

Stanislaus County
Water Advisory Committee
Agenda

September 30, 2026
9:00 a.m.

Stanislaus County Farm Bureau
1201 L Street,
Modesto, CA
Hybrid Meeting information for participants
https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82311716533?pwd=MOKaLCDI5bdtr9PuLeSsrAXqkh7sai.1
Zoom Meeting ID: 823 1171 6533
Passcode: 264108
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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.

III. Public Comment

IV. Roll call

V. Guest Introductions

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

I. Approval of May 27, 2026, Meeting Minutes - **Attachment 1**

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

I. Len Mason and Mike Tietze - Modesto Subbasin Non-District East Action Plan Update

II. Chris Heppner –Strategic Funding for Groundwater Management Actions: Upcoming Grants and Pathways to Success – **Attachment 2**

III. Mike Tietze and Len Mason – East Turlock Subbasin GSA Multi-Benefit Land Repurposing Program Overview and Updates

IV. Christy McKinnon – Other SGMA Updates

1) Out of District Landowner Project Submittals
    a. Threfall Ranch Reservoir – In-lieu and Direct Recharge Project - Eastern San Joaquin Subbasin – **Attachment 3**
    b. Triple A Ranch In-lieu and Direct Recharge Project – Modesto Subbasin – **Attachment 4**
2) Eastern San Joaquin Subbasin – *Development and Implementation of an Annual Groundwater Impact Accounting Framework* – July 8, 2026, Board Meeting – *Effective Precipitation Methodology for Annual Net Groundwater Impact Accounting Framework* – September 9, 2029, Board Meeting by Greg Young, Zanjero:

https://www.esjgroundwater.org/Agendas/Archived-Agendas-Minutes

3) Northern Delta-Mendota Subbasin Out of District Landowner Workshop – November 2, 2026 – **Attachment 5**
4) Approval of Stanislaus County Drought Resiliency Plan

V. Roundtable Discussion

VI. Scheduling of Next Regular Meeting - Wednesday, January 27, 2027, at 9:00 a.m.
Meeting location: Stanislaus Farm Bureau, 1201 L St. Modesto, CA.

*Underlined items are Action Items subject to vote as described in the committee by-laws