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Vina Groundwater Sustainability Agency (GSA) Stakeholder Advisory Committee (SHAC) Special Meeting

Date: Wednesday, December 3, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM -12:00 PM

Location: Butte County Library, Chico Branch, 1108 Sherman Avenue, Chico, CA 95926

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SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA

December 3, 2025

1. **CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL**
2. **BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR**

The public and SHAC members will have an opportunity to comment on items not on the agenda and that are relevant to the SHAC. Committee members and Management Committee staff are not required to respond to any issues raised during the public comment period. Commenters are asked to respect differing perspectives and to keep remarks within three minutes.

3. ***REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF 9-24-25 SHAC MEETING MINUTES**

Action: Approve the 9-24-25 meeting minutes

4. ***GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY PLAN (GSP) STAKEHOLDER MEETING FEEDBACK**

The Committee will receive a presentation summarizing feedback from the Fall 2025 stakeholder meetings conducted as part of the Vina GSP Periodic Evaluation process. The update will provide an overview of the topics shared with stakeholders, the key themes and perspectives gathered across the domestic well, agricultural, and environmental groups, and how this feedback will inform upcoming technical work, Minimum Threshold (MT) considerations, Representative Monitoring Site (RMS) refinements, and potential development of a Domestic Well Mitigation Program framework. **(Report – Becky Fairbanks, GSA Project Manager)**

Requested Action:

Feedback and public perspectives received from the SHAC and other stakeholder meetings will be provided to both the Vina GSA and Rock Creek Reclamation District GSA Boards of Directors during a joint meeting to inform the approach and next steps in the Periodic Evaluation process. Staff is seeking SHAC input and direction on the following items:

1. **Next Steps regarding Minimum Threshold (MT) Methodology and RMS Network Development**

Provide direction to staff and Larry Walker Associates (LWA) on whether to proceed with calculating Minimum Thresholds (MTs) for both Groundwater Levels (GWL) and Interconnected Surface Waters (ISW), using the two MT-setting approaches developed for the GWL SMC:

- **Option 1:** Recalculate MTs using the updated domestic well inventory and revised RMS polygons; and
- **Option 2:** Set MTs based on historical minimum groundwater levels minus an agreed-upon buffer.

Staff and LWA would document the results of the analysis and make them available for the public to digest in advance of bringing the topics to the SHAC and GSA Boards for recommendations and decision-making in the coming months.

2. **Domestic Well Mitigation Program Framework**

Provide direction on the near-term development of a framework for a Domestic Well Mitigation Program. Discuss possible scope options, timing, cost implications, and anticipated level of effort.

5. ***SUSTAINABLE GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT (SGM) GRANT PROJECT UPDATE** (Written Report)

6. **GSA PROGRAM MANAGER UPDATE** (Verbal Report – Dillon McGregor, Vina GSA Program Manager)

7. **SHAC FUTURE AGENDA REQUESTS** – SHAC members may verbally request an item to be agendized at a future meeting. After stating what the item would be, a majority vote of the SHAC is needed in order for the Management Committee to agendize the item. SHAC members may also submit requests in writing for the SHAC's consideration.

8. **ADJOURNMENT:**

The Committee will adjourn to their next meeting, Wednesday, **January 28th, 2026**

*Materials included in agenda packet