Implementing the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act:  
*Local Governance Approaches and Considerations*  

HOSTED BY GLENN COUNTY & GLENN-COLUSA IRRIGATION DISTRICT  

January 26, 2015 | 9:30 am – 3:00 pm | Willows, CA  
Willows Memorial Hall | 525 West Sycamore Street | Willows, CA 95988

**Workshop Objectives**

- Learn about the governance requirements enacted through the *Sustainable Groundwater Management Act*.
- Explore common considerations and approaches to shaping a *Groundwater Sustainability Agency (GSA)*.
- Through discussion of local case studies, learn how governance considerations are being applied to local groundwater basins.
- Identify common themes and takeaways from local case studies.

**Agenda**

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<td>Welcome &amp; Introductions</td>
<td>• Supervisor John Viegas, Glenn County</td>
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<td>10:15 – 11:00</td>
<td>Overview of SGMA and Local Governance Considerations</td>
<td>• Kate Williams, California Water Foundation</td>
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| 11:45 – 12:30 p.m. | Case Study: *Colusa Basin*                     | • Supervisor Leigh McDaniel, Glenn County  
• Thad Bettner, Glenn-Colusa Irrigation District |
| 12:30 – 1:15    | Lunch                                           |                                                                            |
| 1:15 – 2:00     | Case Study: *Yolo Basin*                       | • Tim O’Halloran, Yolo County Flood Control & Water Conservation District  
• Cindy Tuttle, Yolo County                      |
| 2:00 – 2:50     | Practical Applications of Workshop Perspectives and Insights | • Mike Harty, Kearns & West  
• Workshop Participants                          |
| 2:50 – 3:00     | Wrap-up and Evaluation                          | • Mike Harty, Kearns & West                                               |

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