, including Ombudsman, Tribal Liaison, Environmental Justice Coordinator, Small Business Liaison, Agricultural Liaison, Education and Outreach Coordinator, Facilitator, and Public Participation Consultant. She was appointed to her current position in 2007 and has worked extensively with Tribes and on issues such as cultural and subsistence fish beneficial uses. She has been with the Water Boards for 26 years, first as an Environmental Scientist in the Division of Water Quality, then in the Division of Water Rights, serving as Chief of the Bay Delta Unit. Prior to that, she was a fisheries consultant to the Canadian Department of Fisheries and Oceans.

## PROPOSITION 1 PROGRAM CONTACT LIST

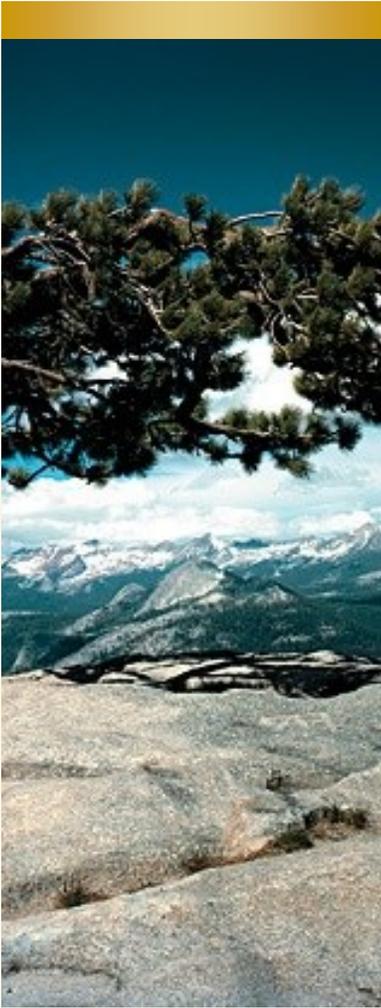
Administering Department	Program Name	Water Code Section	Program Contact Information
<b>State Water Resources Control Board</b>	Small Community Wastewater	79723	Meghan Tosney meghan.tosney@waterboards.ca.gov (916) 341-5729 waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/small_community_wastewater_grant/projects.shtml
<b>State Water Resources Control Board</b>	Clean, Safe, and Reliable Drinking Water	79724 (a)(1)	Dat Tran dat.tran@waterboards.ca.gov (916) 248-2719 http://waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/dwsrf/scoping_workshops.shtml
Baldwin Hills Conservancy	Ballona Creek/Baldwin Hills Watershed Program	79731 (a)	David McNeill, Executive Officer david.mcneill@bhc.ca.gov (323) 290-5270 www.bhc.ca.gov
California Tahoe Conservancy	Ecosystem, Watershed Protection & Restoration in the Lake Tahoe Basin	79731 (b)	Lisa O'Daly, Resource & Program Access Supervisor Lisa.Odaly@tahoe.ca.gov (530) 543-6037 www.tahoe.ca.gov
Coachella Valley Mountains Conservancy	Coachella Valley Multibenefit Ecosystem, Watershed Protection & Restoration Program	79731 (c)	Jim Karpiak, Executive Director jkarpiak@cvmc.ca.gov (760) 776-5026 www.cvmc.ca.gov
Ocean Protection Council	Proposition 1 Grant Program	79731 (d)	Amy Vierra, Deputy Director amy.vierra@resources.ca.gov (916) 653-9416 www.resources.ca.gov/oceans/
San Diego River Conservancy	Water Quality and Supply, Watershed Restoration & Habitat Enhancement Program	79731 (e)	Kevin McKernan, Executive Officer kmckernan@sdrc.ca.gov (619) 645-3183 www.sdrc.ca.gov
San Gabriel & Lower Los Angeles Rivers and Mountains Conservancy	Urban Land, Rivers, and Tributary and Mountains, Hills and Foothills Program Areas	79731 (f)	Marybeth Vergara-Garcia, Program Manager mvergara@rmc.ca.gov (626) 815-1019 x 111 www.rmc.ca.gov
San Joaquin River Conservancy	San Joaquin River Conservancy Multi-Benefit Watershed Protection and Restoration Program	79731 (g)	Rebecca Harris, Program Manager rebecca.harris@sjrc.ca.gov (559) 253-7324 x2 www.sjrc.ca.gov
Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy	Multibenefit Water Quality, Water Supply, and Watershed Protection and Restoration Program	79731 (h)	Melissa Cartelli cartelli@smmc.ca.gov (323) 221-8900 x116 www.smmc.ca.gov
Sierra Nevada Conservancy	Sierra Nevada Watershed Improvement Program	79731 (i)	Bob Kingman, Assistant Executive Officer Bob.Kingman@snc.ca.gov (530) 823-4678 www.snc.ca.gov/other-assistance/prop1-grantprog

