



San Luis Obispo County Region  
Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM)  
Regional Water Management Group (RWMG)

Date: February 25, 2019  
Time: 2:30 PM – 4:30 PM  
Location: SLO City/County Library  
Community Room  
995 Palm St, San Luis Obispo, CA

- 1) Introduction
- 2) 2019 IRWM Public Draft Presentation
  - a) Staff Presentation
  - b) Adoption Schedule
  - c) Q&A
- 3) Prop 84 & Prop 1 Grant Updates
  - a) Prop 84, Round 1
  - b) Prop 84, 2015 Implementation
  - c) Prop 1, Planning
  - d) Prop 1, Disadvantaged Community Involvement
  - e) Prop 1, Round 1 Implementation
- 4) Stormwater Resources Plan (SWRP) Update
  - a) Consider incorporating the SWRP into the 2019 IRWM Plan as Appendix I upon concurrence from the State Water Resources Control Board
  - b) Consider forming a standing RWMG Working Group to implement the SWRP
- 5) Public Comment

NOTICE: All IRWM notices will be emailed only by the online mailing list service. Please sign-up for the IRWM Stakeholder mailing list online at

<http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/irwm>

For more information, please contact  
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## **Integrated Regional Water Management Plan for Public Review**

Public comments accepted February 19 – March 20, 2020

### **Upcoming IRWM Program Milestones and Schedule**

<b>Schedule</b>	<b>Key Actions and Meetings Leading to IRWM Plan Adoption</b>
<b>February 19<sup>th</sup></b>	Release 2019 Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM) Plan for Public Review and Public Comment
<b>February 25<sup>th</sup></b>	IRWM Workshop: <b>2:30 PM – 3:30 PM</b> <b>City of San Luis Obispo, Library Community Room</b> <b>995 Palm St, San Luis Obispo, CA 93403</b>
<b>March 20<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>IRWM Plan Public Draft Comments Due</b>
<b>April 16<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>RWMG Meeting to adopt IRWM Plan</b>
<b>May 6<sup>th</sup></b>	WRAC Meeting to consider recommending IRWM Plan adoption by District* Board of Supervisors
<b>June 16<sup>th</sup> or July 7<sup>th</sup></b>	District* Board of Supervisors to adopt plan
<b>Summer 2020</b>	RWMG Agencies & Prop 1 Round 1 Implementation Grant Project Sponsors to adopt plan

\*District means the San Luis Obispo County Flood Control and Water Conservation District

#### **Access to the IRWM Plan for Public Review:**

Interested stakeholders are encouraged to review the plan and attend public workshops. The draft Plan for public review is available online ([www.slocounty.ca.gov/IRWM](http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/IRWM) and click "IRWM Plan Page").

#### **How to Submit Public Comments:**

Submit comments via email or hard copy by **5:00 PM, March 20, 2020** to:

Lucia Mercado  
County Public Works Department  
County Government Center Room 206  
San Luis Obispo, CA 93408  
[lmendoza@co.slo.ca.us](mailto:lmendoza@co.slo.ca.us)



**COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**Date:** February 19, 2020  
**Contact:** Brendan Clark, Supervising Water Resources Engineer (805) 788-2316  
Lucia Mercado, Water Resources Engineer (805) 781-5536

**NOTICE OF RELEASE OF THE SAN LUIS OBISPO INTEGRATED REGIONAL WATER MANAGEMENT PLAN PUBLIC DRAFT** - Members of the public are invited to provide comment on the San Luis Obispo County Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM) Plan public draft published on February 19, 2020. The draft review period will be 30 days. Public comments will be accepted until March 20, 2020.

The IRWM program seeks to create a framework among SLO County Stakeholders for sustainable water resource management. The IRWM program is used to inventory and facilitate regional plans, programs, and projects that promote and practice integrated regional water management strategies to ensure sustainable water uses, reliable water supplies, better water quality, environmental stewardship, and watershed awareness in accordance with State guidelines.

The San Luis Obispo County IRWM Region created the original IRWM Plan in 2005 and updated it in 2007 and 2014. With the passage of Proposition 1 (2014), additional requirements were placed on IRWM Plans and programs. In order to be eligible for Proposition 1 grant funds, IRWM Plans are required to be updated to these additional requirements. This 2019 IRWM Plan public draft incorporates recent data and planning efforts of local agencies and addresses the Proposition 1 requirements. Once the 2019 IRWM Plan is adopted, eligible entities within the San Luis Obispo County Region will be able to accept Proposition 1 IRWM grant funds.

**Access Public Draft IRWM Plan:** Interested stakeholders are encouraged to review the plan, attend the public presentation, and submit comments. The public draft is available on the County's website ([www.slocounty.ca.gov/irwm](http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/irwm) click "IRWM Plan").

**Access Public Draft Presentation:** The San Luis Obispo County Regional Water Management Group (RWMG) will be hosting a Public Draft Presentation on **Tuesday, February 25, 2020, 2:30pm - 4:30 pm** at the Community Room of the SLO City/County Library, 995 Palm St, San Luis Obispo, CA 93408. See map for location.

