



# MEMORANDUM

TO: SLDMWA Board of Directors, Alternates

FROM: Scott Petersen, Water Policy Director  
Joe McGahan, Regional Drainage/Westside Watershed Coalition Coordinator

DATE: January 14, 2021

RE: Activity Agreements – Staff Report for December 2020

This memorandum serves as the Staff Report for December 2020 regarding specified<sup>1</sup> Water Authority activities not separately addressed on the Board meeting agenda.

**1. Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM) Activity Summary**

*San Joaquin River Funding Area (SJRFA)*

Westside-San Joaquin IRWM Activity Agreement members met in early December to review recent and upcoming IRWM activities. During this meeting, members and SLDMWA staff discussed funding available for Phase 2 of the SJRFA Disadvantaged Community Involvement Program (DACIP). Phase 2 focuses on projects for DAC technical assistance and capacity building. SLDMWA staff had previously coordinated with the City of Newman to compile information on the Newman Environmental Wetland System (NEWS) project, which is a multi-benefit constructed treatment wetlands that will capture, treat, and infiltrate dry and storm water runoff. City of Newman representatives attended the Activity Agreement member meeting to provide an overview of the NEWS project, and Activity Agreement members in attendance confirmed proceeding with the NEWS project for the Phase 2 SJRFA DACIP funding. SLDMWA and City of Newman staff will continue to coordinate with Contra Costa Water District, as the SJRFA DACIP grantee, and DWR staff to ensure this project is set for available funding.

SLDMWA staff also continued to coordinate with DWR regarding the development of the Westside-San Joaquin IRWM Region Grant Agreement for the Proposition 1 Round 1 funding, which includes funding for four projects within the SJRFA.

*Tulare-Kern Funding Area (TKFA)*

SLDMWA staff continued to coordinate with DWR regarding the development of the Westside-San Joaquin IRWM Region Grant Agreement for the Proposition 1 Round 1 funding, which includes funding that will support the City of Huron.

<sup>1</sup> For the sake of completeness, this includes those Activity Agreements that have been approved by the Board of Directors, but not yet signed by all interested members and/or participants (i.e., the Los Vaqueros Expansion Project Activity Agreement, the Exchange Contractors 2019-2023 Transfer Program Activity Agreement, and the Westside-San Joaquin Integrated Regional Water Management Activity Agreement).

## **General Westside-San Joaquin Integrated Regional Water Management Plan (IRWMP)**

The Westside-San Joaquin (WSJ) IRWM Region Activity Agreement members met in early December to review recent and upcoming IRWM activities and the upcoming Fiscal Year 2022 budget. During this meeting the Activity Agreement members confirmed the proposed Fiscal Year 2022 budget. Following the meeting, SLDMWA staff confirmed follow-up questions and cost allocations that members requested.

### **2. Sustainable Groundwater Management Activity (SGMA) Activity Summary**

#### **Northern and Central Delta-Mendota Regions**

GSAs in the Northern and Central Delta-Mendota Regions are compiling and finalizing water use data from Water Year 2020 (Oct 1, 2019 – Sep 30, 2020) for inclusion in the upcoming Water Year 2020 Annual Report. These data will be shared with the Woodard & Curran and Provost & Pritchard Annual Report team for compilation and review along with data from the other five GSP Groups.

The Northern and Central Management Committees reviewed an updated version of the Fiscal Year 2022 budget in late December. Members recommended approval of the Northern and Central Regions' budget to the SLDMWA Board and also recommended the Coordinated SGMA budget for approval by the Coordination Committee, which will consider this approval and recommendation to the SLDMWA Board in January.

#### **General SGMA Activities**

The Subbasin's GSP Groups finalized seasonal low groundwater level data and uploaded these data to the DWR Monitoring Network Module (MNM). In January, SLDMWA staff will coordinate with GSP Group representatives to ensure all representative monitoring network data is uploaded to the Subbasin's data management system (DMS). These data will be included in the Subbasin's coordinated Water Year 2020 Annual Report, which will be developed and submitted to DWR by a team from Woodard & Curran, Provost & Pritchard, and Kenneth D. Schmidt & Associates by the April 1<sup>st</sup> deadline. The Annual Report will also describe any challenges or inabilities to collect monitoring data during this water year.

SLDMWA released a request for proposals (RFP) in late December on behalf of the Coordination Committee for the Subbasin's subsidence characterization study, which will be supported through funding from the Subbasin's awarded Proposition 68 Sustainable Groundwater Management (SGM) grant. Subbasin representatives will review received proposals in late January.

Five agencies in the Subbasin collaborated to develop an application for DWR's Proposition 68 2020 Sustainable Groundwater Management (SGM) Grant Program Implementation – Round 1 Grant funding. The grant application was developed by a Woodard & Curran team via a special project agreement with the participating agencies. The application was submitted in advance of the January 8<sup>th</sup> deadline. If awarded, the grant opportunity will support up to \$5 million for implementation projects identified in the Subbasin's GSPs.

The Subbasin's Facilitation Support Services (FSS) program provides support for inter-basin coordination efforts. The FSS program is led by a team from Stantec and is funded through a DWR grant. Coordination Committee representatives and SLDMWA staff have recently worked with the Stantec team to discuss past inter-basin coordination efforts and identify the Subbasin's goals moving forward. FSS-supported inter-basin coordination will focus on neighboring Chowchilla, Merced, and Madera Subbasins. The first round of FSS-supported meetings will begin in early 2021.

### 3. Drainage Activity Summary

#### **Grassland Basin Drainage Management Steering Committee Activity Summary**

Staff prepared for the December meeting of the Grassland Basin Drainers Steering Committee, including a draft of the FY22 budget and other administrative functions. Staff developed a profile of the San Luis Drain to develop an operations plan and coordinated with stakeholders, including Panoche Drainage District, regarding necessary San Luis Drain O&M budget requirements. Finalize and submit Drainage Management Plan.

Participate in conference call with the Regional Board in preparation for the January 14, 2021 public meeting on the Grassland Bypass Project. Ongoing monitoring for discharges from the Grassland Bypass Project and data entry continued. Work to administer the Prop 84 grant for the Long-Term Storm Water Plan and reuse area upgrades continued. Continue to manage monitoring plan. Coordinate work related to the agreement with Newman Land Company and State Fish and Wildlife for restoration of Mud Slough to conditions prior to the Grassland Bypass Project. Work is ongoing to submit permit application in January and circulate CEQA documents in February.

Prepared report on Outside Canal break and necessary related discharges into the San Luis Drain.

Continue to meet with local wetland managers regarding supplemental mitigation fund developed for the 2009 Use Agreement. Proceed to develop final documents for Oversight Committee approval.

Activities also included management of the Third Party Group for the Grassland Drainage Area Coalition to implement the Irrigated Lands Program. Support was provided to farmers for completing their paperwork requirements. Review draft revisions to groundwater management plan. Prepare paper work for mailing to members for reporting.

#### **San Joaquin Valley Drainage Authority Activity Summary**

Work with Regional Board to identify farmer members that have not fulfilled compliance paperwork. Follow up calls and emails were answered to assist farmers in completing their paperwork requirements. This follow up was needed to prevent farmer members from receiving fines from the Central Valley Regional Board. Manage field monitoring program and provide update of the management plan to the Regional Board. Administrative functions, including invoicing continued.

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Organize and participate in December 1, 2020 SJVA meeting.

Prepare materials for the January 5, 2021 SJVDA meeting. Prepare draft FY 21-22 SJVDA budget.

Participate in group conference calls regarding surface and groundwater management plans. Prepare outreach plan.

Prepare materials for mailing to farmer members the required reporting for 2021. Significant work required to include new requirements and revised reporting forms. Work included consultants revising the web portal so farmers could report on line. Prepare reports due to the Regional Board.

Management continued for the Prop 84 Real Time Management Program Grant for compliance with the San Joaquin River Salt and Boron TMDL.

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Anthea Hansen

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**Cc:** Lindsey Wilcox; J. Scott Petersen; Claire Howard  
**Subject:** RE: WSJ draft grant agreement

Hi Anthea,

Last we heard (last week) some final tweaks were being made and DWR said they would let us know when it's routed for signature – hopefully imminently!

