

Subbasin Announcements

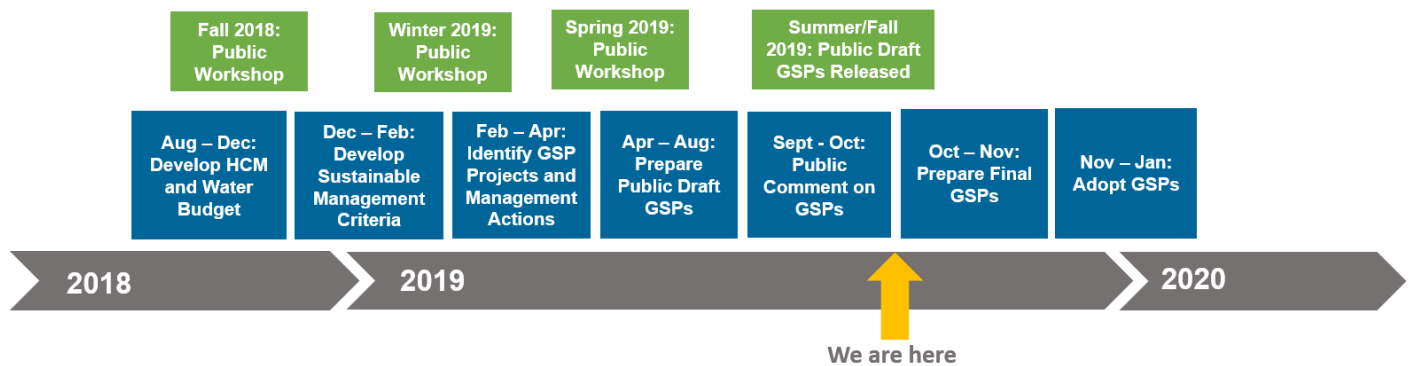
Representatives from the groundwater sustainability agencies (GSAs) in the Delta-Mendota Subbasin have continued to progress toward finalizing the six groundwater sustainability plans (GSPs) in the Subbasin. These efforts have included public notices for future GSP adoption, and coordinating with GSAs, cities, and counties, where applicable. All GSPs are on track for submission by the January 31, 2020 deadline.

The Delta-Mendota Subbasin continues to pursue opportunities for ongoing coordination regionally by meeting with representatives from neighboring subbasins to review approaches and content in draft GSPs. These meetings have also provided a platform for the representatives to discuss future opportunities for interbasin coordination through GSP implementation.

The Delta-Mendota Subbasin’s data management system has been further refined by members of the Subbasin’s Technical Working Group. The data management system will provide the basis for preparing components of the Subbasin’s Annual Reports. GSAs are currently collecting monitoring data from their respective agencies for inclusion in the first Annual Reports. This information will provide context for each GSP group’s progress toward the groundwater sustainability objectives set forth in each GSP.

Additionally, a coordinated application for the Round 3 Sustainable Groundwater Planning Grant is being developed. GSAs have verbally agreed to share costs for the preparation of the grant application. This application seeks to support a Subbasin-wide well census and inventory, development of a subsidence study at two identified locations along the Delta-Mendota Canal, and reimbursement for the six GSP Groups’ individual GSP development costs.

Our Timeline



Upcoming Meetings

Coordination Committee
Monday, October 14
9:30 AM– 12:00 PM
842 6th St, Los Banos, CA

Coordination Committee
Monday, November 11
9:30 AM– 12:00 PM
842 6th St, Los Banos, CA

Technical Working Group
Tuesday, November 19
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
842 6th Street, Los Banos, CA

Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP) Group Updates



NORTHERN &
CENTRAL
DELTA-
MENDOTA

In September, the Northern & Central GSP Group:

- Posted the Public Draft GSP for public review

In October, the Northern & Central Region GSP Group will:

- Review and address comments on Public Draft GSP

FARMERS
WATER DISTRICT

In September, the Farmers Water District GSP Group:

• Completed draft GSP
Farmers Water District GSP Group's current and upcoming activities include:

- Review adjacent GSA and subbasin GSPs



In September, the SJREC GSP Group:

- Developed annual report format
- Coordinated regional sustainability with neighboring subbasins

In October, the SJREC GSP Group plans to:

- Request data for first annual report
- Participate in workshops with neighboring subbasins



In September, the Grassland GSP Group completed the following activities:

- GGSA and/or County completed reviews for preliminary drafts of Chapters 1, 4, 5, and 3
- Chapters 2, 6, and 7 completed final formatting
- Continued Coordination with Merced County regarding GSP development
- Prepared SGMA & GSP development presentation for GGSA Board Meeting held on Oct. 1, 2019



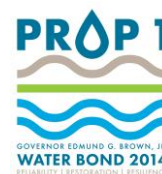
In September, the Aliso GSP Group's completed the following activities:

- Notice of Public Hearing & Adoption posted to Madera County on September 20, 2019
- Public Comment Period began September 20, 2019 and scheduled to close December 19, 2019
- Continued considerations for implementation funding



In September, the Fresno GSP Group:

- Completed draft GSP
The Fresno GSP Group's current and upcoming activities include:
- Review adjacent GSA and Subbasin GSPs



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