

San Joaquin River Restoration Program
Water Management Work Group Technical Feedback Group
February 20, 2008
9:00 a.m.– 5:00 p.m.

CA Department of Fish & Game, Central Region Office
1234 E. Shaw Avenue
Fresno, CA 93727

Purpose

To present Technical Memoranda developed by the Water Management Work Group for the San Joaquin River Restoration Program, and to receive feedback from the Technical Feedback Group on these Draft Technical Memoranda.

Desired Outcomes

The Technical Feedback Group will walk away from this briefing with an understanding of:

- Present technical information developed for the Draft Restoration Flow Guidelines Technical Memorandum, including the proposed methodology for year-type classification, continued hydrograph, incorporation of hydrograph forecast uncertainties, and Recovered Water Account.
- Present technical information developed for the Draft Water Recapture Opportunities Technical Memorandum.
- Ensure that the information developed for the Draft Technical Memoranda is consistent with the Settlement Agreement.

The Work Group will walk away with information on:

- Feedback from the Technical Feedback Group prior to the Work Group finalizing the Draft Technical Memoranda.
- Whether the information and/or recommendations in the Draft Technical Memoranda may cause potential issues with stakeholders.
- Potential areas of conflict with stakeholder needs and expectations.
- Recommendations on additional data needs.
- Additional items on which to focus their efforts in creating the Draft Technical Memoranda.

Contact Numbers

- Jason Phillips, Program Manager, Bureau of Reclamation: (916) 978-5033
- Ajay Singh, Stakeholder Coordinator, Kearns & West: (916) 267-1880

Driving Directions (From Highway 99)

1. Take exit **133** to merge onto **CA-180 E** toward **Kings Canyon**
2. Take exit **59** to merge onto **CA-41 N** toward **Yosemite (4 miles)**
3. Take the **Shaw Ave** exit toward **Clovis (0.3 miles)**
4. Turn **right** at **E Shaw Ave (1.1 miles)**
5. Make a **U-turn** at **N 6th St**
6. **End at 1234 E. Shaw Avenue**
7. **Meeting Room:** Proceed straight across the lobby, past the stuffed bears, through the wood-glass double doors, turn right and go halfway up the stairs to the mezzanine conference room.

Agenda

- 9:00 - 9:15 Welcome and Overview - *Jason Phillips, SJRRP Program Manager*
- 9:15 - 9:30 Introductions, Briefing Approach, and Desired Outcome – *Ajay Singh, Facilitator*
- 9:30 - 10:45 **Morning Session, Part I**
- Restoration Flow Guidelines Discussion**
Year-type classification and continued hydrograph
- 10:45 - 11:00 *Break (beverages and snacks available for purchase within meeting facility)*
- 11:00 - 12:00 **Morning Session, Part II**
- Restoration Flow Guideline Discussion**
Incorporation of hydrologic uncertainties and real-time considerations
- 12:00 - 12:45 **Lunch**
- 1:00 – 3:00 **Afternoon Session, Part I**
Recovered Water Account
- 3:00 – 3:45 **Afternoon Session, Part II**
Water Recapture Opportunities
- 3:45 – 4:45 **Review of Technical Feedback** – *Ajay Singh*
- 4:45- 5:00 **Closing Remarks** - *Jason Phillips*
- 5:00 **Adjourn**

Water Management Work Group Presenters

Yung-Hsin Sun	MWH
Bill Swanson	MWH
Dan Steiner	Consultant
Jeff Payne	MWH
Tony Buelna	Bureau of Reclamation
Stephen Lee	Bureau of Reclamation

Post-Meeting

The Technical Feedback Group will have until March 5, 2008 to submit, by email, written comments on the Draft Technical Memoranda to Ajay Singh, Stakeholder Coordinator (asingh@kearnswest.com).

Notes

Because much of the information will be visually presented, call in capabilities will not be available to the Technical Feedback Group.