Thanks,  
Jen

Jen Kidson  
 Water Resources Planner  
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**Subject:** RE: WSJ draft grant agreement

Hi Jen,

Any news on the Grant Agreement?

Sincerely,  
Anthea

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**Subject:** WSJ draft grant agreement

Hi WSJ local project sponsors,

Thanks for your time this week as we coordinated on the draft grant agreement. Attached for your reference is the full draft grant agreement (with our changes tracked), which will go back to DWR for review.

I know questions on bidding/procurement also came up in some of our conversations, so I've reattached a previous email here on that topic.

Thanks!

Jen

Jen Kidson

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**SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY DRAINAGE AUTHORITY**  
**Special Telephonic Meeting of the Board**  
**of Directors**  
**842 Sixth Street, Los Banos, California**  
**Tuesday, January 5, 2021**  
**9:30 a.m.**

**AGENDA**

**Join Zoom Meeting**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83462629665?pwd=NXAyRUhqNy9YWm1pN2lxOGRBNm9RQT09>

**Meeting ID: 834 6262 9665**

**Passcode: 236466**

**Dial by your location**

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NOTE: In accordance with the Governor's Executive Order (N-29-20) and the declared State of Emergency as a result of the threat of COVID-19, members of the Board of Directors, and Drainage Authority staff will be participating in this meeting remotely from multiple locations. This meeting will occur exclusively through Zoom. If members of the public have any problems using the call-in number during the meeting, please contact the Authority office at 209-826-9696.

NOTE FURTHER: Any member of the public may address the Board concerning any item on the agenda before or during consideration of that item, as appropriate.

1. Call to Order/Roll Call
2. Board to Consider Corrections or Additions to the Agenda of Items, as authorized by Government Code Section 54950 et seq.
3. Opportunity for Public Comment – Any member of the public may address the Board concerning any matter not on the agenda, but within the Board's jurisdiction. Public comment is limited to no more than three minutes per person. For good cause, the Chair of the Board may waive this limitation.

**Action Items**

4. **Board to Consider Approval of Minutes/Acceptance of Listed Financial Reports**
  - A. **Board to Consider Approving December 1, 2020 Meeting Minutes**
  - B. **Board to Review and Consider Acceptance of Financial & Expenditure Report, J. Machado**

**Report Items**

5. Review First Draft FY 20-21 Budget
6. Regional Water Quality Management Activity
  - A. Westside Watershed Coalition Update
    - 1) Status of 2020 Reporting Requirements and Notices of Violation
    - 2) Management Practice Evaluation Program Status
    - 3) Review Monitoring/Reporting Status
      - a. Schedule for 2020-21 Forms
      - b. Drinking Water Sampling
    - 4) Management Plan Updates and Outreach Activities
    - 5) Groundwater Protection Formula Workplan

7. Update on Grant Programs
  - A. Update of Salt and Boron TMDL Real Time Management Program
  - B. Update on CV Salts
8. Other Updates Regarding Regulatory Processes, Legislation and Drainage Programs
9. Member Reports
10. Agency Representative Reports
11. Reports on Other Items Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2

**Closed Session**

12. Conference with Legal Counsel
  - Anticipated Litigation – Initiation of Litigation Pursuant to paragraph (2) or (3) of Subdivision (d)) of Government Code Section 54956.9 – 4 potential cases
  - Pending Litigation Pursuant to Subdivision (a) of Government Code Section 54956.9
    - A. San Joaquin County Resource Conservation District, et al., v California Regional Water Quality Control Board; California Rice Commission, et al, Real Parties in Interest/California Sportfishing Protection Alliance; California Water Impact Network v. California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region, et al.; California Rice Commission et al, Real Parties in Interest, Sacramento County Superior Court Case No. 34-2012-80001186-CU-WM-GDS (Consolidated Case No. RG12632180)
13. Return to Open Session/Report from Closed Session
14. Reports on other Items Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2
15. ADJOURNMENT

*Persons with a disability may request disability-related modification or accommodation by contacting Cheri Worthy or Felicia Luna at the San Luis & Delta-Mendota Water Authority Office, 842 6<sup>th</sup> Street, P O Box 2157, Los Banos, California, telephone: 209/826-9696 at least (3 for regular, 1 for special) day(s) before the meeting date.*

**San Joaquin Valley  
Drainage Authority**

**Draft #1**

**ANNUAL BUDGET  
MARCH 1, 2021 - FEBRUARY 28, 2022**

**January 5, 2021**

# SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY DRAINAGE AUTHORITY

## Draft #1 ANNUAL BUDGET FISCAL YEAR *MARCH 1, 2021 – FEBRUARY 28, 2022*

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**FUND DESCRIPTION**

**San Joaquin Valley Drainage Authority General Membership (Fund 50)**

The San Joaquin Valley Drainage Joint Powers Authority (Drainage Authority) was formed on January 1, 1999. The Drainage Authority was formed to provide a forum for public agencies to participate in coordinated drainage activities, such as the need to have a master drainage plan to address salt balance for irrigated agricultural lands within the San Joaquin Valley. This is the General Fund for the San Joaquin Valley Drainage Authority for general membership.

Each of the members in the Drainage Authority is a public entity empowered to provide water service to lands within their boundaries, provide drainage service, coordinate the operation and maintenance of works and facilities, and provide for the distribution and use of water for irrigation and drainage.

**Administration**

The Drainage Authority has contracted with the San Luis & Delta-Mendota Water Authority (Water Authority) to provide the administrative functions of the Drainage Authority. The administrative cost of the Drainage Authority is reimbursable to the Water Authority on a monthly basis.

**Accounting and Audit**

The San Joaquin Valley Drainage Authority has been set up as a separate accounting entity and will be audited separately as a distinct entity.

**Irrigated Lands Regulatory Program (Fund 55)**

This is a special revenue fund managed by the Regional Water Quality Management Activity. The Drainage Authority is serving as the umbrella agency to allow formation of a regional watershed coalition for purposes of the Irrigated Lands Regulatory Program (formerly, the "Conditional Ag Waiver Program") issued by the Regional Board. Funding for this project will come from participating members and watershed coalition participants who have executed Memoranda of Understanding in order to participate under the umbrella of the watershed coalition.



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**BUDGET SUMMARY**

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<i><b>EXPENDITURES</b></i>	<i><b>TOTALS</b></i>	Fund 50 GENERAL MEMBERSHIP	Fund 55 IRRIGATED LANDS REGULATORY PROGRAM
<i>Direct Activity Totals</i>	\$ 2,705,086	\$ 95,336	\$ 2,609,750
<i>Administrative &amp; Accounting Totals</i>	\$ 95,000	\$ 3,348	\$ 91,652
<b>BUDGETED EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$ 2,800,086</b>	<b>\$ 98,684</b>	<b>\$ 2,701,402</b>

\$2,800,086

<i><b>REVENUES</b></i>	<i><b>TOTALS</b></i>	Fund 50 GENERAL MEMBERSHIP	Fund 55 IRRIGATED LANDS REGULATORY PROGRAM
<i>Funds from/(to) Fund Balances</i>	\$ 239,210	\$ 50,116	\$ 189,095
<i>Interest</i>	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<i>Membership Dues</i>	\$ 2,466,694	\$ 48,568	\$ 2,418,126
<i>Membership Dues - Others</i>	\$ 94,181		\$ 94,181
<b>BUDGETED REVENUES</b>	<b>\$ 2,800,086</b>	<b>\$ 98,684</b>	<b>\$ 2,701,402</b>

