



Sustainable Groundwater Management Act: Consider Adoption of Draft Basin Boundary 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 or subbasin boundaries, as well as emergency regulations for groundwater sustainability plans. The text of the draft basin boundary emergency regulations were released for public review on July 17 and comments were accepted until September 4. Additionally, DWR held a series of public meetings to collect public input on the draft emergency regulations. At the September 16 meeting of the Commission, DWR briefed the Commission on public comments received and DWR's recommended revisions. At this meeting, DWR staff will present an updated draft of the basin boundary emergency regulations for consideration and possible adoption by the Commission.

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