



**Sustainable Groundwater Management Act Implementation: Update on Draft Final  
Groundwater Sustainability Plan Regulations and Public Comment Received**

**Background**

The Sustainable Groundwater Management Act requires the Department of Water Resources (DWR) to develop and adopt emergency regulations for evaluating and implementing Groundwater Sustainability Plans (GSPs) by June 1, 2016. The Commission was briefed on the proposed content of the GSP regulations at its February 17, 2016 meeting. DWR released the draft GSP regulations for public comment on February 18, 2016. At this meeting, DWR staff will provide an update on progress toward finalizing the GSP regulations and will provide an overview of the public comments received to date. This is an informational item.

**Contact**

Rachel Ballanti  
Assistant Executive Officer  
California Water Commission  
(916) 653-7937