

# Antelope Valley Water Plan

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ANTELOPE VALLEY WATER PLAN

## **Agenda**

- 1. AVWP Team Introductions
- 2. AVWP and AVIRWM Relationship
- 3. AVWP Update
- 4. Focal Areas
- 5. Next Steps



# AVWP and AVIRWM Relationship

# Antelope Valley IRWM

### Driver

Earmarked IRWM funding

#### **Focus**

Multi-benefit water resources projects

#### Information

Regional understanding and needs, relationship to California water planning

## Regulations

Department of Wate Resources

#### **Products**

Project list and IRWM Plan

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#### **Driver**

Regional collaboration and information sharing to improve water resilience

#### **Focus**

Regional planning not being done elsewhere

#### Information

Local water system and initiative education

## **Regulations**None

#### **Products**

Target tracking, information sharing, action plan implementation

Antelope Valley Water Plan provides the regional collaboration necessary to help develop project concepts that can be implemented and funded through the Antelope Valley IRWM

Antelope Valley Water Plan complements the LA County Water Plan by focusing on the setting, needs, strategies and solutions for subregional sustainable water management unique to the Antelope Valley.



# **AVWP Update**

## **AVWP Update**

Meet with the Workgroup on May 12 to gather initial feedback



Incorporated feedback to develop Focal Areas



Presenting the Focal Areas for feedback

Today!



## What are Focal Areas?

Key priorities guiding the development of the AVWP

Tailored to local needs and priorities



## **Focal Areas**

## Strengthening Coordination with the County

- Establish greater
  PW presence in AV
- Align on how to achieve regional goals
- Invest in relationship building

## Water and Economic Growth

- Support water infrastructure to support supply development
- Coordination on regional demand forecasting
- Enhance groundwater banking opportunities

## Small Water Systems

- Provide technical, managerial, and financial assistance
- Address challenges in water quality reporting
- Regional information sharing and coordination
- Collaborative efforts across agencies

## Groundwater Basin Water Quality

- Enhance regulatory coordination
- Support regional treatment
- Address shared constituents (arsenic, chromium-6, salts)



## **Focal Area Discussion**



What are your first impressions of the Focal Areas we've identified?



Is there a Focal Area you'd be interested in exploring further through a workshop?



Should we host the workshop during an AVIRWM Meeting? Who should be invited to attend the workshop?



## **Next Steps**

- Feedback will be incorporated into the AVWP Focal Areas
- Begin planning for a future workshop to discuss Focal Areas
- Please email <u>AVWaterPlan@dpw.lacounty.gov</u> if you're interested in attending a future workshop

Thank you!

