

September 16, 2019 Solano Subbasin GSA Collaborative

1 - 3pm | SCWA Office | Monticello Conference Room | 810 Vaca Valley Parkway, Suite 203, Vacaville 95688

Attendance

x	Luhdorff & Scalmanini Engineering Vicki Kretsinger Grabert Nick Watterson	x	Solano Irrigation District Cary Keaten Paul Fuchslin	x	Sacramento County Linda Dorn Rodney Fricke, GEI Consultants Kerry Schmitz
x	Solano GSA Chris Lee	x	The Freshwater Trust Becky Rittenberg Nick Osman		Solano County Water Agency Roland Sanford
x	City of Vacaville Justen Cole Curtis Paxten Bonnie Robison	x	ND GSA Erik Ringelberg		
Guests:					

Ag Innovations: Genevieve Taylor, Joseph McIntyre, Shelly Smith

Agenda

1. Introductions
2. GSA Updates
3. GSP Updates
4. Review Stakeholder Engagement Plan
 - a. Feedback
 - b. Newsletter production
 - c. Citizen Advisory Committee
5. Outreach to Well Owners
6. Next Meeting- Oct. 17, 1:00-3:00pm

Meeting Highlights

- **MOU:** Members were requested to give Chris Lee a timeline of expected MOU comments from counsel. Goal is to submit MOU to BODs by November/December.
- **GSA Updates:**
 - Some collaborative members attended a recent Eastern San Joaquin Groundwater Authority coordination meeting. It's clear that the Eastern San Joaquin GSA is intending to balance some portion of their overdraft with water from other subbasins, including the Solano subbasin. The Solano GSA collective is considering drafting a peer-to-peer comment letter to their GSP authority

interbasin coordination committee speaking to the 11,000 acre feet cited. Chris Lee will put out an invitation to those who want to help with it.

- **Interbasin coordination update:** Chris met with Yolo GSA for the first time and discussed potential factors causing wells there to dry up. They are open to further discussions with Solano GSA collaborative. Luhdorff and Scalamanini Engineering (LSCE) has a draft support letter available to provide to Yolo and others.
- **GSP Update:**
 - Luhdorff and Scalamanini Engineering (LSCE) is finalizing the geologic cross-section maps for Putah Creek, ten in total.
 - LSCE is planning to have David’s Engineering come to the October collaborative meeting for a GSA water budget discussion and an additional elaboration of the geologic data with completed cross-sections.
 - Collaborative members reviewed and commented on drafts of six of the [Geologic Cross-section maps](#).
- **Stakeholder Engagement:**
 - **Community Engagement Plan:**
 - Collaborative members reviewed and offered comments on the Community Engagement Plan, which Ag Innovations will incorporate. .
 - Newsletter:
 - Members reviewed a proposal for the GSA collaborative newsletter. Members decided that it would be best to have a newsletter on an as-needed basis for now, rather than a consistent timeline, and decided that they would be useful to put out to announcing board meetings.
 - Citizen Advisory Committee:
 - Members considered the idea of adding a Citizen Advisory Committee to the GSA Collective Stakeholder Engagement strategy. The idea is to have a member-nominated committee of 10-20 community leaders who have a demonstrated record of working for the common good- not people working in water. **Next Steps:** Ag Innovations will take member feedback on the idea and create a writeup to be used as part of the Prop 68 grant proposal due on Nov. 1.

#	Activity	Who	When
1	Invite collaborative members to help draft comment letter to Eastern San Joaquin	Chris	
2	Share shapefiles with TFT	LSCE	
3	Restructure Community Engagement Plan	Ag Innovations	
4	Send Community Engagement Plan to Stakeholders		
5	Send out scheduler for October meeting	Shelly	
6	Create outline document for Citizens’ Advisory Council and send to GSA collaborative.	Ag Innovations	

