



MEMORANDUM

FC 14

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: WSDMC

SUBJECT: Water Supply and Demand Management Committee (WSDMC)
Feb. 23, 2026 Meeting Summary

DATE: *March 24, 2026*

This memorandum summarizes agenda items from the meeting of the Water Supply and Demand Management Committee (WSDMC) held on Monday, February 23, 2026.

Elect 2026 WSDMC Chairperson and Vice Chairperson.

It was unanimously carried that the officer slate continue with WSDMC Chairperson Hsueh and Vice Chairperson Ballard for 2026.

Receive Information on 2025 Urban Water Management Plan Update and Provide Feedback.

The Committee discussed the following with staff input including: water demand projections including how they are developed through the Water Supply Master plan, comments from the Sierra Club letter and public commentor Peter Drekmeier from the Yosemite Rivers Alliance, inclusion of the Delta Conveyance Project, how future growth may effect demand and cost, working with water retailers on 2025 water use data, and reduced reliance on Delta. Chairperson Hsueh stated she will work with staff input to synthesize the discussion questions for further review.

The Committee received the information and took no formal action.

Receive Update on Groundwater Basins Managed by Valley Water and Compliance with the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act.

Director Santos suggested this Committee meet with San Benito Water District, and Chairperson Hsheh stated she will explore this.

The Committee received the information and took no formal action.

Review and Approve 2026 Water Supply and Demand Management Committee (WSDMC) Work Plan, Provide Feedback on Upcoming Discussion Items, and the 2026 WSDMC Meeting Schedule.

The Committee stated questions from the Urban Water Management Plan item discussion (with staff input) will be added to the workplan.

Nai Hsueh
Director, District 3
WSDMC Chairperson

It was unanimously carried that the 2026 WSDMC Work Plan and meeting schedule was approved with flexibility for changes.

**

Board member comments and suggestions can be forwarded to Stephanie Simunic, Assistant Deputy Clerk II at (408) 630-2408 or by email to ssimunic@valleywater.org.