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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.

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California Water Plan Update 2013 set for release tomorrow

DWR will post the final version of *California Water Plan Update 2013*, tomorrow, Oct. 30. Update 2013 is designed to work in tandem, and help implement, the Governor's [Water Action Plan](#). The online release will include the Highlights booklet which outlines California's strategic water roadmap. To mark the occasion, a special edition of the California Water Plan eNews will be published. Check your in box tomorrow morning.



In addition to details about the release it will include links to the following:

- The Strategic Plan (Volume 1), regional reports (Volume 2), and more than 30 resource management strategies (Volume 3).
- DWR news release.
- Message from Natural Resources Agency Secretary John Laird.
- Message from DWR Director Mark Cowin.
- A navigation guide to help access the many sections of the plan.
- An email link to order the Update 2013 Highlights booklet.

Grant program offering \$2 million in funding for ag drainage programs

The [Drainage Reuse Grant Program](#) is accepting applications for funding of local public agency programs that resolve agricultural drainage water-related issues. A total of \$2 million is available with a maximum of \$300,000 for each eligible project. The deadline for [applications](#) is Tuesday, Jan. 6.

Symposium set to mark anniversary of landmark 1994 Mono Lake decision

To mark the 20th anniversary of a landmark decision, Berkeley Law is holding a [symposium](#) looking at the past, present, and future of Mono Lake. In 1994, the State Water Resources Control Board amended the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power's right to water from Mono Lake and its tributary creeks. The symposium will be Monday, Nov. 17, in Sacramento.



Conservation ideas to be shared at annual CARCD conference

Update 2013 and natural resource conservation plans will be highlighted during this year's conference for the [California Association of Resource Conservation Districts](#) (CARCD). It will be a chance to share and exchange conservation ideas being used throughout the state. The conference will be Nov. 12-15, in Ventura.