\$ 2,800,086

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Direct Expenses

Legal

	<i>Total</i>	<i>General Membership Fund 50</i>	<i>Irrigated Lands Reg. Program Fund 55</i>
Baker, Manock and Jensen	\$ 16,500	\$ -	\$ 16,500
Kahn, Soares & Conway	\$ 22,000	\$ -	\$ 22,000
Linneman et al	\$ 8,566	\$ 6,766	\$ 1,800
Somach, Simmons & Dunn	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Other Professional Services			
Watershed Coordinator (Summers)	\$ 518,000	\$ -	\$ 518,000
David Cory	\$ 130,000	\$ 60,000	\$ 70,000
Field Outreach	\$ 15,000	\$ -	\$ 15,000
Field Coordinator(s)	\$ 147,000	\$ -	\$ 147,000
Monitoring	\$ 533,620	\$ -	\$ 533,620
Real Time Management Implementation	\$ 10,000	\$ -	\$ 10,000
Management Practices Evaluation Program	\$ 43,915	\$ -	\$ 43,915
Groundwater Protection Formula	\$ 43,000	\$ -	\$ 43,000
CVSalts Prioritization & Optimization Study	\$ 53,097	\$ -	\$ 53,097
Membership Database	\$ 47,620	\$ -	\$ 47,620
NMP Summary Reporting	\$ 34,600	\$ -	\$ 34,600
Surface Quality Management Plan	\$ 82,835	\$ -	\$ 82,835
Annual Report	\$ 90,880	\$ -	\$ 90,880
Management Plan Completion Requests	\$ 10,250	\$ -	\$ 10,250
Implement Trend MP/RMP	\$ 141,409	\$ -	\$ 141,409
Water Quality Database	\$ 142,620	\$ -	\$ 142,620
Groundwater Assessment Report Update	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
CV Groundwater Monitoring Collaborative	\$ 45,118	\$ -	\$ 45,118
Develop On-line Portal	\$ 39,566	\$ -	\$ 39,566
Delta Regional Monitoring Program	\$ 41,200	\$ -	\$ 41,200
State Board ILRP Fee	\$ 440,000	\$ -	\$ 440,000
Dissolved Oxygen Aerator	\$ 12,500	\$ -	\$ 12,500
CV Salts Program	\$ 19,500	\$ 19,500	\$ -
Telephone	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
External Auditing	\$ 7,440	\$ 3,720	\$ 3,720
Liability Insurance	\$ 3,850	\$ 3,850	\$ -
Miscellaneous	\$ 1,500	\$ 500	\$ 1,000
Other Services and Expenses	\$ 3,500	\$ 1,000	\$ 2,500
<b>Total Direct Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 2,705,086</b>	<b>\$ 95,336</b>	<b>\$ 2,609,750</b>
<b>Total Administrative &amp; Accounting Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 95,000</b>	<b>\$ 3,348</b>	<b>\$ 91,652</b>
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 2,800,086</b>	<b>\$ 98,684</b>	<b>\$ 2,701,402</b>

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**GENERAL MEMBERSHIP - FUND 50**

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	FY 21 Budget 3/01/20-2/28/21	FY 21 Actual *3/01/20-11/20/20	FY 21 Projected 3/01/20-2/28/21		FY 22 Budget 3/01/21-2/28/22
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>	*Paid/Pending for services provided through November 20, 2020				
Direct Expenditures:					
Legal					
Linneman et al	\$ 6,766	\$ 1,111	\$ 3,452	1	\$ 6,766
CVSALTS Program	\$ 19,500	\$ 19,500	\$ 19,500	3	\$ 19,500
Dave Cory - CVSALTS Consultant	\$ 60,000	\$ 18,281	\$ 21,937	1	\$ 60,000
Telephone	\$ 50	\$ -	\$ -	3	\$ -
External Auditing	\$ 3,537	\$ 3,538	\$ 3,538	3	\$ 3,720
Liability Insurance	\$ 3,750	\$ 2,667	\$ 3,574	3	\$ 3,850
Other Services & Expenses	\$ 1,000	\$ 48	\$ 500	2	\$ 1,000
Miscellaneous	\$ 500	\$ -	\$ -	2	\$ 500
<b>Total Direct Expenditures</b>	<b>\$ 95,103</b>	<b>\$ 45,144</b>	<b>\$ 52,500</b>		<b>\$ 95,336</b>
Administrative Expenditures	\$ 3,129	\$ 0	\$ 3,129	2	\$ 3,348
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$ 98,232</b>	<b>\$ 45,144</b>	<b>\$ 55,629</b>		<b>\$ 98,684</b>
<b>REVENUES</b>					
Funds from/(to) Fund Balance	\$ 84,712	-----	\$ 97,225		\$ 50,116
Interest	\$ -	-----	\$ -		\$ -
<b>Membership Dues</b>	<b>\$ 13,520</b>	-----	<b>\$ 13,520</b>		<b>\$ 48,568</b>
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>\$ 98,232</b>		<b>\$ 110,745</b>		<b>\$ 98,684</b>
<b>FUND BALANCE:</b>					
End of FY 20 (Estimated)	\$ 5,000				
End of FY 20 (Audited)		\$ 97,225			
End of FY 21 (Budget Estimated)	\$ 5,000				
End of FY 21 ( Estimated)					\$ 55,116
End of FY 22 ( Estimated)					\$ 5,000
			Available/(Required)		<b>\$ 50,116</b>
<b>PRIOR YEAR:</b>	<b>FY19</b>	<b>FY20</b>	<b>FY21</b>		<b>FY22</b>
BUDGET	\$ 102,177	\$ 149,248	\$ 98,232		\$ 98,684
MEMBERSHIP DUES	\$ 69,944	\$ 119,246	\$ 13,520		\$ 48,568
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Code:

1. Annualization
2. Budget
3. Based on updated information.

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**SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY DRAINAGE AUTHORITY**  
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**GENERAL MEMBERSHIP COST ALLOCATION**

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<i>Based on FY 22 Proposed Budget</i>	Acres	%	General Membership \$ 48,568.09	\$/Ac
<b>GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEMBERS</b>				
Del Puerto Water District	45,229	11.38%	\$ 5,528.35	\$ 0.122
Pacheco Water District	4,975	1.25%	\$ 608.10	\$ 0.122
Panoche Drainage District	44,000	11.07%	\$ 5,378.13	\$ 0.122
Patterson Irrigation District	12,660	3.19%	\$ 1,547.43	\$ 0.122
* SJRECWA	220,000	55.37%	\$ 26,890.64	\$ 0.122
San Luis Water District	36,080	9.08%	\$ 4,410.12	\$ 0.122
Tranquility ID/Fresno Slough WD	11,850	2.98%	\$ 1,448.43	\$ 0.122
Twin Oaks Irrigation District	2,400	0.60%	\$ 293.35	\$ 0.122
West Stanislaus Irrigation District	20,155	5.07%	\$ 2,463.55	\$ 0.122
<b>Total Members</b>	<b>397,349</b>			
			<b>\$ 48,568.10</b>	<b>\$ 0.122</b>

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\* San Joaquin River Exchange Contractors Water Authority

**SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY DRAINAGE AUTHORITY  
MARCH 1, 2021 - FEBRUARY 28, 2022  
IRRIGATED LANDS REGULATORY PROGRAM\* - FUND 55**

