

## Corning Subbasin Advisory Board (CSAB) Meeting

**Wednesday, April 7, 2021, 1:30 pm – 4:30 pm**

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will be conducted by teleconference / webinar

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### MEETING #12 AGENDA

Time	Item	Associated Materials	Lead
1:30	<b>Roll Call, Introductions Agenda Review Review Meeting Groundrules</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Agenda</li> <li>• Meeting Groundrules</li> </ul>	Julie Leimbach, Facilitator, KW; Lisa Hunter, Glenn County; Ryan Teubert, Tehama County
1:35	<b>Public Comment for Items Not on the Agenda</b>		Julie Leimbach, Facilitator, KW
1:40	<b>Action Item: Approval of Meeting Summary</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Make any necessary revisions and approve the meeting summary for Meeting #11.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Draft Meeting #11 Summary</li> </ul>	Julie Leimbach, Facilitator, KW
1:45	<b>GSA Updates</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Receive updates from Corning Sub-basin GSA and Tehama County GSA</li> <li>• Interbasin coordination updates</li> <li>• <i>CSAB and Public Comment</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Verbal Updates</li> </ul>	Lisa Hunter, Glenn County; Ryan Teubert, Tehama County; and Lisa Porta, M&A
2:00	<b>Groundwater Level SMC</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review feedback and options for path forward on groundwater level SMC</li> <li>• <i>Asking for direction from CSAB</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Updates</li> </ul>	Julie Leimbach, KW & Lisa Porta, M&A
2:10	<b>Review Subsidence SMC</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review draft Significant and Unreasonable Conditions statement, Minimum Thresholds and Measurable Objectives, and options for Undesirable Results</li> <li>• <i>Discussion and feedback from CSAB</i></li> <li>• <i>Public comment</i></li> </ul> <b>Possible Action Item:</b> Make recommendation to GSAs on Land Subsidence SMC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presentation slides</li> </ul>	Julie Leimbach, KW & Lisa Porta, M&A

Time	Item	Associated Materials	Lead
2:45	<b>Review Projected Water Budgets and Introduction to Storage Decline SMC</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review key takeaways from water budgets and how they are used in GSPs</li> <li>Provide introduction to storage SMC</li> <li><i>Discussion and feedback from CSAB</i></li> <li><i>Public comment</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Presentation slides</li> </ul>	Julie Leimbach, KW & Lisa Porta, M&A
3:30	<b>Initial Review of Projects and Management Actions</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review initial options on potential projects and management actions to maintain groundwater sustainability</li> <li><i>CSAB discussion and Public comment</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Presentation slides</li> <li>Handout</li> </ul>	Julie Leimbach, KW & Lisa Porta, M&A
4:00	<b>Next Steps (Reminders)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2021 CSAB meeting schedule, topics, and recommendations to be made</li> <li>GSP Completion Process and Adoption Timeline</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CSAB Schedule and Objectives</li> <li>GSP Completion Process</li> </ul>	Julie Leimbach, KW & Lisa Porta, M&A
4:15	<b>Adjourn</b>		

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1. Observe Brown Act requirements.
2. Seek to understand and respect opposing views.
3. Keep comments and discussion succinct and focused on meeting objectives.
4. Observe the following public comment groundrules:
  - a. The public will have an opportunity to comment on items that are not on the agenda.
  - b. Each public comment will be limited to three minutes.
  - c. CSAB members are not required to respond to any issues raised during the public comment period and may not take any action on such issues other than to refer the item or schedule the issue(s) for a future agenda.
  - d. For virtual meetings, when a member of the public wants to join the comment queue, they can either indicate in the Chatbox of the webinar or let the facilitator know verbally if they are only on the audio portion of the teleconference.
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### CSAB Schedule & Objectives

The Corning Sub-Basin Advisory Board (CSAB) will meet monthly on the first Wednesday of the month from 1:30 to 3:30 pm (4:00 pm starting March 2021). Meetings are planned from April 2020 through approximately December 2021. This meeting schedule outlines the anticipated schedule and the key discussion topics for each meeting. It will be updated to reflect the most current information, as warranted.

