

MEMO: SVGSP Planning Committee Update, TAC Update

To: SVGMD, Plumas County

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Re: Sierra Valley GSP – Planning Committee and Technical Advisory Committee updates

The Planning Committee is submitting the following informational items as a monthly update for June 2021.

PLANNING COMMITTEE CALL

The SVGSP Planning Committee met on June 3, 2021 to discuss the following items

- Maximizing coordination between the LWA and McGinley agreements and scopes of work, including: opportunities to leverage and partner on site visits; and two-way exchange to share data requests between Planning Committee and technical consultants.
- Debrief of the May workshops. Reformatting workshop surveys for online and hard copy options. The link to the online version is <https://survey.sogosurvey.com/r/VeiTrw>.
- Possible approaches for greater involvement with producers to discuss their experiences and insights on different strategies for implementation projects and management actions.

SUMMARY SHEETS for Sustainability Indicators

In preparing for the public workshops, draft summary sheets have been prepared for the major sustainability indicators. There are new summary sheets for groundwater levels and ISW/GDEs; the subsidence summary sheet was updated; the water quality summary sheet is unchanged.

TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE (TAC) UPDATE

June 21 TAC Meeting

The eighth meeting of the TAC was rescheduled to align with the Board meeting, occurring on June 21, 2021 from 2:00 – 5:00 p.m. A zoom meeting option was provided for remote participation. The meeting agenda items consisted of:

- Aquifer Conditions based on 3D geologic model
- Assumptions and inputs of geologic model
- Interconnected Surface Water: groundwater gradients, likely interconnected streams

- Interconnected Surface Water: possible monitoring approaches, modeling considerations, and data gaps
- GDEs: Next iteration of mapping

Next TAC Meetings

The next TAC meeting occurs on in July at the Sierra Christian Church. A revised “Look Ahead Schedule” outlines the proposed content for upcoming meetings.

July TAC Agenda Concepts

- Present the Sierra Valley Water Budget
- Groundwater Level SMC
- Introduce the topic of Projects and Management Actions