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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.

Water Plan plenary meeting will include caucus breakout sessions

Next week's [plenary meeting](#) for the Water Plan 2013 Update will include breakout sessions for some of the plan's caucuses. The Integrated Flood Management Caucus and Finance Caucus will meet on Wednesday, Oct. 26. The Land Use Caucus has a session planned for Thursday, Oct. 27. The meeting times and topics can be found in the [plenary program](#).

Second workshop on California's water storage is ready to go

The California Water Commission will host its [second public workshop](#) on the future of the state's water storage projects on Tuesday, Oct. 25, in Sacramento. This event will provide a forum to discuss the benefits, costs and consequences of various water storage projects in California. Future uncertainties, including climate change, will also be considered. The commission's [website](#) includes more details and a map of the workshop location.

Draft PSP released for second round of IRWM grant funding

DWR has released the [draft proposal solicitation package](#) (PSP) for Integrated Regional Water Management's (IRWM) second round of planning grant funding. The PSP will be used to disburse grant funding under [Proposition 84](#). Three workshops will be held next month throughout California to answer questions about the PSP and take public comments. Workshop details and instructions for submitting comments are available on the [IRWM grants page](#).

Updated EPA guide helps state and local agencies tap into clean energy programs

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has put together an updated guide to help agencies create and maintain clean energy programs. The [State and Local Guide to U.S. EPA Climate and Energy Program Resources](#) includes a section on water and adaptation. Each section includes suggestions on how state and local agencies can benefit from EPA resources.



Agency report card included in new issue of DSC newsletter

A report card on how government agencies deal with Delta issues is in the [new edition](#) of the Delta Stewardship Council (DSC) newsletter. The October issue also has an interview that provides insight on what it's like to be part of the Delta Independent Science Board and an update on development of a Delta flood emergency plan.

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Upcoming Meetings

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