Legislation and Communications Committee

External Affairs Activities

Item 7a
October 12, 2026
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Item 7a Summary

Subject

Report on Activities from External Affairs

Purpose

To provide management announcements and highlights for External Affairs

CA Public Information Officials (CAPIO)

Award-winning Work

1st Place – Water: Operations & Infrastructure
Lake Mathews Gate Repair

2nd Place – Water: Conservation & Sustainability
Jeff Parker Collaboration

2nd Place – Social Media Campaign or Series
“High-Precision Irrigation Water Delivery Specialist” Series

3rd Place – Social Media: Short Form (under 60 seconds)
Admin Professionals Day

Building Relationships

Northern California Water Association

2026 Water Stewardship Colloquium

Year-long leadership journey, including learning about water management in Southern California

Restoring the Watershed for Resiliency, Water Quality

Building Relationships

Upper Watershed of the Feather River

Updates

Inspection Trips

Trip Planning Reminders

- Registration deadline: 30 days before trip
- Improvements to registration process
- Upcoming changes
- Reminder: Submit outstanding trip requests by Oct. 30

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