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## SCV Water Invites Public Input on its Sustainability Plan

Virtual Workshop to be held July 25

Join SCV Water on Monday, July 25, 2022, 6-8 p.m., to learn about and provide input on our Sustainability Plan. The Plan will focus on effective and efficient organizational resource management with a goal to work toward sustainable operations.

In this virtual public workshop, participants will learn about the Agency's sustainability efforts and will have an opportunity to provide feedback on the sustainability planning process. The workshop will also offer the public an opportunity to ask questions and provide input.

To register for the workshop, visit bit.ly/SustainabilityPlanWorkshop-July25

The Plan will outline strategies and actions that align with our key business sectors and core operational pillars:

## **Core Operational Pillars**

- Reliable and Resilient Operations
- High-Quality Water & Resources Sustainability
- Cost-Effectiveness & Efficiency
- Transparency & Accountability

## **Key Business Sectors**

- Energy & Transportation
- Water
- Materials & Waste
- Land & Ecosystems
- People
- Infrastructure & Assets

"We are committed to making SCV Water a sustainable water agency and we welcome the public's input of what they would like to see as part of our plan," said Sustainability Manager Matt Dickens.

Once completed, the Sustainability Plan will be a comprehensive roadmap that will measure and track our sustainability performance by analyzing current sustainability efforts, historical energy, water, and other resource consumption, greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions, preparing a forecast of future GHG emissions, setting a reduction target for reducing emissions consistent with applicable state policies, and identifying strategic investments and impactful sustainability projects SCV Water can implement to improve its sustainability status in support of our mission and vision.

The Plan is anticipated to be completed by August 2022.

Where to Submit Comments and Get More Information

In addition to the public workshop, the public may submit questions and comments via email to <a href="mailto:sustainability@scvwa.org">sustainability@scvwa.org</a>.

Information about the Sustainability Plan is available at: <a href="yourSCV-water.com/sustainability-plan">yourSCV-water.com/sustainability-plan</a>. The webpage includes information from the May 24, 2022 SCV Water Board of Directors Special Meeting, which provided an overview of the goals and objectives that will develop the new Sustainability Plan.

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## **About SCV Water**

The Santa Clarita Valley Water Agency (SCV Water) is a full-service regional water agency located in the Santa Clarita Valley. SCV Water provides water service to approximately 75,000 business and residential customers. It was formed on January 1, 2018, when local water suppliers combined into one integrated, regional water provider. More information can be found at <a href="https://www.yourSCVwater.com">www.yourSCVwater.com</a>

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