

**Thank you, PCWA!**



**RWEPAC**

**November 12, 2024**

WELCOME

# Introductions

- Name
- Organization
- Halloween Costume?



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# Agenda

- Welcome/Introductions
- September 2024 Meeting Notes
- Host Presentation from Linda
- Conservation Regulation
- Break
- Program Updates
- New for 2025?!?
- Agency Announcements/Adjournment
- Lunch @ 12:30 pm



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# Meeting Notes

- September 2024
- Approve and post online?



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# Host Presentation

- Take it away, Linda!



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# Conservation Regulation

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# Conservation Regulation

- NFT Model Ordinance
- Water loss Audits
- CII Classification Presentation (PCWA)
- RWA/Local Supplier Budget Discussion
- Template Reporting



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# NFT Model Ordinance

- RWA model ordinance
- One regional definition of NFT
- Winter 2024/2025 start work
- March RWE PAC draft
- Anyone interested in reviewing drafts along the way?





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# Water Loss Audits

- Also due January 1, 2025
- Calendar year or fiscal year
- Feeds into objective reporting
- Don't forget!



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# Classification Presentation

- Take it away, Linda! Again....
- Thank you!



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# CR RWA and Local Supplier Budget

- Asking for increased funding? Staffing?
- What should we do for WEP?
- Trainings for 2025?



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# Template Reporting

- How is it going?
- Attend the SWB webinars?
- Other things to share with the group?
- Compliance starts in 2027



# Conservation Regulation Assistance

- **Effective date and reporting January 1, 2025**
- **CalWEP Resources**
  - CII DIM Guide
  - CII Classification Guide – in progress
  - RFP Consultant Support Guide
  - NAICS to EPM Crosswalk
  - Contact List
  - CalWEP Viewer/Eagle Aerial - in progress
  - Disclosable Buildings
- **RWA Activities**
  - NFT definition committee and CII committee
  - Customer videos 1) What is the CR? 2) What is NFT?
  - Grant funding for rebates/programs
  - Budget spreadsheet

## CaWEP Implementation Center

Resources, guides, information, and a marketplace that serves both our members and the wider community with specific detail on how to implement strategic changes and continue to keep all your systems current.

## SEARCH THE CENTER



Or browse by popular topics.....

[see all topics >>](#)

[Implementation Guides](#)

[Landscape Conversion Criteria Matrix](#)

[Lessons Learned: DIM Management for CII Accounts](#)

[General Cutsheets](#)

[Framework 101 Slide Deck](#)

[CII DIM Guide](#)

[CII Classification Guide](#)

[RFP Consultant Support Guidance](#)

## What would you like to do?

*I want to better understand the regulation and the data requirements*



**EXPLORE RESOURCES AND VIEW YOUR DATA**



*I want to hire a consultant*



**RFP GUIDANCE AND QUALIFIED VENDORS**



*I need to comply with the CII standard and performance measures*



**SEARCH CII TOOLS AND GUIDEBOOKS**



*I want to launch new water saving programs*



**IMPLEMENTATION GUIDES**



*I want to.....*



**LANDSCAPE RELATED SOMETHING?**



*I need help on the various adjustments in the regulation*



**VARIANCES AND ALTERNATIVE COMPLIANCE**



# Program Updates

# Break...Dance?





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# Program Updates

- Grants Update
- Nippon Shokken Update
- DWR 1157 Study with Flume
- Acoustic Leak Detection/CA NV AWWA Training
- CIMIS Station
- School Education Program
- 2025 Outreach Priorities
- Mulch Mayhem Check In



# USBR Grant Application Submitted

- Application recommendation - \$1.87 M
  - Turf Replacement Rebates \$500,000
  - Irrigation Controller Rebates \$300,000
  - Indoor Direct Installation 100% DAC focus \$1.0 M
  - Staff reimbursement \$47,000
- November 2025-October 2028
- DWR grant for funding match, 0% local share
- Submitted to USBR 11/8
- May 2025 notice of award
- October 2025 availability of funding

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# DWR Grant Update

- Available Funding Chart TBD
  - Monica will send out after vacation
- Extra \$100,000 in grant funding from DWR
  - 2 rebates for brewery rebate @ \$15,000 each
  - \$70,000 for existing rebates – turf, customer water loss and irrigation efficiencies, first come first served, extension to 6/25



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# Nippon Shokken

- DWR agreed to make another video the Urban Roots Video
- Filming before end of year
- Lot of excitement from Nippon Shokken and DWR



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# DWR/Flume Indoor Study

- Carmichael and Lincoln participating
- Looking for at least one “large” supplier from our region
- Data heavy request, due date extended until early 2025
- Supplier participation benefits

- Access to pool of free SF Flumes (max 100)
- Customized “Mini” End Use Study specific to your Utility’s water use data
- Insightful survey results
- Your water use data included in the statewide study
- Be a part of CA policy making
- Free Flumes for MF & DAC (optional)

- Contact Ralph at Flume for more info:  
[ralph.kaiser@flumewater.com](mailto:ralph.kaiser@flumewater.com)



