



Integrated Regional Water Management Plan



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Grant Funds Brought In

Since the effort to complete an IRWM Plan for the Westside Sac region began in 2011, the Coordinating Committee has brought in \$10,680,292 new dollars! These funds, along with local match exceeding \$5.4M, have contributed to planning for regional water management, infrastructure construction and improvements for water supply and water quality, system modernization, and rebate programs to assist in dealing with the drought. They also received an EPA grant to assess contamination areas and prioritize them for cleanup so as to improve ground and surface water quality. The Coordinating Committee remains committed to providing the greatest benefit possible to the entire region. To learn more about Westside projects, click [here](#).

Zebra-Quagga Mussel Demonstration Boat Nearly Ready

Through their Small Grants Program, the Westside Sac IRWMP Coordinating Committee provided funds to remove a small boat from Lake Mead that is covered with invasive mussels so it can be used for demonstration purposes. This boat requires special handling to prevent spread of these invasive species, including a clear coat over the entire hull and an enclosed trailer for transport



Photo Mark Miller



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The finished boat is expected to arrive in Lake County in late August in time for display and demonstration at the Lake County Fair September 1-4, and elsewhere in the region.

Disadvantaged Community Involvement

The State Department of Water Resources has non-competitive grant funding available to help make sure disadvantaged communities (DACs) are able to stay involved in and to benefit from IRWM activities throughout the state. This funding has unique application requirements that are bringing together IRWM regions to talk about their own unique DAC needs as well as broad needs across regions. If you are part of a DAC or know about the needs of a DAC familiar to you, please contact the Westside Sac IRWM Coordinating Committee: info@westsideirwm.com / www.westsideirwm.com or your local representative (front page side-bar).

Coordinating Committee Sets Annual Work Plan for 2016-17

During their Regular meeting on July 13th the Coordinating Committee approved their Annual Work Plan. Their goals for the coming year include increasing communication between the Westside and their near-by IRWM Regions, focusing on funding opportunities for diverse objectives within the Westside IRWM Plan, supporting the activities of the EPA Brownfield grant and determining what progress has been made in implementing the Plan. After a review of their 2015-16 Annual Plan the Coordinating Committee was pleased to see they had completed or partially completed all of the tasks they set out to do. To review details of their Annual Plan click [here](#).

Brownfields Project Update

The Brownfields Project Team wants your input. We've received 23 responses to our engagement survey so far. Join the conversation! <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/TJK6Z5F>. The Team will be giving a presentation about the project at these upcoming meetings: 1) Middletown Area Town Hall, Thursday, August 11, 7:00 – 8:00 pm, Middletown Community Center, 21256 Washington St., Middletown, CA 95461; 2) Yolo WRA Technical Committee meeting, Thursday, September 1, 8:30 – 10:30 am, Yolo Co. Flood Control and Water Conservation District, 34274 State Hwy 16, Woodland, CA 95695; 3) Napa County WICC Board of Directors meeting, Thursday, September 22, 4:00 – 5:00 pm, NVT Conference Room, 625 Burnell St., Napa, CA 94559.

For more information on the Brownfields project visit our website: <http://www.westsideirwmbrownfields.org/> and sign up for our email list: <http://visitor.r20.constantcontact.com/d.jsp?llr=vkmzg5dab&p=oi&m=1103746609493&sit=bm5jb4nfb&f=95a0ddd2-5f5e-4135-8ba9-32f72144191d>.

Westside Sac IRWMP Coordinating Committee Meetings Remaining in 2016

The Coordinating Committee has two meetings remaining in 2016 :

September 14, Wednesday	10:00 am	Napa County: 804 First St., Napa
November 9, Wednesday	10:00 am	Solano County: 810 Vaca Valley Pkwy, Vacaville

There is occasionally a need for Special meetings so visit the Westside website (<http://westsideirwm.com/>) for additional details and to sign up for notifications.