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	FY 21 Budget 3/01/20-2/28/21	FY 21 Actual *3/01/20-11/20/20	FY 21 Projected 3/01/20-2/28/21		FY 22 Budget 3/01/21-2/28/22
*Paid/Pending for services provided through November 20, 2020					
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>					
Direct Expenditures:					
Legal					
Baker, Manock and Jensen	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,500		\$ 16,500
Kahn, Soares & Conway	\$ -	\$ 5,526	\$ 12,000		\$ 22,000
Linneman et al	\$ 15,000	\$ 1,164	\$ 1,164	1	\$ 1,800
Somach, Simmons & Dunn	\$ 5,500	\$ -	\$ -	3	\$ -
Other Professional Services					
Watershed Coordinator (Summers)	\$ 629,000	\$ 329,659	\$ 583,000	3	\$ 518,000
David Cory	\$ 70,000	\$ 38,834	\$ 70,000	3	\$ 70,000
Field Outreach	\$ 20,000	\$ -	\$ 15,000	3	\$ 15,000
Field Coordinator(s)	\$ 129,000	\$ 66,380	\$ 129,000	2	\$ 147,000
Monitoring	\$ 750,000	\$ 498,763	\$ 738,500	3	\$ 533,620
Real Time Management Implementation	\$ 20,000	\$ -	\$ 16,393	3	\$ 10,000
Management Practices Evaluation Program	\$ 46,187	\$ 38,687	\$ 56,671	3	\$ 43,915
Groundwater Protection Formula	\$ 20,000	\$ 12,439	\$ 42,796	3	\$ 43,000
CVSalts Prioritization & Optimization Study	\$ 53,097	\$ 53,097	\$ 53,097		\$ 53,097
Membership Database	\$ 261,240	\$ 161,883	\$ 261,240	2	\$ 47,620
NMP Summary Reporting	\$ 53,800	\$ 7,329	\$ 53,800	3	\$ 34,600
Surface Quality Management Plan	\$ 56,640	\$ 16,619	\$ 32,840	2	\$ 82,835
Annual Report	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -		\$ 90,880
Management Plan Completion Requests	\$ 12,680	\$ 2,555	\$ 12,680	2	\$ 10,250
Implement Trend MP/RMP	\$ 92,526	\$ 109,283	\$ 85,526	3	\$ 141,409
Water Quality Database	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -		\$ 142,620
Groundwater Assessment Report Update	\$ 33,320	\$ -	\$ -		\$ -
CV Groundwater Monitoring Collaborative	\$ 25,560	\$ 1,599	\$ 11,088	3	\$ 45,118
Develop On-line Portal	\$ 13,744	\$ 2,764	\$ 13,744	2	\$ 39,566
Delta Regional Monitoring Program	\$ 41,200	\$ 41,200	\$ 41,200	3	\$ 41,200
State Board ILRP Fee	\$ 437,000	\$ 145,586	\$ 436,757	3	\$ 440,000
Dissolved Oxygen Aerator	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	2	\$ 12,500
Other Services & Expenses	\$ 2,700	\$ 1,264	\$ -	2	\$ 2,500
Miscellaneous	\$ 1,000	\$ -	\$ -	2	\$ 1,000
External Auditing	\$ 3,538	\$ 3,538	\$ 3,538	3	\$ 3,720
<b>Total Direct Expenditures</b>	\$ 2,792,732	\$ 1,538,169	\$ 2,673,334		\$ 2,809,750
Administrative Expenditures	\$ 91,871	\$ -	\$ 91,871	2	\$ 91,652
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	\$ 2,884,603	\$ 1,538,169	\$ 2,765,205		\$ 2,701,402
<b>REVENUES</b>					
Funds from/(to) Fund Balance	\$ 76,612	-----	\$ 247,674		\$ 189,095
Interest	\$ -	-----	\$ -		\$ -
Membership Dues	\$ 2,713,810	-----	\$ 2,712,445		\$ 2,418,126
Budgeted Additional Dues	\$ 94,181				
Actual Additional Dues			\$ 94,181		
Estimated Additional Dues					\$ 94,181 **
<b>Total Revenues</b>	\$ 2,884,603		\$ 3,054,300		\$ 2,701,402
<b>FUND BALANCE:</b>					
End of FY 20 (Estimated)	\$ 100,000				
End of FY 20 (Audited)		\$ 247,674			
End of FY 21 (Budget Estimated)	\$ 100,000				
End of FY 21 (Estimated)					\$ 289,095
End of FY 22 (Estimated)					\$ 100,000
				Available/(Required)	\$ 189,095
<b>PRIOR YEAR:</b>					
BUDGET	FY19	FY20	FY21		FY22
BUDGET	\$ 2,549,059	\$ 2,449,896	\$ 2,884,603		\$ 2,701,402
MEMBERSHIP DUES + ADD'L DUES	\$ 2,127,189	\$ 2,321,988	\$ 2,807,991		\$ 2,512,307
Subject to rounding					
* Formerly, the "Conditional Ag Waiver Program".					
**Estimated Additional Dues FY 22					
Code:					
1. Annualization				Dept. of Fish and Wildlife	\$ 32,176
2. Budget				Grassland Water District	\$ 59,210
3. Based on updated information.				Individuals	\$ 2,796
					\$ 94,181

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**SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY DRAINAGE AUTHORITY**  
**MARCH 1, 2021 - FEBRUARY 28, 2022**  
**IRRIGATED LANDS REGULATORY PROGRAM COST ALLOCATION**

**Draft #1**

**01.05.2021**

<u>Based on FY 22 Proposed Budget</u>	Acres	%	Irrigated Lands Reg. Program \$ 2,416,458.10	\$/Ac	Fixed Individual Admin. Fee	Total Annual Membership
<b>IRRIGATED LANDS REGULATORY PROGRAM MEMBERS</b>						
Del Puerto Water District	38,699.00	10.8462%	\$ 262,093.97	\$ 6.773		\$ 262,093.97
Lone Tree Mutual Water Company	11,344.33	3.1795%	\$ 76,830.94	\$ 6.773		\$ 76,830.94
Oak Flat Irrigation District	2,029.00	0.5687%	\$ 13,741.66	\$ 6.773		\$ 13,741.66
Patterson Irrigation District	11,258.81	3.1555%	\$ 76,251.74	\$ 6.773		\$ 76,251.74
* SJRECWA	185,162.05	51.8955%	\$ 1,254,033.89	\$ 6.773		\$ 1,254,033.89
San Luis Water District	34,137.83	9.5678%	\$ 231,202.86	\$ 6.773		\$ 231,202.86
Tranquility ID/Fresno Slough WD	11,140.00	3.1222%	\$ 75,447.09	\$ 6.773		\$ 75,447.09
Turner Island Water District	6,314.00	1.7696%	\$ 42,762.38	\$ 6.773		\$ 42,762.38
Twin Oaks Irrigation District	2,388.20	0.6693%	\$ 16,174.39	\$ 6.773		\$ 16,174.39
West Stanislaus Irrigation District	20,066.00	5.6239%	\$ 135,899.58	\$ 6.773		\$ 135,899.58
White Lake Mutual Water Company	1,389.01	0.3893%	\$ 9,407.25	\$ 6.773		\$ 9,407.25
1880 Olive LP (John Ramos)	18.98	0.0053%	\$ 128.54	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 140.54
A & H Investments	249.65	0.0700%	\$ 1,690.79	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 1,702.79
A-Bar Ag Enterprises	149.00	0.0418%	\$ 1,009.12	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 1,021.12
Alberta Jr., Manuel ETAL	37.32	0.0105%	\$ 252.75	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 264.75
Alves Family Trust	59.79	0.0168%	\$ 404.94	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 416.94
Alves, Deolinda	34.92	0.0098%	\$ 236.50	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 248.50
Anderson Road Ranches	100.00	0.0280%	\$ 677.26	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 689.26
ARC Holdings, LP	14.04	0.0039%	\$ 95.09	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 107.09
Arrowhead Orchards	406.00	0.1138%	\$ 2,749.69	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 2,761.69
B B Limited	1,025.35	0.2874%	\$ 6,944.32	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 6,956.32
Baker Farming	551.20	0.1545%	\$ 3,733.07	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 3,745.07
Bettencourt Land and Trees LP	498.67	0.1398%	\$ 3,377.31	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 3,389.31
Bettencourt, Richard and Darlene'	112.00	0.0314%	\$ 758.53	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 770.53
Blewitt Mutual Water Co.	10.54	0.0030%	\$ 71.35	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 83.35
Bogetti Bros., A & M Inc.	40.00	0.0112%	\$ 270.91	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 282.91
Bogetti, Clayton	151.13	0.0424%	\$ 1,023.55	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 1,035.55
Borba Family-Winton Ranch	310.00	0.0869%	\$ 2,099.52	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 2,111.52
Braun Heirs c/o Janice Coelho Amaral	30.00	0.0084%	\$ 203.18	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 215.18
Brazil, Joe E. Trust	87.60	0.0246%	\$ 593.28	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 605.28
Buehner, Kenneth & Lori Trust	3.40	0.0010%	\$ 23.03	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 35.03
Burkhart Heirs	60.00	0.0168%	\$ 406.36	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 418.36
Cardoso, Mariann	38.00	0.0107%	\$ 257.36	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 269.36
Casey, John	42.00	0.0118%	\$ 284.45	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 296.45
Cerutti Brothers Inc.	521.00	0.1460%	\$ 3,528.54	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 3,540.54
City of Los Banos	426.00	0.1194%	\$ 2,885.14	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 2,897.14
City of Newman	102.50	0.0287%	\$ 694.19	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 706.19
City of Patterson	183.50	0.0514%	\$ 1,242.76	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 1,254.76
Coehlo, Cathrine et al	296.81	0.0832%	\$ 2,010.18	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 2,022.18
Corrections Corporation of America	99.40	0.0279%	\$ 673.20	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 685.20
Cox and Perez Partnership	20.90	0.0059%	\$ 141.55	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 153.55
Craven Farming Co.	541.00	0.1516%	\$ 3,663.99	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 3,675.99
D. T. Lock Ranch Inc	3.93	0.0011%	\$ 26.62	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 38.62
DaRosa Family Trust	155.00	0.0434%	\$ 1,049.76	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 1,061.76
Del Don, Lee ETAL	85.80	0.0240%	\$ 581.09	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 593.09
Del Don, Leroy	80.00	0.0224%	\$ 541.81	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 553.81
Del Mar Farms	40.00	0.0112%	\$ 270.91	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 282.91
Delta Star Group Holdings	3.30	0.0009%	\$ 22.35	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 34.35
Donlon, Shane & Mary Trust	150.88	0.0423%	\$ 1,021.85	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 1,033.85
Double J Farms a California general partnership	461.00	0.1292%	\$ 3,122.18	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 3,134.18
Drew, Charles & Cora L.	5.00	0.0014%	\$ 33.86	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 45.86
El Cafetal, LLC	172.97	0.0485%	\$ 1,171.46	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 1,183.46
Escobar, John	49.67	0.0139%	\$ 336.40	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 348.40
Fagundes Bros., LLC	17.75	0.0050%	\$ 120.21	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 132.21
Ferro, Rose Marie	56.60	0.0159%	\$ 383.33	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 395.33
Forte, John Trustee	120.00	0.0336%	\$ 812.72	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 824.72
Freitas, Joe	119.00	0.0334%	\$ 805.94	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 817.94
Frias, Robert ET UX TRS & Frias, Beverly	10.05	0.0028%	\$ 68.06	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 80.06
Gaspar Properties	52.34	0.0147%	\$ 354.48	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 366.48
Giannone, Anthony	299.09	0.0838%	\$ 2,025.63	\$ 6.773	\$ 12.00	\$ 2,037.63

