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April 11, 2016 Sites Project Authority Directors/ Alternates and Managers Workshop Agenda

The Sites Project Authority Board will meet in a workshop setting to review, discuss and to provide guidance to staff regarding various administrative matters of the Authority. All items are listed in accordance with the Ralph M. Brown Act. We invite all members of the public to attend.

11:00 a.m. CALL TO ORDER

Pledge of Allegiance.

The workshop topics may include:

- 1. CALSIM
 - a. Overview,
 - b. Use in project development planning & decision-making (e.g. NEPA/CEQA, ESA/CESA & Clean Water Act), and
 - c. Model results vs. real-time operations.
- 2. Prior CALSIM studies:
 - a. Range of alternatives modeled,
 - b. Common modeling assumptions used, and
 - c. Results: Estimates of water supply & public benefits.
- 3. CALSIM in Water Commission's Selection Process:
 - a. Baseline and
 - b. With climate change.
- 4. Proposition 1, Chapter 8 application schedule:
 - a. Water Commission's schedule, and
 - b. Sites Project Authority's current schedule.

- 5. Current Studies: Sites Project Authority's proposed project's operations:
 - a. CALSIM-related changes since prior studies were completed,
 - b. Sacramento Valley demand:
 - Revised assumptions & preliminary results and
 - Operational strategies.
 - c. Opportunities to create benefits in other areas: (e.g. American River, North Bay Aqueduct, South of Delta).
 - d. Discussion of proposed recommended modeling assumptions (Attachment 1) Please note, the Board meeting includes an agenda item to determine what if any action should be taken.

No action will be taken at this workshop.

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