



**Stanislaus County  
Water Advisory Committee**

**Agenda**

**May 25, 2016**

**9:00 a.m.**

Kirk Lindsey Alliance Center  
1020 Tenth Street, Modesto, California

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- I. Call to Order
- II. Pledge of Allegiance

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD:** Matters under the jurisdiction of the Committee, and not on the posted agenda, may be addressed by the general public at the beginning of the regular agenda and any off-agenda matter before the Committee for consideration. However, California law prohibits the Committee from taking action on any matter, which is not on the posted agenda unless it is determined to be an emergency by the Committee Directors. Any member of the public wishing to address the Committee during the Public Comment period will be limited to a maximum of 5 minutes. Please complete a Public Comment Form and give it to the Administrative Secretary.

- III. Public Comment/Announcements
  - a. Request for future presentation re: StanCOG Transportation Expenditure Plan
  - b. Joint Letter with Merced County re: Response to State Water Board's revised Substitute Environmental Document concerning instream flow proposal (**Attachment 1**)

IV. Roll Call

**Action Items (subject to formal vote):**

- V. Approval of March 30, 2016 Meeting Minutes - **Attachment 2**
- VI. Modesto Bee Op-Ed Piece (Chairman Mortenson)

**Informational Items (not subject to a formal vote):**

- VII. Well Construction Activity Update (Walt Ward) – **Attachment 3**
- VIII. Proposition 1 Grant Update (Ward)
- IX. Groundwater Sustainability Agency Formation Status (Ward)
- X. Groundwater Sustainability Plan Regulations (Department of Water Resources Staff)
- XI. Scheduling of Next Meeting and Adjournment