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# SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY DRAINAGE AUTHORITY

MARCH 1, 2021 - FEBRUARY 28, 2022

## SCHEDULE OF MEMBERSHIP DUES PER ACRE

Draft #1

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	Total	General Membership Fund 50	Irrigated Lands Regulatory Program Fund 55
Del Puerto Water District	\$ 6.895	\$ 0.122	\$ 6.773
Lone Tree Mutual Water Company	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Oak Flats Irrigation District	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Pacheco Water District	\$ 0.122	\$ 0.122	\$ -
Panoche Drainage District	\$ 0.122	\$ 0.122	\$ -
Patterson Irrigation District	\$ 6.895	\$ 0.122	\$ 6.773
San Joaquin River Exchange Contractors Water Authority	\$ 6.895	\$ 0.122	\$ 6.773
San Luis Water District	\$ 6.895	\$ 0.122	\$ 6.773
Tranquility ID/ Fresno Slough WD	\$ 6.895	\$ 0.122	\$ 6.773
Turner Island Water District	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Twin Oaks Irrigation District	\$ 6.895	\$ 0.122	\$ 6.773
West Stanislaus Irrigation District	\$ 6.895	\$ 0.122	\$ 6.773
White Lake Mutual Water Company	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
1880 Olive LP (John Ramos)	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
A & H Investments	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
A-Bar Ag Enterprises	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Alberta Jr., Manuel ETAL	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Alves Family Trust	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Alves, Deolinda	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Anderson Road Ranches	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
ARC Holdings, LP	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Arrowhead Orchards	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
B B Limited	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Baker Farming	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Bettencourt Land and Trees LP	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Bettencourt, Richard and Darlene'	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Blewitt Mutual Water Co.	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Bogetti Bros., A & M Inc.	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Bogetti, Clayton	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Borba Family-Winton Ranch	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Braun Heirs c/o Janice Coelho Amaral	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Brazil, Joe E. Trust	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Buehner, Kenneth & Lori Trust	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Burkhart Heirs	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Cardoso, Mariann	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Casey, John	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Cerutti Brothers Inc.	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
City of Los Banos	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
City of Newman	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
City of Patterson	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Coehlo, Cathrine et al	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Corrections Corporation of America	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Cox and Perez Partnership	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Craven Farming Co.	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
D. T. Lock Ranch Inc	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
DaRosa Family Trust	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Del Don, Lee ETAL	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Del Don, Leroy	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Del Mar Farms	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Delta Star Group Holdings	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Donlon, Shane & Mary Trust	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Double J Farms a California general partnership	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773
Drew, Charles & Cora L.	\$ 6.773	\$ -	\$ 6.773



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

Fall 2020

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NEW REQUIREMENTS FOR ON-FARM DRINKING WATER WELLS

**Nuevas Requisitos de Calidad de Agua Requieren que usted Responde**

(Para obtener más información en español (formularios u otra información), por favor contáctenos al telefono (916) 464-4611 o vía email a: [irrLands@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:irrLands@waterboards.ca.gov).)

Beginning **1 January 2021** all West San Joaquin River Water Quality Coalition members and/or property owners will be required to sample their on-farm drinking water wells for nitrate by 31 December 2021 and annually thereafter. If you have a well, used for drinking or cooking on an enrolled parcel(s), please follow the directions below:

- Contact an ELAP Laboratory- List of certified laboratories can be found on our webpage (link below) and/or enclosed for your use.
- Complete the Drinking Water Well Member Information Form- Submit enclosed form with sample to the laboratory only.
- Notification Requirements- If sample results are **greater than 10 mg/L** nitrate as nitrogen you must **notify** the user(s) using the attached Notification Template and also send a signed copy to the Central Valley Water Board.

For additional details or frequently asked questions please go to:

[https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/water\\_issues/irrigated\\_lands/drinking\\_water](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/water_issues/irrigated_lands/drinking_water)

If you have questions regarding these new requirements, please Terry Bechtel by email at [terry.bechtelt@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:terry.bechtelt@waterboards.ca.gov) ,or by phone at (916) 947-4686.

You can also contact us at [irrlands@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:irrlands@waterboards.ca.gov) or by phone at (916) 464-4611.

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Executive Officer

Enclosure: Drinking Water Well Sampling Quick Guide  
Drinking Water Well Member Information Form  
Notification Template  
List of ELAP laboratories

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# Grower Quick Guide

## Drinking Water Well Sample Collection

### Contact a Certified Laboratory

- Laboratory must be certified through the Environmental Laboratory Accreditation Program (ELAP) for nitrate + nitrite as nitrogen testing.
- Inform laboratory that you are an East San Joaquin Water Quality Coalition member and need your domestic well(s) sampled for **nitrate + nitrite as nitrogen**; make sure that the lab can load data to GeoTracker.
- Laboratory and/or third-party consultants are available to assist with sampling, refer to the Sample Results and Reporting Requirements below.

### If you are Collecting your own Sample

- Obtain sample bottles (with or without a preservative) with labels and chain of custody (COC) form for nitrate + nitrite as nitrogen sampling from laboratory.
- Follow proper sampling procedures and **hold times** (provided by your laboratory).
- Transport unpreserved samples to the laboratory using a cooler with ice (39.2°F).
- Submit COC and Drinking Water Well Member Information Form with sample(s) to the laboratory and keep a copy for your records.

### Sample Results and Reporting Requirements

- Laboratory will create a GeoTracker account based on the Drinking Water Member Information Form.
- The laboratory will enter your sample results into your GeoTracker account (State groundwater database).
- If nitrate + nitrite as nitrogen levels are **equal to or less than 10 mg/L**, sample again the next year.
- If nitrate + nitrite as nitrogen levels are **greater than 10 mg/L**, notify drinking water users using the Drinking Water Well Notification Template within 10 days of learning of the exceedance and also send a signed copy of the Notification Template to the Central Valley Water Board. The Notification Template can also be found here:  
[https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/water\\_issues/irrigated\\_lands/drinking\\_water](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/water_issues/irrigated_lands/drinking_water)  
No further sampling required.

