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## **SCV Groundwater Sustainability Agency Invites Participants to its June 26<sup>th</sup> Groundwater Sustainability Plan Workshop**

The Santa Clarita Valley Groundwater Sustainability Agency (SCV-GSA) is inviting stakeholders and members of the public to participate in its Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP) Workshop on Tuesday, June 26, 2018 at 2:30 p.m. To determine if you are located within the SCV-GSA boundary go to [bit.ly/scv-gsa-address](http://bit.ly/scv-gsa-address). The workshop will be held in the Sycamore Room at The Centre located at: 20880 Centre Pointe Parkway, Santa Clarita, 91350.

As part of the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act's (SGMA) regulatory requirements, the SCV-GSA is responsible for developing a Groundwater Sustainability Plan – a detailed road map for how our local groundwater basin will be managed for long-term sustainability.

The workshop will serve as a kickoff meeting to discuss the process to develop a Groundwater Sustainability Plan. Important workshop topics will include:

- **SGMA 101** – A State perspective on the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act and local development of a Groundwater Sustainability Plan.
- **GSP Development Process and Timeline** – An overview of the anticipated process and timeline to develop a Groundwater Sustainability Plan, including near and long-term tasks and activities.

To keep up-to-date on GSA news and upcoming stakeholder forums, signup for our interest list: [bit.ly/scv-gsa-signup](http://bit.ly/scv-gsa-signup)

For more information, including a draft agenda, visit our website: [bit.ly/scv-gsa](http://bit.ly/scv-gsa)

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### **About the SCV Groundwater Sustainability Agency:**

The SCV Groundwater Sustainability Agency (SCV-GSA) was formed in 2017 and consists of SCV Water, Los Angeles County Waterworks District #36 and others including the City of Santa Clarita and the County of Los Angeles. The SCV-GSA will be responsible for developing a Groundwater Sustainability Plan by 2022.

<http://yourscvwater.com/index.php/groundwater-sustainability-agency/>

### **About the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act:**

The Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA) empowers local agencies to adopt groundwater management plans that are tailored to the resources and needs of their communities. Good groundwater management will provide a buffer against drought and climate change, and contribute to reliable water supplies regardless of weather patterns. California depends on groundwater for a major portion of its annual water supply, and sustainable groundwater management is essential to a reliable and resilient water system.

<https://www.water.ca.gov/Programs/Groundwater-Management/SGMA-Groundwater-Management>

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