Administering Department	Program Name	Water Code Section	Program Contact Information
Coastal Conservancy	Proposition 1 Grant Program	79731 (j)	Mary Small, Deputy Executive Officer mary.small@scc.ca.gov (510) 286-4181 www.scc.ca.gov
Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Conservancy	Proposition 1 Grant Program	79731 (k)	Ecosystem Restoration Program Manager (916) 375-2086 www.deltaconservancy.ca.gov
Wildlife Conservation Board	Stream Flow Enhancement Program	79733	Peter Perrine, Assistant Executive Director wcbstreamflow@wildlife.ca.gov (916) 445-1109 www.wcb.ca.gov
Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy (SMMC)/ San Gabriel and Lower Los Angeles Rivers and Mountains Conservancy (RMC)	An Urban Creek	79735 (a)	SMMC - Melissa Cartelli, (323) 221-8900 x 116 cartelli@smmc.ca.gov RMC - Marybeth Vergara-Garcia, (626) 815- 1019 x 111 mvergara@rmc.ca.gov
Natural Resources Agency	Watershed and Urban River Enhancements Program	79735 (b)(1)	Bryan Cash, Deputy Assistant Secretary bryan.cash@resources.ca.gov (916) 653-6381 www.resources.ca.gov
Natural Resources Agency	State Obligations	79736	Bryan Cash, Deputy Assistant Secretary bryan.cash@resources.ca.gov (916) 653-6381 www.resources.ca.gov
<b>Department of Fish and Wildlife</b>	Watershed Restoration and Delta Water Quality and Ecosystem Restoration Grant Programs	79737 (a) and 79738 (b)	Watershed Restoration Grant Program watershedgrants@wildlife.ca.gov (916) 653-4875 www.wildlife.ca.gov/Conservation/Watersheds/Restoration-Grants
<b>Department of Water Resources</b>	Integrated Regional Water Management	79744 (a)	Zaffar Eusuff muzaffer.eusuff@water.ca.gov www.water.ca.gov/irwm/grants/prop1index.cfm
<b>Department of Water Resources</b>	Groundwater Plans & Projects Grant Program	79748	Zaffar Eusuff muzaffer.eusuff@water.ca.gov www.water.ca.gov
<b>State Water Resources Control Board</b>	Stormwater	79747	Stormwater Program stormwater@waterboards.ca.gov (866) 563-3107 www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/stormwater/
<b>California Water Commission</b>	Water Storage Investment Program	79750 (b)	Rachel Ballanti, Acting Executive Officer cwc@water.ca.gov www.cwc.ca.gov
<b>Department of Water Resources</b>	Water Desalinization Grant Program	79765	Rich Mills, Section Chief richard.mills@water.ca.gov (916) 651-0715 www.water.ca.gov/desalination/

