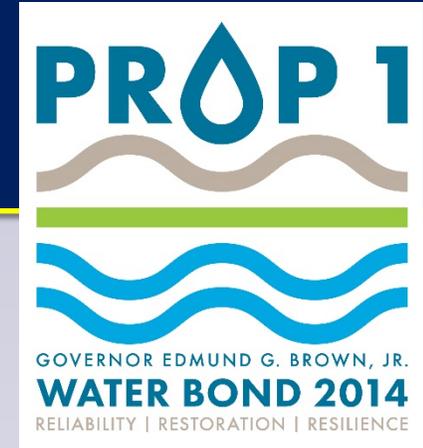


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California Water Commission **Water Storage Investment Program** Commission Updates

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Update on Program and Administrative Activities

Regulations Work Group

- Shared working draft of the regulations text with SAC
- Incorporated SAC comments received at Sept meeting and in redline format
- Drafting informative digest and initial statement of reasons for regulations package
- Drafting application package guidance document

Engineering & Economics Work Groups

- Continued to refine common assumptions and recommendations
- Revised quantification of public benefits language in draft regulations based on SAC comments
- Compiling technical guidance appendix for application instructions
- Developing recommended unit values of water

Ecosystem/Water Quality Work Group

- Refining and finalizing priorities and relative values
- Updated priorities and relative values will be available in the next version of the draft regulations

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Update on Communication and Engagement

C&E Updates

- Conducted September SAC meeting
- Brief summary of the SAC meeting is included in packet
- Brief summary includes overview of comments received on the draft regulations during the meeting

SAC Meeting – September 2

- Update on August Commission meeting and SAC member comments received in August
- Discussion of groundwater storage and conjunctive use definitions – Issue working session topic
- Walkthrough and comment on draft regulations text

SAC Meeting – September 2

- Received redline/strike-out comments from:
 - California Farm Bureau Federation
 - Contra Costa Water District
 - Groundwater Resources Association
 - The Nature Conservancy
- Received comment letter from SAC Member:
 - American Rivers
- Received comment letter from public:
 - Sacramento Regional County Sanitation District
 - Santa Clara County Open Space Authority

Coming Up...

- October 7 SAC meeting (Sacramento)
- October 12 public meeting (Pleasant Hill)
- October 14 public meeting (Fresno)
- October 21 Commission meeting (Yuba City)
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- November 18 Commission meeting (Sacramento)