

The Challenges of the 2015 Drought: Water Project Operations

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AGENDA

9:30 Registration

10:00 Hydrologic Conditions Overview and Drought Status

Jeanine Jones, Deputy Drought Manager and Interstate Resources Manager, California Department of Water Resources

10:30 Institutional Constraints on Central Valley Project/State Water Project Operations

Paul Marshall, Chief of the Bay Delta Office, California Department of Water Resources

11:15 State Water Project Operations in 2015

John Leahigh, Chief of Water Operations Office, California Department of Water Resources

12:00 Lunch

12:45 Central Valley Project Operations in 2015

Paul Fujitani, Deputy Operations Manager, Central Valley Operations Office, Water Operations Division, Bureau of Reclamation

Rufino Gonzales, Civil Engineer, South Central California Area Office, Bureau of Reclamation

1:30 Activities of the State Water Resources Control Board

Les Grober, Assistant Deputy for the Division of Water Rights, California State Water Resources Control Board

2:00 Groundwater conditions in the San Joaquin Valley

Dane Mathis, Chief, Groundwater & Regional Planning Section, California Department of Water Resources South Central Regional Office

2:30 Drought Impacts: Estimating Land Fallowed in 2014

Forrest Melton, Senior Research Scientist, NASA Ames

3:00 Adjourn