



**Butte County**  
**Groundwater Pumpers Advisory Committee**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
November 5, 2018

Time: 8:30AM

Place: Chico State University Farm, 311 Nicholas C. Shouten Lane, Room A009 & 0010,  
Chico, CA

Agenda Items

1. Welcome – Chair Rice
2. Roll Call  
**Members Present: Rice, Schooling, Heringer, Cole, Sohnrey, Lavy, Daley and Carter**  
**Member Absent: Mendes**
3. Review and approval of the September 17, 2018 GPAC minutes  
**Motion by Heringer and seconded by Sohnrey. Passed 7-0 with the correction that Heringer was in attendance.**
4. Overview and discussion of the agenda  
**Paul Gosselin provided an overview of the agenda. The GPAC decided to discuss item 11 first.**
5. Discussion and possible recommendation to the Board of Supervisors regarding the future role of GPAC (Moved from Item 11)  
**The GPAC discussed whether recommend to the Board of Supervisors to disband the GPAC. Since the governance for the Butte subbasin has not been finalized, the GPAC decided not to make any recommendations to the Board. The GPAC directed staff to provide the Board with a status of the discussion about the future of GPAC after governance structures are set.**

6. Presentation of the Summer 2018 Groundwater Elevation Measurements  
Kelly Peterson gave an overview of the summer 2018 groundwater elevation measurements.  
**Kelly made presentation to the GPAC on summer groundwater elevation measurements**
7. Update on statewide SGMA issues  
**Debbie Spangler, DWR, gave an update on DWR SGMA implementation**
8. Update on the basin setting project of the Groundwater Sustainability Plans **Christina informed the GPAC that Davids Engineering has been contracted to assist with the basin setting project. A local experts group has been formed to provide input.**
9. Update on Basin Boundary Modifications  
**Christina informed the GPAC that DWR is still planning to make basin boundary modification decisions by February 2019.**
10. Update on the status of governance  
**Paul informed the GPAC that the Wyandotte Creek GSA is being implemented. The Vina JPA is being revised due to Rock Creek deciding not to join. Meetings are being scheduled for the Butte subbasin.**
11. Update of other SGMA issues  
**None.**
12. GPAC members wishing to address items not listed on the agenda. (The GPAC is prohibited by state law from taking action on any item presented if it is not listed on the agenda).  
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13. Public members wishing to address the Commission on items not listed on the agenda. (The GPAC is prohibited by State law from taking action on any item presented if it is not listed on the agenda. Comments will be limited to five minutes per person)  
**None**
14. Next meeting – TBD
15. Adjournment