Administering Department	Program Name	Water Code Section	Program Contact Information
Department of Water Resources	Water Use Efficiency Grant Program	79746 (a)	Fethi Benjemaa, Program Manager fethi.jemaa@water.ca.gov (916) 651-7025 <a href="http://www.water.ca.gov/wateruseefficiency/finance/">www.water.ca.gov/wateruseefficiency/finance/</a>
State Water Resources Control Board	Water Recycling	79765	Dan Newton daniel.newton@waterboards.ca.gov (916) 324-8404 <a href="http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/water_recycling/index.shtml">www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/water_recycling/index.shtml</a>
State Water Resources Control Board	Groundwater Sustainability	79755	Groundwater Quality Funding gwquality.funding@waterboards.ca.gov (800) 813-FUND (3863) <a href="http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/gw_funding">www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/gw_funding</a>
Department of Water Resources, and Central Valley Flood Protection Board	Flood Management	79780	FloodSAFE California floodsafe@water.ca.gov <a href="http://www.water.ca.gov/floodsafe">www.water.ca.gov/floodsafe</a>

**Highlighted in yellow are participating agencies and departments on June 9-10 Tribal Consultation on Proposition 1**





## THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF THE TRIBAL ADVISOR CONTACT LIST



The Office of the Tribal Advisor created by Executive Order B-10-11 in 2010 is part of Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr.'s Administration. The Tribal Advisor reports directly to Governor Brown. She is responsible for overseeing and implementing effective government-to-government consultation between the Governor's Administration and California Tribes on policies that affect California tribal communities. The Tribal Advisor's purpose is to serve as a direct link between the Tribes in California and the Governor; facilitate communication and consultations between Tribes and State Agencies; and review state legislation and regulations affecting Tribes and provide recommendations.

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# TRIBAL INVOLVEMENT IN PROPOSITION 1 PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION PROCESS

## California Water Commission Stakeholder Advisory Committee (SAC)



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**Garth Sundberg**  
Chairman  
Trinidad Rancheria/The Cher-Ae  
Heights Indian Community



**Glenda Nelson**  
Chairwoman  
Enterprise Rancheria



## Integrated Regional Water Management Stakeholder Engagement Advisory Committee (SEAC)



**John Flores**  
Environmental Coordinator  
San Pasqual Band of Mission  
Indians



**Javier Silva**  
Environmental Director  
Sherwood Valley Band of Pomo  
Indians



**Miles Baty**  
Vice Chair  
Big Sandy Rancheria





THE CALIFORNIA  
DEPARTMENT OF  
WATER RESOURCES

# HONORS SACRED TRADITIONS



## DWR Mission | Statement

*“To manage the water resources of California in cooperation with other agencies, to benefit the State’s people, and to protect, restore, and enhance the natural and human environments.”*



*“Department of Water Resources recognizes that tribal governments are sovereign entities. Characterizing their participation as a stakeholder is not intended to undermine their sovereign status and in no way undermines any tribe’s ability to request formal government-to-government consultation on an as requested basis. Tribal consultation is coordinated through the DWR Tribal Policy Advisor.”*

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## STATE AGENCY TRIBAL LIAISONS CONTACT LIST



### *CADFW Mission | Statement*

*The Mission of the Department of Fish and Wildlife is to manage California's diverse fish, wildlife, and plant resources, and the habitats upon which they depend, for their ecological values and for their use and enjoyment by the public.*

### **Steven Ingram**

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### *SWRCB Mission | Statement*

*To preserve, enhance, and restore the quality of California's water resources and drinking water for the protection of the environment, public health, and all beneficial uses, and to ensure proper water resource allocation and efficient use, for the benefit of present and future generations.*

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## STATE AGENCY TRIBAL LIAISONS CONTACT LIST



OCEAN PROTECTION COUNCIL

### ***Ocean Protection Council***

#### ***Mission | Statement***

*The Ocean Protection Council will ensure that California maintains healthy, resilient, and productive ocean and coastal ecosystems for the benefit of current and future generations.*

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# RESOURCES

## PROPOSITION 1 WATER BOND AND OTHER USEFUL INFORMATION

### THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF THE TRIBAL ADVISOR

Executive Order B-10-11

<http://gov.ca.gov/news.php?id=17223>



The Governor's Office of the Tribal Advisor web page:

