

# DRAFT OUTLINE

## Californians Without Safe Water A 2013 Update

### Executive Summary

- The Need
- Progress
- Policy Recommendations

### Section 1 Introduction

- The Need
  - Health Disparities
  - Healthy Communities
  - Climate Change
  - Watershed Impacts
- Californians without Clean, Safe Water
  - Communities without Safe Drinking Water (AB 2222 report)
  - Communities without Safe Wastewater/Stormwater (SWRCB funding list)
  - Communities at Risk
- The purpose of this document

### Section 2 Meeting the Water Needs of Economically Disadvantaged Communities

- Infrastructure Challenges *(Note: Re-write entire section. Drop the generic EPA and CDC info and focus on infrastructure challenges most commonly faced by DACs and add wastewater/stormwater infrastructure challenges. )*
- Water Quality Challenges *(Note: Re-write entire section and include wastewater/stormwater)*
- Funding Challenges *(Note: Re-write entire section using materials from UC Davis nitrate pilot project)*

### Section 3 A Focus on California's Native American Population

*(Note: Re-write entire section using materials from the Tribal Water Summit. Include discussion of special challenges facing unrecognized tribes.)*

### Section 4 Progress and Challenges 2001 to 2011

- Accomplishments from 2001 to 2011
- Challenges/Issues/Gaps

## **Section 5 An Action Plan to Achieve Clean, Safe Water for all Californians**

## **Section 6 Conclusions**

## **Section 7 References**

### **Initial List of References**

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## **Appendices**

- AB 2222 List
- DPH Drinking Water Project List
- SWRCB Wastewater List
- Selections from Nitrate Pilot Project
- Existing Funding Sources
- Resources and Contacts

## **Figures**

## **Tables**