Date	Key Meeting Topics	CSAB Meeting Objectives
<b>2020</b>		
Apr	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CSAB Overview</li> <li>• GSP Development</li> <li>• Groundwater Data</li> <li>• Overview of Data Management System and Model</li> <li>• Sustainable Management Goal Example</li> <li>• Interests &amp; Concerns</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide background on Corning GSP framework</li> <li>• Collection of groundwater data</li> <li>• Collection of interests</li> <li>• Introduce potential Sustainability Goal for Subbasin</li> <li>• Public Comment</li> </ul>
June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Draft Hydrogeologic Conceptual Model and groundwater conditions</li> <li>• Modeling platform selection</li> <li>• GSP review process</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CSAB Recommendations and questions for Hydrogeologic Conceptual Model and Groundwater Conditions</li> <li>• Make a recommendation on model platform to use for GSP work</li> <li>• Public Comment</li> </ul>
July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current and Historical draft Water Budgets</li> <li>• Model overview</li> <li>• Potential management areas</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review of what is perceived as historic and current unsustainable groundwater use based on water budget</li> <li>• Public Comment</li> </ul>
Aug	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Monitoring Networks</li> <li>• Overview of Sustainable Management Criteria and approach to development</li> <li>• Draft Sustainability Goal</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Answer questions on monitoring networks</li> <li>• Gather initial feedback on process for developing SMCs</li> <li>• Discuss Sustainability Goal</li> <li>• Public Comment</li> </ul>
Sept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Groundwater Level SMC discussion #1 - background on Groundwater Levels SMC</li> <li>• Proposed approaches for MT and MO</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Input on proposed approaches for MT and MO development</li> <li>• Public Comment</li> </ul>
Oct 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Groundwater Level SMC discussion #2 - proposed groundwater level MT and MO</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recommendations on proposed groundwater level MT and MO</li> <li>• Input on Projects and Actions</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Initial Discussion on Potential Projects and Management Actions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Public Comment</li> </ul>
Nov 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Integrated Model Updates</li> <li>Overview of current, historical and projected water budgets</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Answer questions on modeling and water budgets</li> <li>Public Comment</li> </ul>
Dec 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Open Discussion on GSP Sections 1 and 2</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Receive feedback on Draft GSP Sections 1 and 2 provided and available on Corning GSP website</li> <li>Answer any additional GSP questions</li> </ul>
<b>2021 - Proposed</b>		
Jan 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Open Discussion on GSP Section 3</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Receive feedback on Draft GSP Section 3 provided and available on Corning GSP website</li> <li>Answer any additional GSP questions</li> </ul>
Feb 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Depletion of interconnected surface water SMC discussion #1 - background on Subbasin streams and introduction to SMC</li> <li>Overview of Groundwater Dependent Ecosystems (GDEs) approach</li> <li><del>Land subsidence SMC discussion #1 – background on Subbasin conditions and introduction to SMC</del></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Input on significant and unreasonable conditions and initial discussion on MT development</li> <li>Public Comment</li> </ul>
Mar 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><del>Depletion of interconnected surface water SMC discussion #2 – review SMC approaches</del></li> <li>Land subsidence SMC discussion #1 – review SMC approaches</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Input on proposed approaches for MT and MO development</li> <li>Discussion of undesirable results</li> <li><b>Potential recommendations to GSA Boards for Lowering of GWLs SMC</b></li> <li><i>Public Comment</i></li> </ul>
Apr 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Land subsidence SMC discussion #2 – review SMC approaches</li> <li>Review projected water budgets and GSP requirements; introduction to storage SMC</li> <li>Initial discussion on potential projects and management actions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Input on significant and unreasonable conditions and initial discussion on MT development</li> <li><b>Potential recommendations to GSA Boards for subsidence SMC</b></li> <li>Input on potential projects and management actions</li> <li><i>Public Comment</i></li> </ul>
May 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discussions and development of SMCs for Groundwater Quality <i>[with handout]</i></li> <li>Review SMC approaches for Interconnected SW depletion SMC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Input on proposed approaches for MT and MO development</li> <li><b>Potential recommendations to GSA Boards on water quality SMC</b></li> <li><i>Public Comment</i></li> </ul>
June 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Present initial predicted impacts to groundwater conditions based on projects and management actions.</li> <li>Revised List of Projects &amp; Management Actions</li> <li>Introduction to funding mechanisms</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Potential recommendations to GSA Boards on groundwater levels, storage, and depletion of interconnected surface water SMC</b></li> <li>Input on final list of Projects &amp; Management Actions</li> <li>Input on funding mechanisms</li> <li><i>Public Comment</i></li> </ul>
July 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Present predicted impacts to groundwater conditions based on projects and management actions.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Input on revisions of draft projects and management actions based on predicted impacts and comparison for sustainability indicators</li> <li><i>Public Comment</i></li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Compare against draft MT and MO for applicable Sustainability Indicators</li> </ul>	
Aug 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review Projects &amp; Management Actions and effects on Sustainable Management Criteria</li> <li>• Re-evaluate funding mechanisms</li> <li>• Discuss priority actions for plan implementation</li> <li>• Review data gaps</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Potential recommendations to GSA Boards on Projects and Management Actions to reach and maintain sustainability</b></li> <li>• Recommendations on funding mechanisms</li> <li>• Input on Plan Implementation and addressing data gaps</li> <li>• <i>Public Comment</i></li> </ul>
Sept 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review final draft GSP</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Approve release of Draft GSP for public review</b></li> </ul>
<b>Oct</b>	<b><i>Draft Final GSP posted on website for public review – no meeting</i></b>	
Nov 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review public comments on GSP</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recommendations on incorporation of policy-based comments</li> <li>• <b>Potential recommendations to GSA Boards</b></li> </ul>
Dec	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recommendation for Adoption of Groundwater Sustainability Plan to Groundwater Sustainability Agencies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recommendations for Adoption of Groundwater Sustainability Plan to Groundwater Sustainability Agencies</li> <li>• <i>Public Comment</i></li> </ul>

**Acronyms:**

- CSAB: Corning Subbasin Advisory Board
- GSA: Groundwater Sustainability Agency
- GSP: Groundwater Sustainability Plan
- MT: Minimum Threshold
- MO: Measurable Objective
- SGMA: Sustainable Groundwater Management Act
- SMC: Sustainable Management Criteria