

**AGENDA**  
**Tuesday, June 30, 2015, 7:00 – 9:00 pm**  
**Meeting of the Mid-County Groundwater Stakeholder Group**

**Location**

Soquel Congregational Church, 4951 Soquel Drive, Soquel

**Meeting Purpose**

- Update attendees and answer questions on:
  - Drought response, State-mandated water restrictions and what these mean locally to private well pumpers and small water systems
  - The Groundwater Sustainability Act of 2014 and progress in forming a Groundwater Sustainability Agency for the Mid-County area
  - Progress in developing a hydrologic model for the Soquel-Aptos Groundwater Management Area
- Invite feedback on how to involve stakeholders in development of Groundwater Sustainability Plan
- Learn about participant values that will inform Groundwater Sustainability Plan

**Schedule**

Time	Topic	Speaker
<b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>Welcoming Remarks</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meeting context and purpose</li> </ul>	John Ricker, Santa Cruz County
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meeting agenda and ground rules</li> </ul>	Facilitator Marci DuPraw, Center for Collaborative Policy
<b>7:05 pm</b>	<b>Key Updates</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Drought</u>: Meaning of local and state-mandated water restrictions for local independent pumpers and small water systems</li> </ul>	John Ricker, Santa Cruz County
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Sea Water Intrusion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Are things getting better or worse?</li> <li>○ Progress in developing hydrologic model for Soquel-Aptos Groundwater Management Area</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Ron Duncan, Soquel Creek Water District
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Opportunity for questions</li> </ul>	All

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Time	Topic	Speaker
<b>7:25 pm</b>	<b>Thinking Ahead About A Groundwater Sustainability Plan: Seeking Your Views</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Brief refresher on basin management requirements under the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act of 2014</li> </ul>	John Ricker, Santa Cruz County
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Whole group discussion (<i>Opportunity to submit written input via index cards as well</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“What water management strategies would you like to see considered?”</li> <li>“Thoughts on how to cover related costs?”</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	All (facilitated)
<b>8:15 pm</b>	<b>Next Steps to Manage Our Groundwater Sustainably</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Progress in forming a Groundwater Sustainability Agency (GSA) for the Mid-County area</li> </ul>	Jon Kennedy, Chair of GSA Formation Subcommittee
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Summary of stakeholder input on how best to involve community members in developing Groundwater Sustainability Plan</li> </ul>	Marci DuPraw, Center for Collaborative Policy
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Questions and feedback</li> </ul>	All
<b>9:00 pm</b>	<b>Wrap-up / Adjourn</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How today’s input will be used</li> <li>When to expect next meeting</li> </ul>	Ron Duncan, Soquel Creek Water District

**Information**

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Meeting materials will be available at <http://www.soquelcreekwater.org/our-water-groundwater/stakeholder-advisory-group>