Memorandum of Agreement Regarding the Groundwater Sustainability Plan for the North American Subbasin Agenda Item 5

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Groundwater Sustainability Agencies

- Reclamation District 1001 GSA
- Sacramento Groundwater Authority GSA
- South Sutter Water District GSA
- Sutter County GSA
- West Placer GSA



Five GSAs Located Within the North American Subbasin (NASb)

Memorandum of Agreement (MOA)

- Defines roles and responsibilities of GSAs in SGMA compliance and long-term GSP implementation
- Parties to the MOA include 10 Agencies representing 5 GSAs

- Sacramento Groundwater Authority GSA
 - Multiple Agencies
- South Sutter Water District GSA
- Reclamation District 1001 GSA
- Sutter County GSA:
 - Sutter County
 - Natomas Mutual Water Company

• West Placer GSA:

- Placer County
- City of Lincoln
- City of Roseville
- PCWA
- Nevada Irrigation District

MOA Key Elements

- Obligations
 - Fund common activities, projects, and management actions
 - Share and disclose information (relevant to GSP Implementation)
 - Develop and maintain a data management system
 - Participate GSP updates
 - Public Outreach
- Duties
 - Carry out SGMA in respective GSA
 - Support the NASb Coordination Committee
 - Work collectively and in good faith to manage groundwater and to meet Sustainability Criteria

- Governance
 - NASb Coordination Committee
 - Committee responsibilities
 - Meeting requirements
 - Committee management
- Decision Making
 - Voting Requirements
 - 1 vote per GSA
- Legal
 - Conflict Resolution
 - Limitations
 - Standard Clauses
- Term
 - Until Amended or Terminated by Parties

MOA Basic Cost Sharing

GSA	Total Acreage	Percent Share
Reclamation District 1001	17,395	5.1%
Sacramento Groundwater Authority	123,933	36.2%
South Sutter Water District	66,341	19.4%
Sutter County	20,240	5.9%
West Placer	114,608	33.4%
TOTAL	342,516	100%

