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## **California Water Commission meeting to include tour of Prop. 1-funded Water Storage Investment Program project in South Sacramento County**

June agenda also includes presentations on the State's standing drought task force, Water Supply Strategy, and California Salmon Strategy

The June 18 meeting of the [California Water Commission](#) will include a tour of the [Harvest Water Program](#), the first project to be funded by the Commission's [Water Storage Investment Program](#) (WSIP). The Harvest Water Program will provide reliable, high-quality recycled water to agricultural lands and existing habitats in southern Sacramento County, allowing local agricultural operations to pump less groundwater and offer natural recovery in the groundwater basin.

The meeting will begin in the California Natural Resources Building Sacramento. Following the lunch break, the meeting will resume at the Stone Lakes National Wildlife Refuge in Elk Grove. The tour is open to the public.

Members of the public are responsible for their own transportation to Stone Lakes National Wildlife Refuge. Free parking is available in the visitor's lot. From there, a bus will provide transportation throughout the approximately 2.5-hour tour. Comfortable clothing and comfortable walking shoes are recommended. Attendees are encouraged to register [here](#).

There will not be a remote option for the tour, and it will not be recorded. If you have any questions about the tour, or if you need reasonable accommodation due to a disability, please contact Commission staff at (916) 873-5774, [cwc@water.ca.gov](mailto:cwc@water.ca.gov).

### **California Water Commission meeting**

**When:** 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 18

**Where:** California Natural Resources Building  
715 P Street, Sacramento, 95814

**Info:** (916) 873-5774, [www.cwc.ca.gov](http://www.cwc.ca.gov)

The meeting will be live streamed at [www.water-ca.com](http://www.water-ca.com)

To comment remotely, [Zoom](#) login information can be found on the [public participation guide](#).

### **Harvest Water tour location and time:**

The tour will begin and end at the Stone Lakes National Wildlife Refuge  
1624 Hood-Franklin Road, Elk Grove, 95757.

The tour will begin no earlier than 1:00 p.m.

Register [here](#).

The Water Commission's [June meeting](#) will also include updates on the Governor's [Water Supply Strategy](#); the [California Salmon Strategy for a Hotter, Drier Future](#); and an overview of the [Drought Resilience Interagency and Partners \(DRIP\) Collaborative](#) work and recommendations.

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The nine-member California Water Commission uses its public forum to explore water management issues from multiple perspectives and to formulate recommendations to advise the director of the California Department of Water Resources, and as appropriate, the California Natural Resources Agency, the Governor and the California State Legislature on ways to improve water planning and management in response to California's changing hydrology.

Water Commission staff offer virtual office hours the second Thursday of the month to answer any questions you might have about the Commission's work. To participate, links to the virtual meetings can be found [here](#). These office hours are an opportunity for the public to engage Commission staff and learn about the issues and topics that are within the Commission's regulatory and statutory authority. You are encouraged to drop in at any time during the hour-long session. Please note that office hours are not private meetings; other people may be in the virtual meeting room when individuals are asking questions of Commission staff. If you have a business-related or private matter, please schedule a separate time to meet with Commission staff. For more information regarding the California Water Commission, visit [cwc.ca.gov](http://cwc.ca.gov).