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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.

DWR seeks advisers for Water Plan Update 2013; application available online

The Advisory Committee for Water Plan Update 2013 is being formed to help develop and refine policy recommendations for the plan. There also is a proposal to establish interest-based and regional-based forums. These groups would be chaired by AC members associated with a particular interest or region. More information and a link to the application [are available here](#). The application should be returned by Aug. 25.

Water Plan sets Tribal Workshop for Sept. 9 in Sacramento

Water Plan Update 2013 will sponsor a workshop for California tribes on Sept. 9 in Sacramento. The purpose of the workshop is to review the accomplishments of Update 2009, the development of Update 2013, and convening a Tribal Advisory Committee. [Click here for workshop details](#).

Statewide Water Analysis Network (SWAN) workshop set for Aug. 19

The Water Plan team will be holding a meeting of the Statewide Water Analysis Network (SWAN) on Aug. 19 when it will present a technical proposal for quantifying and evaluating water management responses for Update 2013. SWAN serves as the technical advisory group for the Water Plan. [For more information go here](#).

Delta Stewardship Council meeting tomorrow focuses on how it communicates

The Delta Stewardship Council is sponsoring a public meeting tomorrow, Aug. 12, in Sacramento to gather public input on how the council can best communicate with stakeholders, keep the public informed of its activities and progress, and receive feedback from stakeholders and the public. People can participate in the 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. meeting by phone (916-574-1399). [Read more](#).

Japanese 'Rivers' magazine features California Water Plan

The Japanese magazine *Kasen (Rivers)* has featured an article about the California Water Plan Update 2009 in its July issue. [You can find it here](#) (6 mb pdf). Co-authors Takashi Asano and Naoko Watanabe interviewed Water Plan officials Kamyar Guivetchi and Paul Massera in Sacramento last April.



PPIC releases 'Briefing Kit' that focuses on state's challenges, including water

The Public Policy Institute of California has released a briefing kit titled California 2025: Planning for a Better Future. The kit highlights California's most pressing long-term policy challenges in eight key areas including water. The water section of the kit used data from the Water Plan. [You can find the kit here](#).

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