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## Project Status Memorandum

To: Claire Howard

From: Gavin O'Leary

Subject: North and Central GSA Regions Well Census and Inventory Project Update

Date: 12/15/2020

### Updates:

- We still need the well data contacts identified for some GSAs (listed below). This survey should take a little over 1 minute to complete.
  - <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=n2XPpmAj-U-ejQRfSENK2s5ozkkm2H9MrYT3GpcRSovVUM1VUQUFQOTdaR1c5ODkySTIQk1aUzVUSC4u>
    - Patterson ID GSA
    - City of Patterson GSA
    - Northwestern GSA
    - Oro Loma GSA
  - For those that have identified well data wizards we will be contacting them soon
  
- Central Region is currently having us process the results of their landowner survey and we hope to have some preliminary results soon.
  
- SGMA monitoring network wells for the Northern and Central Regions (35 wells), that existed in the DMS, have been migrated over to the well census project as the first 'verified' wells.

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## MEMORANDUM



TO: Northern and Central Delta-Mendota Activity Agreement Management Committees  
CC: Scott Petersen, John Brodie, and Claire Howard, San Luis & Delta-Mendota Water Authority  
FROM: Leslie Dumas and Natalie Cochran  
DATE: December 14, 2020  
RE: Proposed Changes to the Northern & Central Delta-Mendota GSP Region Representative Monitoring Networks

The purpose of this memorandum is to document proposed changes to the representative monitoring networks developed as part of the Northern & Central Delta-Mendota Region GSP. Woodard & Curran led individual meetings with designated monitoring entities throughout the Northern and Central Delta-Mendota Regions in October and November 2020 to discuss challenges faced during spring 2020 groundwater level and summer 2020 groundwater quality monitoring events and to identify and discuss any requested modifications to the representative monitoring networks. Revisions were requested to the groundwater levels, groundwater quality, and interconnected surface water monitoring networks. No revisions to the land subsidence representative monitoring network were requested.

Following approval and required documentation of representative monitoring networks revisions by each monitoring entity, Woodard & Curran will facilitate incorporation of the resulting modifications in the Delta-Mendota DMS and DWR's SGMA Portal.

### 1. GROUNDWATER LEVELS REPRESENTATIVE MONITORING NETWORK

The following subsections document requested revisions to the groundwater levels representative monitoring network by designated monitoring entity and revised sustainable management criteria.

#### 1.1 Monitoring Location Revisions

Requested revisions to the groundwater levels representative monitoring network by designated monitoring entity are listed below. Note that during Water Year 2020, SLDMWA continued to conduct regular groundwater level monitoring under the CASGEM Program and Delta-Mendota Canal Pump-in Program (Warren Act wells). As of December 2020, SLDMWA staff are in the process of determining SLDMWA's role in future groundwater level monitoring within the Delta-Mendota Subbasin. The designated monitoring entities identified below will be notified prior to the seasonal high monitoring event for Water Year 2021 (starting in February 2021) of SLDMWA's and their respective groundwater level monitoring responsibilities as part of the GSP moving forward.





GSA	Proposed Representative Monitoring Network Revisions
City of Patterson	DMS ID 02-001 (MP037.32L) to be removed and replaced with Keystone well
Del Puerto Water District	No revisions requested
Eagle Field Water District	DMS ID 07-006 (MP094.26L) to be removed and replaced with MP093.27L
Mercy Springs Water District	DMS ID 07-011 (MP099.24L) to be removed, replacement well not yet identified
Panoche Water District	No revisions requested
Pacheco Water District	No revisions requested
Patterson Irrigation District	No revisions requested
San Luis Water District	DMS ID 07-004 (MP081.08R) to be removed, replacement well not yet identified Add Little Panoche Creek TSS well
Santa Nella County WD	No revisions requested
Stanislaus County	No revisions requested
Tranquillity Irrigation District	No revisions requested
Volta CSD	No revisions requested
West Stanislaus ID	No revisions requested
Widren Water District	DMS ID 08-001 to be removed and replaced with Well M-1/MP102.04L

**Table 1** includes the requested groundwater levels representative monitoring network revisions as listed above as well as the responsible monitoring entity and revision status for all wells in the groundwater levels representative monitoring network. **Figure 1** and **Figure 2** show requested groundwater levels representative monitoring network revisions in the Upper Aquifer and Lower Aquifer, respectively.



**1.2 Revised Sustainable Management Criteria**

As of December 2020, replacement wells for the groundwater levels representative monitoring network have only been identified for DMS ID 02-001, 07-006, 08-001. DMS ID 07-013 (Little Panoche Creek well) was installed in July 2020 and therefore insufficient groundwater level data are available to established quantitative sustainable management criteria. **Table 2** and **Table 3** show revised minimum thresholds for the groundwater levels representative monitoring network in the Upper Aquifer and Lower Aquifer, respectively. **Table 4** and **Table 5** show revised measurable objectives for the groundwater levels representative monitoring network in the Upper Aquifer and Lower Aquifer, respectively. **Figure 3, Figure 4, and Figure 5** include the hydrographs for the Keystone well (new DMS ID 02-001), MP093.27L/Well 500 (new DMS ID 07-006), and Well M-1/102.04L (new DMS ID 08-001) respectively, with the calculated minimum thresholds and measurable objectives.

**TABLE 2. MINIMUM THRESHOLDS FOR GROUNDWATER LEVELS REPRESENTATIVE MONITORING NETWORK - REQUESTED REVISIONS, UPPER AQUIFER**

Narrative Description				
The minimum threshold is the hydrologic low over the available hydrograph record.				
Numeric Minimum Thresholds – Chronic Lower of Groundwater Levels in Upper Aquifer				
DMS ID	Local ID	Minimum Threshold (feet above msl, NAVD88)	Replacement Well	Revised Minimum Threshold (feet above msl, NAVD88) <sup>1</sup>
01-004	MC10-2	158.8	-	-
01-005 <sup>2</sup>	MP058.28L	86	-	-
02-001	MP037.32L	-49.1	Keystone well	-19.16
03-001 <sup>3</sup>	MW-2	28.72	-	-
03-002 <sup>3</sup>	MW-3	7.66	-	-
03-003 <sup>3</sup>	WSJ003	32.93	-	-
06-002	P259-3	28.6	-	-
06-004	MP031.31L1-L2Well1	14.8	-	-
07-003	MC15-2	62.4	-	-
07-004	MP081.08R	58.2	-	-
07-009	KRCDTID03	60.3	TBD	TBD
07-010	KRCDTID02	72.7	-	-
07-011	MP099.24L	-52.63	TBD	TBD
07-012	GDA003	-41.1	-	-
07-013	Little Panoche Creek	-	-	TBD
07-017 <sup>2</sup>	Well 1	75.4	-	-
07-018	WSJ001	60.3	-	-
08-001 <sup>4</sup>	MP102.04R	-15.9	Well M-1/ MP102.04L	50.65

<sup>1</sup> TBD = To be determined

<sup>2</sup> Minimum thresholds value revised since submittal of GSP to reflect removal of proxy data and availability of historic record.

<sup>3</sup> Minimum thresholds value revised since submittal of GSP to reflect confusion between depth to water and water surface elevation measurements.

<sup>4</sup> DMS ID modified from 07-013 to reflect monitoring responsibilities performed by Widren Water District GSA.

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## 2. GROUNDWATER QUALITY REPRESENTATIVE MONITORING NETWORK

The following subsections document requested revisions to the groundwater quality representative monitoring network by designed monitoring entity and revised sustainable management criteria.

### 2.1 Monitoring Location Revisions

Requested revisions to the groundwater quality representative monitoring network by designated monitoring entity are listed below. Each entity is responsible for collecting annual groundwater quality samples between May and August testing for TDS, nitrate as N, and boron.

