



Corning Sub-basin GSA Committee Special Meeting Materials June 6, 2023 | 11:00 a.m.

Glenn-Colusa Irrigation District Main Pump Station
7854 County Road 203, Orland, CA 95963

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1177 Magnolia Ave., Larkspur, CA 93939

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1. Call to Order

The Chair will call the meeting to order.

2. Roll Call

Staff will conduct roll call.

3. Period of Public Comment

Members of the public are encouraged to address the Corning Sub-basin GSA Committee. Public comment will be limited to three minutes. No action will be taken on items under public comment.

4. Staff Reports

Staff from members of the Corning Sub-basin GSA will provide relevant updates, such as a brief status update of GSP implementation, grant agreements, and project agreements. Reminders and clarifications may be made, and direction may be provided to staff.

5. *Approval of Claims

The claims summary is attached.

Attachments:

- Claims Summary

Claims Summary

Corning Sub-basin GSA

Invoices to be paid

Meeting Date: June 6, 2023

Invoice Date	Invoice Number	Description	Amount
5/1/2023	2174	Paris Kincaid Wasiewski LLP	\$ 3,600.00
5/17/2023	39794	Luhdorff & Scalmanini Consulting Engineers (Fee Project)	\$ 10,200.00
Total			\$ 13,800.00

6. Corning Sub-basin Groundwater Sustainability Agency (CSGSA) Operations and GSP Implementation Fee Project

- a. Receive an update on the CSGSA Fee Project and timeline.
- b. Review draft Corning Sub-basin GSA Groundwater Sustainability Plan Implementation Fee Report.
- c. *Consider approval of Corning Sub-basin GSA Groundwater Sustainability Plan Implementation Fee Report or set special meeting date to consider approval.
- d. Discuss Irrigated/Non-Irrigated Long-Term Fee Policy.
- e. *Set public hearing date and time to consider the proposed fees.
- f. *Authorize LSCE to mail notices to landowners informing them of the proposed fees and instructions for protest.
- g. Discuss public outreach efforts.

Luhdorff & Scalmanini Consulting Engineers (LSCE) is working with the CSGSA to develop a long-term funding strategy to achieve GSP implementation and SGMA compliance over the next five-year period.

LSCE will share an update on the Fee Project, review the draft Fee Report, review the draft irrigated/non-irrigated long-term fee policy, and discuss next steps. The Draft Fee Report will be posted to the CSGSA long-term funding webpage once available at the following link:

<https://www.countyofglenn.net/dept/planning-community-development-services/water-resources/sustainable-groundwater-management-9>

A copy of the Draft Fee Report will also be available for review at 225 N. Tehama St., Willows, CA 95988.

If the CSGSA is comfortable, they may consider approving the Fee Report. An alternate path would be to provide a short review period for the CSGSA and set a special meeting date for June 14 or June 15 to consider approval of the Fee Report.

Another important consideration is the Irrigated/Non-Irrigated Long-Term Fee Policy. This policy will define the terms, classifications, and process to request an appeal for review. The CSGSA will discuss the definitions to be included in the draft policy and provide direction on any desired revisions to the definitions. The policy is expected to be approved during the same meeting the Fee Report is approved.

Following approval of the Fee Report, the CSGSA will need to set a date and time to hold the public hearing that will consider the new proposed fee. Additionally, notices will be sent to each landowner that would be affected by the fee at least 45-days before the public hearing. The notices will include information about the new proposed fee and instructions to protest the fee if the landowner desires. LSCE is preparing the mailing list based on

best available information. It is expected to set the date and time of the public hearing and the authorize mailing of the notices during the same meeting the Fee Report is approved. In addition to the notices sent to each landowner, a notice will be published in the local newspaper.

The CSGSA expressed interest in holding a public meeting following approval of the Fee Report in order to engage with the public about the new proposed fee. Staff suggests targeting the week of July 10 for this public meeting. A flyer is being prepared and could be included in the mailing with the required notice.

In addition to the public meeting, the website will be updated with a Fact Sheet and a Frequently Asked Questions document.

7. Corning Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Plan Implementation

Updates may be provided on activities relating to the Corning Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Plan Implementation.

8. Corning Subbasin Advisory Board Report

The Corning Subbasin Advisory Board (CSAB) met on April 5, 2023. The CSAB received a presentation on the Water Year 2022 Annual Report and an overview of the Corning Subbasin Facilitation Support Services tasks.

The May and June CSAB meetings were cancelled, with the next scheduled meeting to take place July 5, 2023 at 1:30 p.m.

CSAB meeting materials, including presentations, agendas, and meeting summaries are available on the website at: www.corningsubbasingsp.org.

Advisory Board members may provide additional updates.

9. Corning Sub-basin GSA Committee Member Reports and Comments

Members of the CSGSA Committee are encouraged to share information, reports, comments, and suggest future agenda items. Action cannot be taken on matters brought up under this item.

10. Next Meeting

The next regular meeting is scheduled for June 22, 2023 at 2:00 p.m.

11. Adjourn

The meeting will be adjourned.
