

California Water Plan 2009



Wednesday's Update



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This weekly electronic newsletter is designed to keep you current on California Water Plan news. We welcome comments, suggestions and any news tips that may be of interest to water planners.



Working drafts of regional reports ready

Working drafts of Update 2009's regional reports are now available [here on the Water Plan's Web site](#). Regional reports are done for each of the 10 hydrologic regions, the Mountain Counties Area, and the Sacramento – San Joaquin Delta region. Each report includes a discussion of the state of the region, key challenges, ongoing programs, and information on water supplies and uses. These reports constitute Volume 3 of the California Water Plan Update. We welcome your input. Comments must be submitted by Aug. 1. [Click here](#) for contact and comment information. All written comments will be posted online.

Water Plan's climate change meeting to focus on science

The Climate Change Technical Advisory Group will meet next Wednesday, July 16, in Sacramento to discuss draft sections of the Water Plan's Update 2009, including how climate change science will be addressed in the update. There also will be a discussion between the group and the Resources Agency Climate Team about the actions other resource agencies are taking to adapt to climate change. [The agenda can be found here.](#)

RMS workshops continue in Sacramento

Resource Management Strategy workshops will continue this week through Aug. 8. They are being held in Sacramento at the Center for Collaborative Policy. The sessions are available by phone or GoToMeeting on the Web. See the Web site for more information about these features. The schedule is [available here](#). You can also submit written comments by Aug. 11. Working drafts of the RMS narratives discussed at the workshops will be posted [here](#).

Delta Vision Blue Ribbon panel to meet next week

The Delta Vision Blue Ribbon Task Force will meet next Thursday and Friday, July 17 and 18, in West Sacramento. The meetings will be Webcast. [You can find the Webcast link and the agendas here.](#)

Forest Service publishes pamphlet on climate change, water

A colorful, easy-to-understand pamphlet describing the link between forests, climate change and water has been published by the U.S. Forest Service. [You can find the publication in PDF format here.](#)



Mark your calendars

Through July 21, a series of FloodSAFE stakeholder briefings will be held throughout the state on the draft FloodSafe Strategic Plan. [Read more](#)



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