



**Update on Implementation of the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act: Review
Draft Basin Boundary Emergency Regulations, Update on Status of Groundwater
Sustainability Plan Regulations**

Background

The Sustainable Groundwater Management Act requires the Department of Water Resources (DWR) to develop emergency regulations describing the process for requesting changes to groundwater basin boundaries, as well as regulations for groundwater sustainability plans. At the July 15 meeting of the California Water Commission, DWR provided highlights of the proposed draft basin boundary emergency regulations. The text of the draft regulations was released for public review on July 17 and comments are being accepted until September 4. At this meeting, DWR staff will walk through the draft basin boundary emergency regulations. This is an opportunity for the Commission to review the regulations informally prior to voting on their approval at a future meeting. DWR staff will also update the Commission on the status of the groundwater sustainability plan regulations. This is an informational item.

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