GSA	Proposed Representative Monitoring Network Revisions
City of Patterson	DMS ID 02-001 (MP037.32L) to be removed and replaced with Keystone well
Del Puerto Water District	DMS ID 01-005 to be removed and replaced with small well on Sandhu's property
Eagle Field Water District	DMS ID 07-006 (MP094.26L) to be removed and replaced with MP093.27L (Well 500)
Mercy Springs Water District	DMS ID 07-011 (MP099.24L) to be removed, replacement well not yet identified
Panoche Water District	No revisions requested
Pacheco Water District	DMS ID 07-005 to be removed contingent upon available construction details for MP092.20R
Patterson Irrigation District	DMS ID 03-002 to be removed and replaced with MW-1
San Luis Water District	DMS ID 07-004 (MP081.08R) to be removed, replacement well not yet identified Add Little Panoche Creek TSS well
Santa Nella County WD	No revisions requested
Stanislaus County	DMS IDs 06-001, 06-002, and 06-004 to be removed following completion of Well Census and Inventory Project
Tranquillity Irrigation District	DMS ID 07-009 to be removed, replacement not yet selected DMS ID 07-010 to be removed and replaced with TW-4 (upper component)
Volta CSD	No revisions requested
West Stanislaus ID	No revisions requested
Widren Water District	DMS ID 08-001 to be removed and replaced with Well M-1/MP102.04L

**Table 6** includes the requested groundwater quality representative monitoring network revisions as listed above as well as the responsible monitoring entity and revision status for all wells in the groundwater quality representative monitoring network. **Figure 6** and **Figure 7** show requested groundwater quality representative monitoring network revisions in the Upper Aquifer and Lower Aquifer, respectively.





## 2.2 Revised Sustainable Management Criteria

**Table 7** and **Table 8** show revised minimum thresholds for the groundwater quality representative monitoring network in the Upper Aquifer and Lower Aquifer, respectively. **Table 9** and **Table 10** show revised measurable objectives for the groundwater quality representative monitoring network in the Upper Aquifer and Lower Aquifer, respectively.

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### 3. LAND SUBSIDENCE REPRESENTATIVE MONITORING NETWORK

As of December 2020, no revisions have been requested for the land subsidence representative monitoring network. **Table 11** summarizes the existing land subsidence representative monitoring network with no requested revisions.



#### 4. INTERCONNECTED SURFACE WATER REPRESENTATIVE MONITORING NETWORK

West Stanislaus Irrigation District has requested the removal of WSID Pumping Plant 1 Intake Level Sensors (DMS ID 04-001-ISW) from the interconnected surface water representative monitoring network due to the gauge not being well correlated with river stage and flow. **Table 12** summarizes the existing wells in the interconnected surface water representative monitoring network with no revisions. **Table 13** includes the selected stream gauges in the interconnected surface water representative monitoring network with the requested revision.

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## 5. NEXT STEPS

In order to implement the requested revisions to the groundwater levels, groundwater quality, and interconnected surface water representative monitoring networks, the following steps must be taken by each identified party:

1. **Representative Monitoring Entities** – Review this memorandum and confirm to Woodard & Curran that requested revisions have been correctly captured. Well construction documentation or a plan to obtain/confirm well construction must be provided to Woodard & Curran for replacement wells.
2. **Woodard & Curran** – In coordination with Houston Engineering, Woodard & Curran will incorporate requested revisions to the Delta-Mendota Subbasin DMS including well site information and available historical data. The revisions to the networks will be incorporated into the WY2020 Annual Report.
3. **Woodard & Curran** – Woodard & Curran will coordinate with DWR to incorporate requested revisions to the SGMA Portal's Monitoring Network Module and upload the required well site information and available historical data.
4. **SLDMWA/Woodard & Curran** – Following implementation of the requested revisions and determination of SLDMWA's monitoring responsibilities moving forward, representative monitoring entities will be notified prior to February 1, 2021 of any additions to their monitoring responsibilities.

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DETERMINATION  
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**I. INTRODUCTION**

The State of California enacted the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA) in response to continued overdraft of California’s groundwater resources. The Delta-Mendota Subbasin (Subbasin) (5-022.07) is one of 21 alluvial basins and subbasins identified by the California Department of Water Resources (DWR) as being in a state of critical overdraft.

The Subbasin includes 23 groundwater sustainability agencies (GSAs) that are coordinating to implement six groundwater sustainability plans (GSPs). The six GSPs were developed in a coordinated process with the goals of achieving water supply reliability and sustainability for the Subbasin as a whole. The GSPs were developed for the following GSP regions: Aliso Water District, Farmers Water District, Fresno County Management Areas A and B, Grassland Water District, Northern & Central Delta-Mendota Region, and San Joaquin River Exchange Contractors.

As set forth in the Delta-Mendota Subbasin Coordination Agreement, for purposes of SGMA, the San Luis & Delta-Mendota Water Authority (SLDMWA) is serving as the plan manager. In this role, SLDMWA facilitates the SGMA coordination efforts within the Subbasin. Activities pertaining to SGMA in the Subbasin are coordinated through the Delta-Mendota Subbasin Coordination Committee and the Delta-Mendota Subbasin Technical Working Group (TWG).

The Subbasin covers an area of approximately 765,000 acres. The Subbasin economy relies predominantly on agriculture, with water supplied from both surface water and groundwater sources. Depending upon water supply contracts and annual availability, groundwater comprises a significant proportion of the water supply in some areas of the Subbasin.

Two major water supply canals run through the Subbasin: the California Aqueduct (component of the State Water Project) and the federal Delta-Mendota Canal (component of the Central Valley Project). Land subsidence along these two canals has occurred, impacting their operational flexibility and capacity to deliver water. Land subsidence has also impacted regional and local water supply and delivery infrastructure throughout the Subbasin, and flood protection infrastructure in the southern portion of the Subbasin.

**II. PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

The SLDMWA, on behalf of the six Subbasin GSP Groups, GSAs, and member agencies, seeks to contract with interested consultant(s) or firm(s) knowledgeable in technical work efforts related to preparing a *Subsidence Characterization and Project Feasibility Determination*. This work will be funded by a Proposition 68 Sustainable Groundwater Management (SGM) grant from DWR. The available budget is approximately \$90,000. All work must be completed by February 2022.

The following are the anticipated dates in connection with the selection of a consultant or firm for the technical work, but are subject to change:

- December 21, 2020 – RFP released
- January 6, 2021 – Deadline to submit questions via email
- January 11, 2021 – Addendum issued, if necessary, addressing questions
- January 22, 2021 – Proposals due by email
- February 1, 2021 – Anticipated selection of successful proposer

This RFP does not commit SLDMWA to contract for any supply or service. Responders are advised that SLDMWA will not pay any cost incurred in response to this RFP. All costs associated with responding to this RFP will be solely at the interested party's expense.

### III. PROJECT APPROACH AND METHODOLOGY

The purpose of this project is to provide a detailed evaluation of available data regarding land subsidence, together with available data on well construction and groundwater extraction data provided by the Subbasin GSAs or obtained from public sources. The data evaluation will be used to develop a *Master Plan for Subsidence Monitoring and Management* (Master Plan) that will be used to make recommendations regarding: (1) additional monitoring to develop an improved understanding regarding the relationship between groundwater pumping locations and depths, water levels, and inelastic land subsidence affecting critical infrastructure within the Subbasin; and (2) projects and management actions (P/MAs) to address and mitigate subsidence.

The project will involve the completion of the tasks identified below in a cost-effective and timely manner. Additional detail on tasks is included in Attachment 1. The consultant(s) or firm(s) will coordinate and conduct all tasks under the direction of SLDMWA staff and representatives from the Delta-Mendota Subbasin Coordination Committee and the Technical Working Group.

- **Task 1: Obtain and Evaluate Available Data on Subsidence, Groundwater Extraction and Elevations, and Subbasin Projects and Management Actions** from publicly-available sources including, but not limited to:
  - DWR/USGS/USBR/SLDMWA
  - SGMA data portal
  - GSAs and member agencies
  - Six Subbasin GSPs
  - Consolidated WY 2019 and WY 2020 Annual Reports
  - Other Publicly-Available Sources
- **Task 2: Identify Areas of Concern for Inelastic Subsidence in the Subbasin**, particularly in the vicinity of federal, state, and local critical infrastructure. Areas of Concern may include, but are not limited to, those areas identified in the GSPs, the Proposition 68 SGM

grant application, and by DWR (for State Water Project operations) and/or USBR (for Central Valley Project operations).

