

**Paso Basin – Public Workshop #2
Cooperative Committee Special Meeting
Kermit King Elementary, 700 Schoolhouse Circle, Paso Robles, CA
April 30, 2018**

***Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA)
and the Paso Basin***

Meeting Summary

1. Meeting was called to order at 5:31 p.m.
2. Roll call. Cooperative Committee in attendance:
 - John Hamon, Chairperson, City of Paso Robles
 - Scott Duffield, Alternate, Heritage Ranch CSD
 - Kelly Dodds, Alternate, San Miguel CSD
 - Debbie Arnold, Alternate, County of SLO
 - Willy Cunha, Secretary, Shandon-San Juan WD
3. Pledge of Allegiance.
4. Public Comment period was opened for items not on the Agenda. There were no public comments.
5. Consultant team presentation began at 5:32 p.m.
 - a. Ellen Cross welcomed the community. She went over safety information such as exits, then introduced the Cooperative Committee and consultant team members.
 - b. Valerie Kincaid provided an overview of SGMA and Groundwater Rights. There were 5 individuals with questions and comments from the Cooperative Committee and public. Topics included:
 - Shortage
 - Non-appropriator right
 - De minimis users
 - Inter-basin cooperation across county lines
 - Definition of safe yield by state
6. Consultant team second presentation began at 6:35 p.m.
 - a. Richard Shatz, GEI delivered a presentation on the State of the Paso Basin. This was followed by Tim Leo on the Water Budget. Questions and comments from the Cooperative Committee and public included:
 - Cross sections from Fugro Report
 - Connection of Salinas River to aquifer
 - Recharge areas for deep aquifer and sources of water for recharging
 - Definition of groundwater in storage
 - Atascadero sub-basin
 - Update of model with current pumping data
 - De minimis users
 - Water quality

- County offset ordinance
- Communication with public
- CASGEM and relationship to SGMA
- Subareas
- Data gaps for model
- Role of imported water
- Water budget
- Salinas River
- List of projects

7. Ellen Cross noted that there are upcoming meetings, meeting survey; coming up is online survey.
8. Meeting adjourned at 8:02 p.m.