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Date: August 15, 2024 **Project No.:** 180035
To: Gravelly Ford WD
From: Garth Pecchenino
Subject: Board meeting - GSA/GSP SGMA
cc: Name or delete

4. GSA/GSP (SGMA)

- a.) We have continued with our Technical Group meetings to set out a schedule and topics for review and discussion on how to best address the comments in the State letter. This again being the main topics; Domestic wells, subsidence, groundwater levels and interconnected surface water.

We have had discussions on subsidence and the water model to determine what the benchmarks will be for the interim milestones and minimum thresholds. WE have provided the well data and the subsidence survey completed in the past for their model, in a couple weeks they are to have draft hydrographs for each GSA, we will forward those and other information as this starts to pull together from the analysis of the data.

The Domestic well program will be the first item to resolve and then the subsidence, both will most likely have the Board sign onto an MOU for the actions to put the steps in place to reach the goals for the GSP.

This will represent the areas for the 5-year update and the periodic review documents to be submitted to the State.

We will need to conduct water quality samples this year for the report.

We will need to determine which of the 24 wells to survey for the subsidence measurements.

- b.) Coordination Agreement – The other agencies have also agreed with the approach to extend out the final date to 2040 to end the agreement.
- c.) Interconnected Surface Water – This is growing as a topic and a potential issue, we are doing more research and the DWR has put out a guidance document and they have put out one of three, the first one is out and we will review it and the following documents.
- d.) WaterSMART Grant – Grant application Submitted on July 8th. Waiting for a response, estimate maybe by the end of the year.



5. Prop 218 Assessment Report

Report has been filed with the County and the acreages have been verified with the County.

9. Sphere of Influence/Annexation

I have attached my previous response to this annexation for reference.

Other:

Water Purchases:

Infrastructure:

Need a list of the existing District facilities; length of canal, pipelines, control structures, turnouts?
Do we know if or how many meters are on existing Ag wells?

Can we get an updated Crop survey for the District; Tree type, grapes, fallow ground?

End of Report

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