- **Task 3: Identify Options for Monitoring and/or Managing Identified Areas of Concern** within which data from monitoring wells and/or supply wells or other infrastructure may inform the subsidence causation evaluation and tool development. Using input from GSAs, recommend wells for installation of flow totalizing meters, transducers and/or other instrumentation and/or benchmarks and/or extensometers to establish a correlation between groundwater use, groundwater levels (by location and depth), and subsidence. Identify recommended P/MAs and methods or tools to address and mitigate subsidence.
- **Task 4: Prepare Draft and Final Master Plan** addressing additional data collection needs, tool development, potential P/MAs, and the timing and cost estimates for implementation. Anticipate the Master Plan will be submitted as a work product to DWR, that it will also be used to inform discussions with landowners, and that it will serve as a road map for GSAs during GSP implementation.
- **Task 5: Project Management, Meetings and Communication** including invoicing, monthly progress meetings, and a minimum of three meetings with the Subbasin TWG/GSAs.

#### **IV. PROJECT REVIEW AND PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS**

The following information shall be provided in each proposal and will be utilized in evaluating each proposal submitted. The complete submittal shall not exceed fifteen (15) pages in length, excluding cover letter, schedule, budget, and resumes of key personnel. Please provide the following information (Proposal) in the following order:

1. **Cover letter**
2. **Entity Contact Information:** Name, mailing address, telephone number, facsimile number, and e-mail address of the entity's primary contact
3. **General Information:** Introduce the firm or team and provide information on the location, number of employees, years in business, etc. The team identified in the RFP should be the team dedicated to the contract work.
4. **Experience:** Provide a description of the firm or team's specific experience with evaluating land subsidence data, together with estimates of groundwater extraction, to develop proposed measures to reduce future inelastic land subsidence. Include at least (2) relevant project descriptions and references. The work must have been performed in the last five (5) years and the description of each project should include:
  - When the work was performed, including the duration of the project;
  - The client for whom the work was performed (unless confidential);
  - A general description of the scope of work;
  - Outcome of the project; and,

- A contact person, including contact information for the client project manager and key team members associated with the project.
5. **Project Team Information:** Identify the personnel that will be directly involved in the project (i.e., organizational chart). Provide resumes (via appendix) with relevant experience. The consultant may be a team of different firms; if so, identify the firms in the team and principal point of contact. Consultants may also utilize sub-consultants; if so, identify the sub-consultants. If the proposal involves a team approach and/or includes sub-consultants, provide the estimated percentage of the overall effort in terms of projected costs for each team member or sub-consultant.
  6. **Project Approach and Scope of Work:** Provide a discussion of the firm's plan with respect to implementing the project scope in a cost-effective and timely manner. Present the perspective on key priorities, and potential risk factors and their mitigation.
  7. **Project Budget:** Provide a budget for completion of the tasks listed above and described more fully in Attachment 1. Assumptions employed in developing the budget shall be identified. Please provide estimated level of effort for each task, and the Schedule of Charges applicable to the proposed services. The available budget is approximately \$90,000.
  8. **Project schedule:** Provide a preliminary project schedule that identifies the critical path and milestones for the specified tasks. Please note that the project must be completed no later than 28 February 2022 to comply with Proposition 68 SGM grant requirements.
  9. **Conflicts:** Proposers shall verify that they have no personal or organizational conflicts of interest, as prohibited by law.
  10. **Other Information:** A brief description of any other information that would be useful in evaluating the level of interest including perspectives not covered in this RFP.

Please limit the size of the proposal to 15 pages, excluding cover letter, schedule, budget, and resumes. Proposals shall be prepared with 8.5" x 11" paper format, Times New Roman, 12 pt. font, single or 1.15-spaced, justified with 1" margins. Pages should be numbered in the page footer including the first page. Tables and figures must be included in the text. Responses should be emailed in PDF document format.

#### V. GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

**Proposal Evaluation:** Proposals will be evaluated relative to criteria provided in Attachment 2.

**Questions:** Potential proposers may submit questions on this RFP by the deadline specified above. SLDMWA shall not be obligated to respond to any question unless it is submitted in writing to Scott Petersen at [scott.petersen@sldmwa.org](mailto:scott.petersen@sldmwa.org). SLDMWA will reply regarding substantive issues by addenda posted to the Delta-Mendota Subbasin SGMA website at [deltamendota.org](http://deltamendota.org). Proposers are responsible to check the website for any addenda. Questions received after the deadline may not be answered. Only questions answered by formal written addenda will be binding. Oral responses, or email responses, shall not be binding on SLDMWA.

**Timing:** The deadline for receiving proposals is Friday, January 22, 2021 at 5:00 p.m., Pacific Standard Time. Proposals not received by that time will not be considered. Please submit your proposal via email to Scott Petersen at [scott.petersen@sldmwa.org](mailto:scott.petersen@sldmwa.org). Hardcopies will not be accepted. Applicants should feel free to send questions prior to the submittal deadline.

**Insurance:** In a table, confirm the consultant's and sub-consultant's (if applicable) ability to secure insurance coverage (including comprehensive general liability, automotive liability, workers' compensation, and errors and omissions).

**Agreement for Professional Services:** The proposal must also provide Consultant's response to the Agreement for Professional Services (Attachment 3), noting exceptions and/or requested revisions to the terms and conditions.

All proposals, whether selected or rejected, shall become the property of SLDMWA.

## **VI. EVALUATION AND SELECTION PROCESS**

All packages will be reviewed for completeness and will then be forwarded to the Delta-Mendota Subbasin Coordination Committee and Technical Working Group representatives for review (Review Subgroup) based on the required information contained in this notice and as outlined in the criteria provided in Attachment 2.

Prior to award of a contract, SLDMWA may schedule a meeting with selected consultants to provide the consultant(s) an opportunity to present their submittal and answer questions in person to the Review Subgroup.

Upon completion of the evaluation process, additional discussions may be conducted between SLDMWA, the Review Subgroup, and consultants to clarify the scope of services, staffing schedules, level of effort, and contract costs. SLDMWA will then enter final negotiations with the selected consultant(s) with the intent of agreeing on a mutually acceptable contract.

The submitter understands and agrees to the following:

- A. SLDMWA reserves the right to reject any and all submittals;
- B. SLDMWA reserves the right to issue a new RFP;
- C. SLDMWA reserves the right to amend this RFP;
- D. SLDMWA reserves the right to cancel or withdraw the entire RFP, or any part hereof;
- E. SLDMWA reserves the right to seek or obtain data from any source that has the potential to improve the understanding and evaluation of the responses to this RFP to assure a successful project.
- F. That a submittal constitutes acknowledgement and acceptance of, and a willingness to comply with, all the terms, conditions, and criteria contained in this RFP.
- G. All submittals in response to this RFP will become the exclusive property of the GSAs.

The RFP does not commit SLDMWA to enter into a contract. SLDMWA assumes no obligations, responsibilities, and/or liabilities, financial or otherwise, to reimburse all or part of the costs

incurred or alleged to have been incurred by parties considering a response to and/or responding to the RFP.

**VII. ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE**

<b>Task</b>	<b>Date Expected</b>
Issue Request for Proposals	December 21, 2020
Deadline to submit questions via email	January 6, 2021
Addendum issued, if necessary, addressing questions	January 11, 2021
Proposal Package Due	January 22, 2021
Begin Final Ranking of Consultants	January 29, 2021
Notify Consultants of Ranking Results	February 1, 2021
Negotiate Contract with Consultant	February 2021
Consultant Agreement Signed (following SLDMWA Board approval)	March 2021
Attend Subbasin Technical Working Group Meeting	July 2021
Conclude Project	February 28, 2022

Consultants are encouraged to notify SLDMWA of their interest to respond to this request.

Sincerely,

J. Scott Petersen, P.E.  
Water Policy Director  
San Luis & Delta-Mendota Water Authority

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