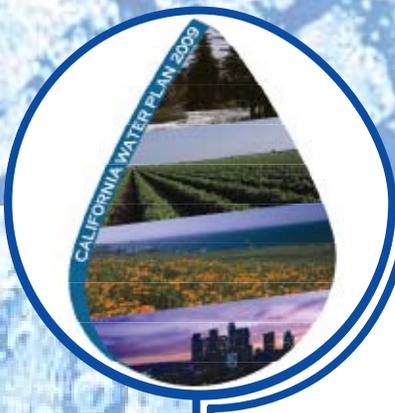


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This weekly electronic newsletter is designed to keep you current on California Water Plan news. We welcome comments, suggestions and any news tips that may be of interest to water planners.

If you plan to attend Oct. 14 and 15 Plenary Session, please RSVP

The last Plenary Session of Water Plan Update 2009 will be held Oct. 14 and 15 at the Sacramento Radisson Hotel. The Day One session will provide an overview of the Pre-Final Draft Highlights Document and preview new work and recommendations on Land Use and Drought Contingency Planning. There also will be a discussion about the nexus between the Water Plan, Integrated Regional Water Management, and Biodiversity. Day Two will feature key objectives, actions, and recommendations of the Resource Management Strategies. [Please RSVP to Virginia Sajac](#). Hotel information, agendas and other session information will be available soon on [the Water Plan website](#).

SWAN workshop set for Oct. 8 in Sacramento

DWR will hold a workshop of the Statewide Water Analysis Network (SWAN) on Thursday, Oct. 8, in Sacramento to solicit feedback on recent studies of the effectiveness of regional and statewide water management responses to uncertainties facing California water managers. Details about the workshop, titled: **Regional and Statewide Water Management Responses to an Uncertain Future**, [can be found here](#).

Sierra Alliance conference has topics of interest to Water Plan

The Sierra Meadow Forum, a session of the Sierra Nevada Alliance's 16th annual conference, will bring together experts and others interested in meadow research and restoration. They will come from across the Sierra to share studies, information and advice on meadow science, meadow restoration approaches and building capacity and support for future meadow restoration. Also, meadow restoration is included in the forest management resource management strategy in Update 2009. In another session, Paula Landis, acting chief of DWR's Division of Integrated Regional Water Management, will speak at the Sierra Integrated Regional Water Management Planning (IRWMP) Summit. The Alliance's conference will be held at the North Tahoe Conference Center, Kings Beach. [More information about the conference, including times and dates, can be found here](#).



PPIC updates water information in briefing kit

The Public Policy Institute of California has updated the water section of its briefing kit: **California 2025: Planning for a Better Future**. report, California Water is part of our recently published briefing kit. [The updated version of the kit can be found here](#).

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Upcoming Meetings

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