<http://tribalgovtaffairs.ca.gov/>

### CALIFORNIA NATURAL RESOURCES AGENCY



CA Natural Resources Agency Tribal Consultation Policy

[https://cwc.ca.gov/Documents/2015/01\\_January/January2015\\_Agenda\\_Item\\_9\\_Attach\\_K\\_CNRAtribalconsultationpolicy.pdf](https://cwc.ca.gov/Documents/2015/01_January/January2015_Agenda_Item_9_Attach_K_CNRAtribalconsultationpolicy.pdf)

Draft 2015 Proposition 1 Development Schedule

[http://bondaccountability.resources.ca.gov/PDF/Prop1/draft\\_schedulev2.pdf](http://bondaccountability.resources.ca.gov/PDF/Prop1/draft_schedulev2.pdf)

Proposition 1 Overview

<http://bondaccountability.resources.ca.gov/p1.aspx>

Proposition 1 Allocation Balance Report

<http://bondaccountability.resources.ca.gov/PDF/Prop1/P1AllocBalRpt.pdf?v=1>

Proposition 1 Programs

<http://bondaccountability.resources.ca.gov/P1ProgramList.aspx?Prop=48&ChapterPK=all&ChapterName=Prop. 1>

Proposition 1 Public Meeting Notices

<http://bondaccountability.resources.ca.gov/Meetings.aspx?PropositionPK=48>

Proposition 1 Guidelines

<http://bondaccountability.resources.ca.gov/Guidelines.aspx?PropositionPK=48>

Proposition 1 Mailing List

[https://listserv.state.ca.gov/wa.exe?SUBED1=CNRA\\_PROP\\_1&A=1](https://listserv.state.ca.gov/wa.exe?SUBED1=CNRA_PROP_1&A=1)



## DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

Basin Boundary Regulations

[http://www.water.ca.gov/groundwater/sgm/basin\\_boundaries.cfm](http://www.water.ca.gov/groundwater/sgm/basin_boundaries.cfm)

California Water Plan Update 2013

<http://www.waterplan.water.ca.gov/cwpu2013/final/index.cfm>

California Water Plan Tribal Advisory Committee

<http://www.waterplan.water.ca.gov/tribal2/tac/>

Ca Statewide Groundwater Elevation Monitoring (CASGEM) and Tribal Lands

<http://www.water.ca.gov/tribal/maps.cfm>

Climate Change website

<http://www.water.ca.gov/climatechange/>

DWR Financial Assistance Website: <http://www.water.ca.gov/funding/>

DWR Water Desalination Grant Program

<http://www.water.ca.gov/desalination/>

DWR Water Efficiency Financial Assistance

<http://www.water.ca.gov/wateruseefficiency/finance/>

DWR IRWM Page

<http://www.water.ca.gov/irwm/>

DWR Regional Resources webpage

<http://www.water.ca.gov/irwm/resources/>

DWR IRWM Financial Assistance webpage

<http://www.water.ca.gov/irwm/grants/>

DWR Regional Coordinator webpage

[http://www.water.ca.gov/irwm/resources/rc\\_finder.cfm](http://www.water.ca.gov/irwm/resources/rc_finder.cfm)

DWR Regional Partnership webpage

<http://www.water.ca.gov/irwm/partnership/>

## DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES



DWR IRWM Technical Support Services

[http://www.water.ca.gov/irwm/partnership/tech\\_services.cfm](http://www.water.ca.gov/irwm/partnership/tech_services.cfm)

Disadvantaged Communities (DAC) Mapping tool webpage:

[http://www.water.ca.gov/irwm/grants/resources\\_dac.cfm](http://www.water.ca.gov/irwm/grants/resources_dac.cfm)

Groundwater Sustainability Program Draft Strategic Plan: Comments due June 1, 2015

<http://www.water.ca.gov/groundwater/sgm/pdfs/>

How California Native American Tribes Can Engage in Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM)

