



**City of Greenfield
Arroyo Seco
Groundwater Sustainability Agency**

599 El Camino Real
Greenfield, CA 93927

**Meeting Agenda
February 24, 2026
4:00 P.M.**

Chair Jim Thorp
Vice Chair Michael Griva
Boardmembers
Raul Rodriguez
Paul Wood
Robert White

The Arroyo Seco Groundwater Sustainability Agency will be meeting on February 24, 2026 at 4:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers located at 599 El Camino Real, Greenfield, California 93927, and will be open to the public. This meeting will also be accessible online and may be viewed through the following options:

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- A. CALL TO ORDER
- B. ROLL CALL
- C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- D. PUBLIC COMMENTS FROM THE AUDIENCE REGARDING ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

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E. CONSENT CALENDAR

All matters listed under the Consent Calendar are considered routine and may be approved by one action of the Agency, unless a request for removal for discussion or explanation is received prior to the time Agency votes on the motion to adopt.

E-1. ADOPTION of Minutes of the January 27, 2026 Arroyo Seco GSA Meeting

F. AGENCY BUSINESS

F-1. RECEIVE Arroyo Seco Groundwater Sustainability Agency General Manager's Status Report

- a. Oral Report
- b. Public Comments
- c. Agency Board - Comments / Review / Action

G. ADJOURNMENT

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**CITY OF GREENFIELD ARROYO SECO
GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY
MINUTES**

AGENCY MEETING OF JANUARY 27, 2026

ROLL CALL

Present: Vice Chair Griva, Board Members Wood and White

Absent: Chair Thorp and Board Member Rodriguez

Staff: Interagency Attorney Thompson, General Manager Weeks, City Clerk Rathbun

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

All recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

CONSENT AGENDA

ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES OF THE DECEMBER 17, 2025 ARROYO SECO GSA SPECIAL MEETING

A MOTION by Board Member White, seconded by Board Member Wood to adopt the Minutes of the December 17, 2025 Arroyo Seco GSA Special Meeting. All in favor. Motion carried.

AGENCY BUSINESS

CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL OF SCOPE OF WORK TO INTEGRATE DEMAND MANAGEMENT INTO SMC-TAC'S ANNUAL REVIEW PROCESS

Staff report was given by General Manager Weeks

Thomas Virsik stated the bottom line was that the Board should run with it. He stated that this was an appropriate approach that Mr. Weeks had covered. He expressed his concerns regarding the Department of Water Resources' December letter and presentation of the 18400. He stated that he would like the Board to keep in mind that there was a statute in SIGMA that recognized that during droughts groundwater levels might dip substantially and then they might come back up and those were not counted as some kind of violation.

John Huerta, Jr., stated that he fully supported that scope of services. He stated that he received a copy of the letter from the Salinas Valley Water Alliance and stated that there was a lot of good information in that letter. He stated that what caught his attention were the two objectives and stated that tasks 1, 2 and 3 were all equally important and they were set up very well.

A MOTION by Board Member Wood, seconded by Board Member White to approve the Scope of Work to Integrate Demand Management into SMC-TAC's Annual Review Process. All in favor. Motion carried.

RECEIVE ARROYO SECO GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY GENERAL MANAGER'S STATUS REPORT

General Manager Weeks updated the Board regarding the implementation committee meetings that had occurred last week. He stated that there was a forebay meeting as well as an advisory committee meeting. He stated that the Salinas Valley Basin GSA needed to focus on figuring out a solution to seawater intrusion. He stated that the principal thing that they talked about at the advisory committee was an update on the hydrogeological model.

General Manager Weeks also updated the Board on the Forebay Implementation Subcommittee meeting. He stated that they discussed Demand Management as well as the update of the GSP.

Thomas Virsik stated that if anyone was interested, he wrote a letter dated December 31st to Department of Water Resources on the framework and if anyone wanted a copy, he was happy to supply it.

John Huerta, Jr. stated that one of the comments at the forebay and upper valley committee meeting yesterday was that he believed that the cities needed to shout out and get involved. He stated that the cities have been part of the Salinas Valley Basin CSIP for over 33 years paying through their property taxes. He stated that the cities have supported these types of county projects and could be a key players regarding seawater intrusion.

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 4:43 p.m.

Chair of the Board

City Clerk of the City of Greenfield