

AGENDA



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board American River Watershed Mercury Control Program TMDL and Basin Plan Amendment

American River Watershed Stakeholder Meetings

November 16 & 17, 2010

10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

November 16

El Dorado National Forest/RCD Building
100 Forni Road, Placerville

November 17

Placer County Water Agency
144 Ferguson Road, Auburn

Conference Call option: Call-in number (866) 700-5234, Access Code: 3919859

WebEx Online Meeting: Meeting Password: "artmdl"

November 16:

<https://waterboards.webex.com/waterboards/j.php?ED=140424717&UID=0&PW=NYjMMDM3NTli&RT=MiMO>

November 17:

<https://waterboards.webex.com/waterboards/j.php?ED=140424537&UID=0&PW=NYjhhODEyM2Nk&RT=MiMO>

Meeting Purpose:

The Central Valley Water Board is beginning the process of developing a mercury control program for the American River Watershed. The purpose of this meeting is to introduce the project, describe the mercury impairment, discuss total maximum daily loads (TMDLs) and the Central Valley Water Board's water quality control plan (Basin Plan), and for Board staff to hear stakeholders' suggestions and concerns about the American River Watershed mercury TMDL and Basin Plan amendment project.

Schedule:

- Welcome, Introductions, and Agenda Review
- Project Background
 - Scope of the Project
 - Extent of the Mercury Impairment: mercury-contaminated fish
 - Sources of Mercury
 - Sources of Methylmercury
- Regulatory Background
 - Definitions
 - State and Federal Regulatory Requirements
 - TMDLs & Basin Plan Amendments
- Schedule for TMDL and Basin Plan Amendment Development
- Discussion
- Closing, Next Steps