

Tulare Basin Watershed Connections Workgroup Agenda

November 3rd, 2016

Location: DWR South Central Region Office @ 3374 E. Shields Ave, Fresno

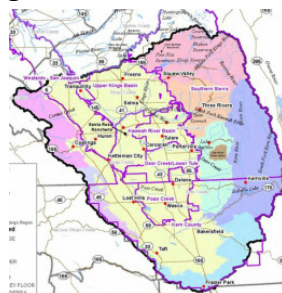
Time: 1:00 – 4:00

Call-in Number: 1-877-985-3104; **Participant code:** 4792363

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Meeting Agenda










- 1:00 - 1:10 **Introductions and overview** of agenda
- 1:10 - 1:15 **Brief review of outcomes** from last TB WCW meeting
- 1:15– 1:25 **Outcomes from the Climate Change Workshop for DACs and Agriculture and SNCs Grant Writing Workshop**
- 1:25–1:50 **Ongoing Project Updates**
- **Southern Sierra IRWM Project Update** (Bobby Kamansky – Kamansky Ecological Consulting/SSIRWMG)
 - **San Joaquin Valley Greenprint** (Adam Livingston – Sequoia Riverlands Trust)
- 1:50 – 2:30 **2017 Grant Opportunities and Priorities**
- TB WCW Charter and Communications Plan
- 2:30–2:45 Break
- 2:45 – 3:05 **Legislative updates – Status of bills that relate to the work of the TB WCW**
- AB 2087 – Regional conservation investment strategies
 - AB 2480 – Source watersheds
- 3:05 – 3:35 **SGMA Update and Discussion**
- 3:35 – 3:55 **Subgroup and partner updates**
Outreach Activities
- Tulare Basin Watershed Newsletter (Dezaraye – Tulare Basin Wildlife Partners)
 - Project WET (Water Education for Teachers) class (Tulare Basin Watershed focus) - November 2016
 - Others?
- 3:55–4:00 **Wrap up/Next meeting**



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Goal Statement: *To advance collaborative watershed planning and resource management in the Tulare Basin based on sound science and mutually identified needs for regional economic and ecological sustainability.*

Ground Rules

-  Participate and show respect for other members and their time
-  Speak one at a time
-  Share relevant information
-  Be concise
-  Express concerns and interests (not positions)
-  Be solution-oriented
-  Draw on each other's experience
-  Limit sidebar conversations
-  Focus on what CAN be changed (not on what cannot be changed)

Subgroups

Purpose of Subgroups: Topic-based groups comprised of people with expertise and interest in developing strategies and implementing projects to address the challenges related to the topic; the subgroups meet and/or provide input to the broader working group as funding and partnership opportunities arise. There is substantial overlap and it is recognized that subgroup members should communicate with others as appropriate when planning a project or event.

-  Funding
-  Sustainable Groundwater and Surface Water
-  Extreme Events and Climate Change Resilience
-  Upper/Lower Watershed Connection: Education, Planning and Project Development
-  Regional Landscape-scale Project Prioritization and Implementation
-  Wetland and Wildlife Habitat Protection and Restoration
-  Tribal Community Support for Addressing Water-related Challenges
-  Disadvantaged Community Support for Water-Related Challenges