The first Tribal Advisory Committee meeting for California Water Plan Update 2013 is set for Friday, Feb. 25, in Sacramento. Links to a map, contact information and other details can be found on this DWR flyer. The agenda will be available here when it’s posted this week.

The first draft of the Delta Plan, and a cover memo, have been released by the Delta Stewardship Council (DSC). It is the first of four drafts to be released over the next three months before the plan goes under environmental review in June. The process is designed to identify key issues for discussion and comment at DSC meetings and workshops. The schedule of other releases and meetings is available on the DSC website.

DWR has partnered with the University of California to explore the feasibility of putting solar power projects along or over the California Aqueduct. Work is under way to identify a section of the aqueduct that would be most suitable for a demonstration project. If the demonstration project is successful, it could be applied to other sites along the State Water Project. More details are available on the DWR website.

Environmental and water management experts will meet in Fresno County next month for the Intelligent Use of Water Summit. The public is invited to attend the summit, which will examine water issues affecting California agriculture. The summit is hosted by the Center for Irrigation Technology at California State University, Fresno and Rain Bird. It will be held Tuesday, March 15.

DWR invites urban water suppliers to attend one of the upcoming workshops on 2010 Urban Water Management Plans. Ten workshops will be held throughout the state beginning Tuesday, Feb. 22, in Santa Rosa. The list of meetings and times is available on the DWR website.