Topic-Based Caucuses and Regional Forums

February 25, 2011

Tribal Advisory Committee Meeting
Target Audiences

Broader Public

SA STEERING COMMITTEE

Caucus Regions

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Regional Forums and Topic-Based Caucuses

- Venues for dialog on policy proposals and water-related programs
- Regular meetings
- Conference call/webinar format for remote participation
- Work groups for specific assignments including CWP Regional Reports and Resource Management Strategies
Regional Forums

Regional Kick-Off Just Began
Meetings to start soon!!

Check out Regional Outreach website for further details!!!
## Water Plan Update 2013

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<th>Key Component</th>
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<td><strong>Flood Integration</strong></td>
<td>Update integrated flood management throughout regional reports and resource management strategies; Incorporate statewide integrated flood management recommendations into Update 2013 Strategic Plan, Regional Reports, Finance Plan and Progress Report as appropriate</td>
<td>Flood Caucus</td>
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<td><strong>Groundwater</strong></td>
<td>Identify data gaps, estimate 2006 - 2010 change in groundwater storage, identify flood management, conjunctive use and water quality issues; develop sustainability indicators</td>
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<td><strong>Progress Report</strong></td>
<td>Create monitoring process and documentation (e.g. “Report Card”); Compile an inventory of performance measurement activities and results (including sustainability indicators); Publish recommendations to help address identify deficiencies in implementation and performance</td>
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<td><strong>Land Use Planning</strong></td>
<td>Expand emphasis on land and water use nexus; work with academic institutions to conduct land use decision tree case study; incorporate land use throughout resource management strategies</td>
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<td><strong>Environmental Water and Ecosystem Restoration</strong></td>
<td>Reexamine the characterization of regulated and non-regulated water that is not accounted for as agricultural, urban or other use sectors; incorporate a pilot application using the “Environmental Services” concept into the Finance Plan, Ecosystem Restoration RMS, and/or Strategic Plan.</td>
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<td><strong>Finance Plan</strong></td>
<td>Estimate statewide and regional investment requirements through the year 2050; Create multi-objective financial strategy which expands both natural resource management and water infrastructure; Offer strategies to improve governance and accountability of investments; recommend alternative revenue sources</td>
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Water Quality and Climate Change will be integrated throughout these components and enhancements. Water quality will be coordinated through a Water Plan Caucus and Climate Change will be coordinated through other existing and emerging venues.
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**Topic Caucus Roll Out**

**First Round Caucus Sessions:**
- Progress Reports
  - Finance
    - Groundwater
    - Water Quality

**Additional Caucus Sessions:**
- Land Use
  - Flood
    - Environmental Water
    - Near Coastal

Check Calendar and Materials page for Upcoming meetings!