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**REGULAR MEETING OF THE
OWOW STEERING COMMITTEE
SAWPA, 11615 STERLING AVENUE, RIVERSIDE, CA 92503**

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2024 – 11:00 A.M.

AGENDA

- 1. CALL TO ORDER | PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE (Brenda Dennstedt, Convener)**
- 2. ROLL CALL**
- 3. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

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4. ITEMS TO BE ADDED OR DELETED

Pursuant to Government Code §54954.2(b), items may be added on which there is a need to take immediate action and the need for action came to the attention of the Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority subsequent to the posting of the agenda.

5. CONSENT CALENDAR

All matters listed on the Consent Calendar are considered routine and non-controversial and will be acted upon by the Committee by one motion as listed below.

A. APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES: MARCH 28, 2024, MAY 23, 2024, AND SEPTEMBER 26, 2024

Recommendation: Approve as posted.

B. PROPOSITION 1 ROUND 2 REPLACEMENT PROJECT (SC#2024.14)

Recommendation: Receive and file.

6. NEW BUSINESS ITEMS

A. AMENDMENT TO THE OWOW STEERING COMMITTEE GOVERNANCE DOCUMENT – APPOINTMENT OF ALTERNATE REPRESENTATIVES (SC#2024.15)

Presenter: Jeff Mosher

Recommendation: It is recommended that the OWOW Steering Committee recommend to the SAWPA Commission the amendment to the Santa Ana IRWMP “One Water One Watershed” Governance document dated January 15, 2013, allowing for the appointment of alternate representatives.

7. INFORMATIONAL REPORTS

Recommendation: Receive for information.

A. PROPOSITION 1 ROUND 1 PROJECT HIGHLIGHT: SANTA ANA MOUNTAINS WATERSHED PROTECTION PROJECT (SC#2024.16)

Presenter: Rachel Gray and Cyrus Galvan, US Forest Service

B. QUARTERLY MEETING SCHEDULE FOR THE OWOW STEERING COMMITTEE (SC#2024.17)

Presenter: Jeff Mosher

C. SANTA ANA RIVER WATERSHED CLOUD SEEDING PILOT PROGRAM: YEAR 2 OPERATIONS (SC#2024.18)

Presenter: Rachel Gray

D. ARUNDO DONAX REMOVAL IN THE SANTA ANA RIVER BASIN HEADWATERS PROJECT OVERVIEW (SC#2024.19)

Presenter: Ian Achimore

8. GENERAL MANAGER REPORT

9. CHAIR’S COMMENTS/REPORT

10. COMMITTEE MEMBERS’ COMMENTS

11. REQUEST FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS



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12. ADJOURNMENT

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2025 OWOW Steering Committee Regular Meetings

Fourth Thursday of February, May, September, and November

(Note: All meetings begin at 11:00 a.m., unless otherwise noticed, and are held at SAWPA.)

February 2/27/2025 Regular Committee Meeting	May 5/22/2025 Regular Committee Meeting
September 9/25/2025 Regular Committee Meeting	November 11/20/2025 Regular Committee Meeting *

*Meeting date adjusted due to conflicting holiday.