

C. Notice of Intent to Update the IRWM Plan

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# GREATER LOS ANGELES COUNTY INTEGRATED REGIONAL WATER MANAGEMENT GROUP

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

# NOTICE OF INTENT TO UPDATE THE GREATER LOS ANGELES COUNTY INTEGRATED REGIONAL WATER MANAGEMENT PLAN

Notice is hereby given that the Greater Los Angeles County Integrated Regional Water Management (GLAC IRWM) group intends to update the GLAC IRWM Plan and will conduct a public hearing concerning the GLAC IRWM Plan update on May 22, 2013, at 9:30 a.m. in the Board Room, 17140 S. Avalon Blvd., Suite 210, Carson, CA 90746. Interested persons will be given an opportunity to review the IRWM Plan Update.

The GLAC IRWM group has received funding to provide a comprehensive update of the GLAC IRWM Plan. IRWM Plans are regional plans designed to improve collaboration in water resources management. The first IRWM Plan for GLAC IRWM was published in 2006 following a multi-year effort among water retailers, wastewater agencies, stormwater and flood managers, watershed groups, the business community, tribes, agriculture, and non-profit stakeholders to improve water resources planning in the Los Angeles Basin.

The GLAC IRWM group is currently updating the 2006 GLAC IRWM Plan to comply with new State integrated planning requirements, improve the content, and make the group eligible for future grant funding. The 2006 GLAC IRWM Plan provided a mechanism for: 1) coordinating, refining and integrating existing planning efforts within a comprehensive, regional context; 2) identifying specific regional and watershed-based priorities for implementation projects; and 3) providing funding support for the plans, programs, projects and priorities of existing agencies and stakeholders. The 2013 GLAC IRWM Plan update allows stakeholders to revisit the Plan's goals, objectives and priorities in light of changes that have occurred since 2006.

All interested stakeholders are invited to review the GLAC IRWM Plan update. A copy of the GLAC IRWM Plan update is available for public review between 7:30a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday (closed on Fridays) in the office of the Los Angeles County Department of Public Works, 900 S. Fremont Avenue, Alhambra, California 91803 and the following locations:

City of Los Angeles Department of Water and Power 111 North Hope Street Los Angeles, CA 90012 (213) 367-2354 Las Virgenes Municipal Water District 4232 Las Virgenes Road Calabasas, CA 91302 (818) 251-2167 Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

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#### Main San Gabriel Basin Watermaster

725 North Azusa Avenue Azusa, CA 91702 (626) 815-1300 Monday through Thursday 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Water Replenishment District of Southern California 4040 Paramount Boulevard Lakewood, CA 90712

(562) 921-5521 Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

#### West Basin Municipal Water District

17140 South Avalon Boulevard Carson CA 90746 (310) 660-6225 Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

The meeting schedule and comment submittal form about the GLAC IRWM Plan update are available on the GLAC IRWM website: <u>www.lawaterplan.org</u>. For more information or Spanish translation, please call Rochelle Paras at (626) 458-3525 between 7:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday.

El horario de la junta y la forma para sumisión comentario sobre el plan de actualizar el GLAC IRWM es disponible en el sitio web GLAC IRWM: www.lawaterplan.org. Para más información o traducción en Español llame a Rochelle Paras al (626) 458-3525 entre las 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., de Lunes – Jueves.

Upon 72 hours' notice, the GLAC IRWM group can provide program information and publications in alternate formats or make other accommodations for people with disabilities. To request accommodations ONLY, or for more ADA information, please contact our ADA Coordinator at (626) 458-4081 or TDD (626) 282-7829, Monday through Thursday, from 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.