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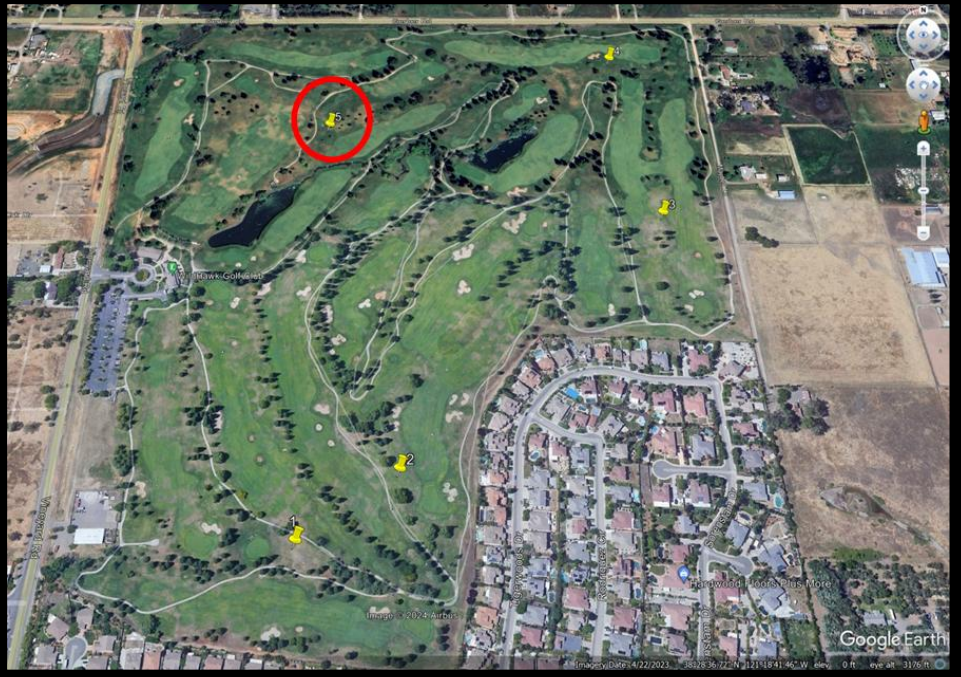
# Regional Acoustic Leak Detection

- Not enough interest
- Potential extension of SSWD USA pricing to rest of region
  - Multiple year agreement only, other conditions apply...



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# School Education Program Expansion

- Drip Drop Hip Hop moseys up the hill!
- Done with grant funding...
- Using program funding 2023 and 2024 (\$28,000)
- 100 more classrooms
- Working with Placer and El Dorado county schools
- Scheduled plays with Weimar Hills Elementary School



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# 2025 Public Outreach Focus

- What's on the horizon for 2025?
- Public outreach meetings – 11/19 @ RWA @ 1 pm
  - In person with lunch



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# 2025 Public Outreach Survey Released

**1. Greatest opportunity for promoting water efficiency in 2025?**

**2. Primary objectives for water efficiency communication in 2025?**

- *Examples: Increase participation in rebate programs, drive requests for Water Wise House Calls, educate on efficient practices, etc.)*

**3. Thinking about the Be Water Smart Tool Kit:**

- Which materials have you found most valuable in the past year?
- Are there specific tools or resources you would like added to the Tool Kit to support your outreach efforts?

**4. Is your organization planning to communicate about the new conservation regulations?**

**5. Is there anything else you'd like to add that would help shape water efficiency communications in 2025?**



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# Program Updates – Mulch Mayhem Check In

- Still interested in Mulch Mayhem event for next spring?
- Thoughts?
- Concerns?



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# Office Hours/Tours/2025 Tours

- One nature tour, one customer facility tour per year?
  - Watershed/headwaters bus tour
    - Kayaking option?
    - Middle/Southfork River
  - Delta Tour
  - Delta smelt fishery
  - Nigiri Project
- Other ideas?

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# 2025 RWEPAAC Dates

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Host Supplier</b>
<b>January 14, 2025</b>	<b>TBD</b>
<b>March 11, 2025</b>	<b>TBD</b>
<b>May 13, 2025</b>	<b>TBD</b>
<b>July 8, 2025</b>	<b>TBD</b>
<b>September 9, 2025</b>	<b>TBD</b>
<b>November 18, 2025</b>	<b>TBD</b>
<b>December 5, 2025</b>	<b>You know where!</b>
<b>January 13, 2026</b>	<b>TBD</b>



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## 2024 RWE PAC Meetings

Date
<del>January 9, 2024</del>
<del>March 19, 2024</del> – SSWD
<del>May 14, 2024</del> – San Juan Water District
<del>July 23, 2024</del> – Roseville
<del>September 10, 2024</del> – West Sac
<del>November 12, 2024</del> – PCWA
December 6, 2024 – Holiday Social

Monica says she is sorry about the wonky calendar invites!

**Holiday Social:** @ The Old Spaghetti Factory, Rancho Cordova, 11:30 am – 1:30 pm. All water efficiency staff are invited.





# Announcements & Events