

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING OF THE
MERCED AREA GROUNDWATER
POOL INTERESTS (MAGPI)
TO PREPARE AN UPDATE OF ITS DE-
CEMBER, 1997 MERCED GROUNDWA-
TER BASIN GROUNDWATER
MANAGEMENT PLAN**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Merced Area Groundwater Pool Interests (MAGPI) will hold a public hearing to consider the preparation of an update of its existing groundwater management plan to be in compliance with California Senate Bill 1938. The hearing will be an opportunity for the public to provide input in this process. At the conclusion of the hearing, the MAGPI may consider adopting a resolution of intention to draft a groundwater management plan update. Should MAGPI adopt such a resolution, there will be additional opportunity to provide comment on the updated plan as it is developed, and prior to MAGPI adopting the plan.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the public hearing will be held in the office of the Merced Irrigation District at 744 West 20th Street, Merced, California on the 30th day of January, 2008, at 10:00 AM. All interested persons are asked to attend. At the public hearing, MAGPI shall gather comments and suggestions from the public regarding the intent to draft a groundwater management plan update.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE
MERCED GROUNDWATER BASIN
GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT PLAN UPDATE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of the Merced Area Groundwater Pool Interests (MAGPI) will hold a hearing to receive input from the public leading to adoption of the Merced Groundwater Basin Groundwater Management Plan Update ("plan") which would amend and supersede the existing plan adopted by the member agencies of MAGPI on December 29, 1997. The plan identifies and analyzes conditions within the Merced Groundwater Basin including water supply and demand, groundwater levels, and water quality. The plan also discusses areas of concern within the basin, including but not limited to groundwater overdraft, water quality, and saline intrusion. It also provides a variety of options for addressing these concerns, including continued monitoring of groundwater quality and quantity, evaluation of potential recharge projects, and coordination with other governmental agencies. The plan does not authorize or implement any specific action, but establishes avenues by which agencies can work together to preserve and protect local groundwater resources. A copy of the plan is available for review at Merced Irrigation District, 744 West 20th Street, Merced, CA 95340 or on the internet at www.magpi-gw.org. Copies of the plan may also be obtained, for the cost of reproduction, at Merced Irrigation District, 744 West 20th Street, Merced, CA 95340. Written comments may be submitted by 12:00 P.M. June 16, 2008, at Merced Irrigation District, 744 West 20th Street, Merced, CA 95340 or on the internet at www.magpi-gw.org. Written comments may be withdrawn at any time prior to the conclusion of the hearing.

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the public hearing will be held on said plan at Merced Irrigation District, 744 West 20th Street, Merced CA 95340, Merced County, California on June 16, 2008, at 2:00 P.M. All interested persons are asked to attend. At the public hearing, the Board of MAGPI shall consider comments to the adoption of the plan.

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