



State Water Resources Control Board

Webinar Series to Provide Information and Solicit Comments on Development of Ventura River Watershed Groundwater-Surface Water and Nitrogen Transport Models

PURPOSE

The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) Division of Water Rights and Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (collectively, the Water Boards) are announcing a webinar series to provide information and solicit comments on development of a Groundwater-Surface Water Model of the Ventura River Watershed (GW-SW Model). The webinars will also include a brief update on development of the Nitrogen Transport Model of the Ventura River Watershed (Nitrogen Model).

The purpose of these webinars is to present model development information and solicit technical comments. Each webinar will include technical presentations and time for questions and discussion.

WEBINAR REGISTRATION and ACCESS INSTRUCTIONS

The State Water Board is hosting the webinars using Zoom online meeting software. To participate, please use the links below to RSVP. **Each meeting has a unique RSVP link.** If you would like to join multiple webinars, you must RSVP for each.

After registering for each meeting, you should receive an email with participation instructions.

WEBINARS SCHEDULE AND TOPICS

- Webinar 1: Wednesday May 5, 2021 (9:00 am-12:00 pm)
 - GW-SW and Nitrogen models: Overview and Status
 - Updates to Geologic Analysis¹
 - Click here to RSVP for first webinar

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/instream_flows/cwap_enhancing/docs/vrw_ga_final.pdf

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¹ Available online at:

- Webinar 2: Wednesday May 19, 2021 (9:00 am-12:00 pm)
 - o GW-SW Model: Water Demand and Distribution
 - Click here to RSVP for second webinar
- Webinar 3: Wednesday June 9, 2021 (9:00 am-12:00 pm)
 - o GW-SW Model: Calibration and Validation
 - Next Steps and How to Stay Involved
 - Click here to RSVP for third webinar

SOLICITING TECHNICAL COMMENTS

The State Water Board is soliciting technical comments on the topics presented in the webinars. **Please submit technical comments by Friday June 25, 2021.** Please email comments to: lnstreamFlows@waterboards.ca.gov.

BACKGROUND

Additional information on the GW-SW Model and Nitrogen Model is available in the following documents²:

- Final Study Plan for the Development of Groundwater-Surface Water and Nutrient Transport Models of the Ventura River Watershed (Final Study Plan)
- Draft Data Compilation Report for the Development of Groundwater-Surface Water and Nitrogen Transport Models of the Ventura River Watershed (*Draft Data Compilation Report*)
- Draft Sensitivity Analysis Approach Memo for the Development of the Groundwater-Surface Water Model of the Ventura River Watershed (*Draft Sensitivity Analysis Approach Memo*)

STAY CONNECTED

If you would like to receive emails regarding the Water Boards' development of the GW-SW Model and Nitrogen Model, as well as related California Water Action Plan efforts, please subscribe to the "California Water Action Plan/Statewide Instream Flows" list under the Division of Water Rights on the State Water Board's Email Subscription List website, which is online at:

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/resources/email_subscriptions/swrcb_subscribe.html

² The following documents are available online at the *Instream Flow Unit: Ventura River Watershed website*:

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/instream_flows/cwap_enhancing/ventura_river.html

CONTACT US

If you have questions related to this notice or would like to make a request for reasonable accommodations for a disability, please contact Kevin DeLano at kevin.delano@waterboards.ca.gov.

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