**How to Submit Public Comments:** Submit comments via email or hard copy to Lucia Mercado at: [lmecado@co.slo.ca.us](mailto:lmecado@co.slo.ca.us) <or> County Department of Public Works, Attn: Lucia Mercado, County Government Center, Room 206, San Luis Obispo, CA 93408. **Comments are due by 5 PM, March 20, 2020.**

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**County of San Luis Obispo Department of Public Works**

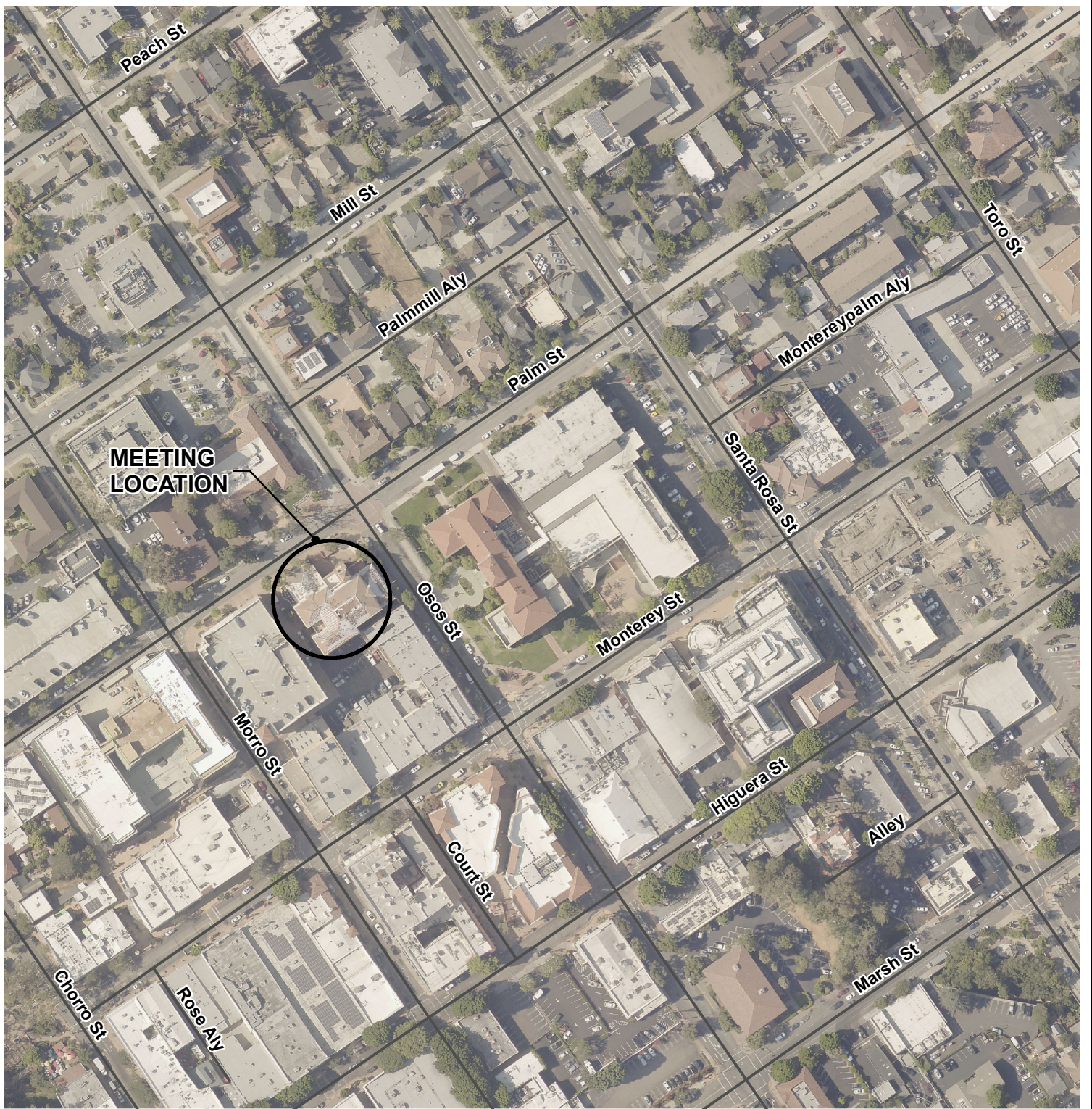
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**IRWM Plan Adoption:** The RWMG Lead Agency, San Luis Obispo County Flood Control and Water Conservation District (District) Board of Supervisors, will consider adoption in June 2020. Notice will be sent out closer to this date.

For more information on the IRWM Program; to see the next scheduled meeting or to view draft documents, please visit the County's IRWM website: [www.slocounty.ca.gov/irwm](http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/irwm).

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995 Palm Street, San Luis Obispo, CA**

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