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Tuesday'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.

Board gives unanimous approval to Central Valley Flood Protection Plan

The Central Valley Flood Protection Board has unanimously adopted the [Central Valley Flood Protection Plan](#). The comprehensive framework provides details for flood management and flood risk reduction in the Sacramento and San Joaquin river basins. Gary Bardini, deputy director at DWR, outlines some benefits of the plan in an [opinion piece](#) he wrote for The Sacramento Bee.

DWR posts draft PSP for up to \$25 million in flood management projects

DWR has posted a [draft proposal solicitation package](#) (PSP) for up to \$25 million in funding for projects that integrate environmental stewardship and sustainability principles into flood management activities. After the draft PSP is finalized, an announcement will be made to open the solicitation period for concept proposals. Details are available on the DWR [website](#).

CWC accepting comments on strategic plan through the end of the month

The California Water Commission (CWC) will be accepting public comments on its [draft strategic plan](#) until Tuesday, July 31. The plan outlines water-related challenges throughout the state and lists the CWC's goal to address those challenges. Instructions for submitting comments are available [here](#). The commission will review the comments during a [meeting](#) on Wednesday, August 15, in Sacramento.



Sustainability issues top agenda for next Strategic Growth Council meeting

An update on a sustainable communities learning network is on the July 11 meeting [agenda](#) for the [Strategic Growth Council](#). The council will also discuss improving coordination with state agencies to benefit programs and funding that affect sustainability objectives.

Take a survey to provide your input on California's water research needs

The California Council on Science and Technology (CCST) is sponsoring an [online survey](#) to get input on the state's water research and development needs. The survey will be available through Friday, August 10. CCST serves as an advisory board to state agencies by recommending solutions to science and technology policy issues.



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Upcoming Meetings

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