

Sutter Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Plan April 6, 2021

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Background



 In 2014, the Legislature passed groundwater legislation collectively known as the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA)

Agency Coordination



 Local agencies are working together to develop a Sutter Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Plan, due to be submitted to the State by January 31, 2022

Participating Groundwater Sustainability Agencies (GSAs)



Sutter County GSA	Butte Water Agency GSA	Reclamation District 70 GSA
City of Live Oak GSA	Sutter Extension Water District GSA	Reclamation District 1500 GSA
City of Yuba City GSA	Sutter Community Services District GSA	Reclamation District 1660 GSA





- This plan will have a role in determining groundwater management in the region overlying the Sutter Subbasin
- The City of Yuba City will benefit by participating, as the City relies on groundwater to meet drinking water demands in drought years





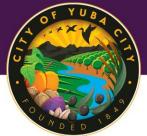
 The City share for plan development is not to exceed \$4,505

Alternatives



 The City could decline to participate in the process. If so, the City would lose the ability to provide input as a stakeholder in the Sutter Subbasin groundwater management process.

Recommendation



- Approve MOU among Sutter Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Agencies
- Approve MOA regarding funding commitments for developing the Groundwater Sustainability Plan



Questions?