



SHANDON-SAN JUAN WATER DISTRICT SHANDON-SAN JUAN GSA

MEETING AGENDA June 18, 2026

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Directors of the Shandon-San Juan Water District/Shandon-San Juan Groundwater Sustainability Agency will hold a special meeting at **9:00 A.M.** on **Thursday, June 18, 2026**, at the Illy Lodge at Illy Sunnyslope Farms located at 3385 Truesdale Rd., Shandon, CA 93461. Virtual options are available for public participation.¹

Alternate Location: Director Miller will participate in the meeting via video conference from 132 E. Carrillo Street, Santa Barbara, CA 93101.

Virtual Options for Public Participation:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84610006414?pwd=BhgDCwhHHe6HuK3K2EkRhv2GUWWUyR.1>

Meeting ID: 846 1000 6414 **Passcode:** 568090 **Dial:** (669) 900-6833

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1. **Call to Order**
2. **Roll Call**
3. **Public Comment**
4. **Consent Agenda**
 - a. Meeting Minutes
 - i. April 22 2026
 - ii. May 13, 2026
 - b. Secretary/Treasurer's Report – June 15, 2026
5. **Director's Reports**
 - a. WRAC Meeting
6. **Discussion and Possible Action Regarding Paso Robles Area Groundwater Authority (PRAGA)**
 - a. Update from SSJWD Consultants – Randy Diffenbaugh and Confluence Engineering Solutions
 - b. Key Discussions and Decisions at PRAGA's May 27, 2026 Board Meeting
 - i. FY 2026-2027 Groundwater Sustainability Fee
 - ii. Direction on Gap Funding
 - iii. Update on Fallowed Land Registry
 - c. Review of June 24, 2026 PRAGA Board Meeting Agenda and Direction to SSJGSA Representative, as needed
 - d. Next PRAGA Board Meeting is June 24, 2026 at 4pm
 - e. Consider Appointing Ray Shady as SSJGSA's Alternate Director on the PRAGA Board to replace Marshall Miller

¹ SSJGSA/SSJWD will make reasonable efforts to make the meeting accessible virtually; however, if one of the virtual options are unavailable due to technological issues, you are invited to take advantage of the other options, including in-person attendance.

7. **Discussion and Possible Action to Approve a Proposal from Confluence Engineering Solutions to Evaluate Potential Groundwater Level Monitoring Program Cost Reductions and Optimization Measures – Nate Page, Confluence Engineering Solutions**
 - a. Consider the proposal from Confluence Engineering Solutions for an hourly not to exceed amount of \$10,252 to evaluate potential groundwater level monitoring network cost reductions and optimization measures and return to the Board with findings and recommendations. The scope would include:
 - i. Analysis to identify monitoring wells and monitoring periods of greatest value and importance to Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP) implementation.
 - ii. Cost-benefit analysis of implementing continuous groundwater level monitoring devices and reducing the frequency of site visits and manual measurements.
 - iii. Development and presentation of monitoring network optimization options for Board consideration.

8. **Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the SSJGSA/SSJWD Priorities and Budget for FY 2026-27**
 - a. Review Proposed FY 2026–27 Priorities Including:
 - i. Investigation of groundwater recharge opportunities.
 - ii. Other projects and priorities identified by the Board.
 - iii. FEMA’s Flood Mitigation Assistance program - \$600 million available – information webinar June 24, 2026 with applications due August 6, 2026.
 - b. Review Proposed FY 2026–27 Budget

9. **Discussion and Possible Action Regarding SSJWD Assessments for FY 2026-27**
 - a. Discuss Assessment Levels for Irrigated and Non-Irrigated Acres – Levy in July 2026
 - i. FY 2025-26 Levels: \$35/irrigated acre, \$0.11/non-irrigated acre, \$7.50 per residence
 - b. Discuss Procedures for Updating Acreage Designations Including Fallowed Acreage
 - i. Discuss Application of Existing Irrigated and Non-Irrigated Assessment Classifications to Fallowed Acreage
 - ii. Discuss Schedule and Required Documentation to Support Acreage Designation Changes
 - iii. Consider Development of SSJWD Policy

10. **Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Plan for Services for the Proposed Annexation and Sphere of Influence (SOI) Amendment to Include Kylix Vineyards California LP and Dimello LP within the Shandon-San Juan Water District and Submit as Part of the Application (LAFCO No. 1-R-24) to LAFCO.**

The proposed project is a request by Kylix Vineyards California LP and Dimello LP to amend the Sphere of Influence (SOI) and annex approximately 3,956.63 acres of agricultural land into the Shandon-San Juan Water District (SSJWD).

11. **Next Regularly Scheduled Meeting – July 22, 2026 at 9am**

12. **Adjourn**

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