



Meeting Agenda

Meeting of the California Water Commission
Wednesday, March 18, 2020
State of California, Resources Building
1416 Ninth Street, First Floor Auditorium
Sacramento, California 95814
Beginning at 9:30 a.m.

1. **Call to Order**

2. **Roll Call**

3. **Closed Session**

The Commission may hold a closed session, as authorized by Government Code §11126(e), to confer with and receive advice from its legal counsel regarding potential litigation, and as authorized by Government Code §11126(a).

4. **Approval of February 19, 2020 Meeting Minutes**

5. **Executive Officer's Report**

The Executive Officer will report on various matters addressed since the previous Commission meeting.

6. **Commission Member Reports**

This is an opportunity for members to disclose any meetings or conversations related to Commission business since the previous Commission meeting.

7. **Public Testimony**

Although no formal Commission action will be taken, the Commission offers an opportunity to the public to address the Commission on items of interest that are within the Commission's jurisdiction, but that do not specifically appear on the agenda.

8. **Action Item: Contra Costa Water District (CCWD) Request for Additional Early Funding Under the Water Storage Investment Program (WSIP)**

In July 2018, the Commission made a maximum conditional eligibility determination (MCED) of \$459 M to the CCWD to expand the Los Vaqueros Reservoir, with \$13.6M of the MCED awarded as early funding for planning and permitting. The Commission will consider CCWD's request to increase the amount of early funding.

9. **Action Item: Annual Review of the State Water Project**

Commission staff will present a draft of the 2019 Annual Review of the State Water Project for Commission consideration and possible approval.

10. Priorities for California's Water

The Public Policy Institute of California (PPIC) will present its October 2019 report, "Priorities for California's Water," highlighting the statewide and regional conveyance infrastructure issues.

11. State Water Project Efforts in the Delta

Department of Water Resources (DWR) staff will brief the Commission on the various ecosystem restoration projects underway in the Delta.

12. State of Groundwater

Department of Water Resources (DWR) staff will brief the Commission on the status of groundwater basins in California, as well as case studies of new technologies being used to characterize groundwater basins.

13. Consideration of Items for Next California Water Commission Meeting

14. Adjourn

The Commission may break for lunch as needed.

At the discretion of the California Water Commission, all items appearing on this agenda, whether or not expressly listed for action, may be deliberated upon and may be subject to action. This meeting will be webcast live at the following link:

<http://cal-span.org/unipage/index.php?site=cal-span&meeting=2019&owner=CWC>

Further information regarding this meeting will be available at www.cwc.ca.gov.

- Members of the public shall be provided an opportunity to address the California Water Commission on any agenda item except closed session items. Comments during the public comment period shall be limited to matters within the Commission's jurisdiction. Reasonable time limits may be established for public comments (Government Code Section 11125.7), and the Commission has established a three- minute limit per comment.
- Agenda items may be heard in any order at the discretion of the Commission.
- **Written comments regarding specific items on this agenda will be provided to the Commissioners as part of their meeting packets if they are received by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, March 13.** Staff will make every effort to provide comments received after this deadline electronically, but we cannot make any guarantees.
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