

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.

Advisory Committee meeting materials available online

All of the material used at last week's Water Plan Advisory Committee meeting in Sacramento is now online. [You can find it here](#). Materials include a presentation on a recap of Update 2009, state Water Balance, Regional Water Balance, Strategies table, an update on State Climate Adaption Strategy, and more than a dozen other documents used at the meeting.

Mark your calendar! Water Plan's Plenary meeting set for Oct. 14-15

The Water Plan's annual Plenary meeting will be held Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 14 and 15. For the Plenary meeting, a pre-final version of Update 2009 will be posted online, and the public is asked to comment. [Meeting information and materials will be posted here](#).

Online video available of last week's Water Issues Forum

The complete archived video of last week's live webcast of the California Water Issues Forum hosted by DWR Director Lester Snow and U.S. Deputy Secretary of the Interior David Hayes is now online. Presentations are also available to download and view. Hayes and Snow held the meeting to give an update on the coordinated federal and state efforts to address California's many water challenges, including current drought conditions and the projects and plans to fix the Delta. [You can find the video here](#).

Oct. 12 is deadline for comment on plumbing code changes

The public has until Oct. 12 to comment on proposed changes to the State building standards related to dual plumbing design that will allow for potable and recycled water systems for buildings. [You can find relevant links here](#). DWR is in the process of adopting the new standards in response to the governor's drought declaration and the recommendation of the 2002 Recycled Water Task Force. This Dual Plumbing Code, once adopted, will be incorporated into the California Plumbing Code as Chapter 16A Part II.

Mark your calendar! Flood meetings planned statewide this fall

Mark your calendars. DWR's Flood Operations Branch is hosting Pre-season Flood Coordination Meetings throughout the state this fall. The first meeting will be held Sept. 21 in Ventura County and the last in Eureka on Nov. 17. [You can find a complete schedule here](#). The meetings will include overviews of weather forecasts, water and potential flood conditions and emergency responses.

Click on links below for more information.

Upcoming Meetings

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