[http://resources.ca.gov/docs/tribal\\_policy/Final\\_IRWM\\_Tribal\\_Handout.pdf](http://resources.ca.gov/docs/tribal_policy/Final_IRWM_Tribal_Handout.pdf)

Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM) Regional Resources :

<http://www.water.ca.gov/irwm/resources/>

Office of Tribal Policy Advisor webpage: <http://www.water.ca.gov/tribal/>

Proposition 1/IRWM Funding Area Allocations and Map

<http://www.water.ca.gov/irwm/grants/prop1index.cfm>

SGM Sustainable Groundwater Management

<http://www.water.ca.gov/groundwater/sgm/>

## STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD



Division of Water Rights

<http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/>

Financial Assistance Funding-Grants and Loan-Proposition 1

[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water\\_issues/programs/grants\\_loans/proposition1.shtml](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/proposition1.shtml)

State Water Board Small Wastewater Grant Program

[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water\\_issues/programs/grants\\_loans/small\\_community\\_wastewater\\_grant/strategy.shtml](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/small_community_wastewater_grant/strategy.shtml)

SWRCB Small Community Wastewater Strategy

[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water\\_issues/programs/grants\\_loans/small\\_community\\_wastewater\\_grant/strategy.shtml](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/small_community_wastewater_grant/strategy.shtml)

SWRCB Drinking Water Programs

[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/drinking\\_water/programs/index.shtml](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/drinking_water/programs/index.shtml)

SWRCB Water Quality in Private Domestic Wells

[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water\\_issues/programs/gama/wq\\_privatewells.shtml](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/gama/wq_privatewells.shtml)

SWRCB Storm Water Program

[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water\\_issues/programs/stormwater/](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/stormwater/)

SWRCB Water Recycling Funding Program

[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water\\_issues/programs/grants\\_loans/water\\_recycling/](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/water_recycling/)

SWRCB Groundwater Quality funding

[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water\\_issues/programs/grants\\_loans/gw\\_funding/](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/gw_funding/)

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## CALIFORNIA WATER COMMISSION

California Water Commission webpage:

<https://cwc.ca.gov/Pages/Home.aspx>



Proposition 1 Water Storage Investment Program: Funding the Public Benefits of Water Storage Projects

<https://cwc.ca.gov/Pages/PublicBenefits1.aspx>

## CA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE



CA Department of Fish and Wildlife webpage:

<https://www.wildlife.ca.gov/>

CDFW Grant Opportunities

<https://www.wildlife.ca.gov/Explore/Grant-Opportunities>

Water and Watersheds Conservation

<https://www.wildlife.ca.gov/Conservation/Watersheds>

CDFW Fish Hatcheries

<http://www.dfg.ca.gov/fish/Hatcheries/>

## CENTRAL VALLEY FLOOD PROTECTION BOARD

CVFPB webpage: <http://www.cvfpb.ca.gov/>



## STATE OF CALIFORNIA OCEAN PROTECTION COUNCIL

OPC webpage: <http://www.opc.ca.gov/>

California OPC Strategic Plan 2012-2017

<http://www.opc.ca.gov/webmaster/ftp/pdf/2012-strategic-plan/>

[OPC\\_042412\\_final\\_opt.pdf](http://www.opc.ca.gov/webmaster/ftp/pdf/2012-strategic-plan/OPC_042412_final_opt.pdf)









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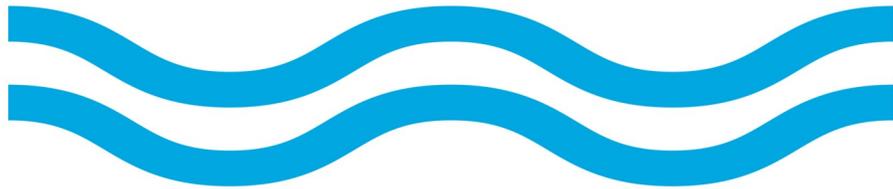
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