

**PUBLIC WORKSHOP AGENDA**  
**The State of Surface Water in the Santa Margarita Basin**

Santa Margarita Groundwater Agency (SMGWA)  
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Highlands Park Senior Center  
8500 Highway 9  
Ben Lomond, California 95005

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*In the Santa Cruz Mountains, the relationship between groundwater and surface water is critically important. This workshop focuses on the relationship of surface water to California's Sustainable Groundwater Management Act and the complex nature of surface water management, rights and regulations.*

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1. **Introduction and Agenda Review** (Dave Ceppos, Facilitator)
  
2. **Surface Water and the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act** (Sierra Ryan, County of Santa Cruz; Georgina King, Montgomery and Associates)
  
3. **Surface Water Rights in California and the San Lorenzo Watershed** (John Ricker, County of Santa Cruz)
  
4. **City of Santa Cruz - Overview of Water Planning Tools, Strategies, and Current Directions** (Rosemary Menard - City of Santa Cruz)
  
5. **Surface Water / Groundwater Interactions in the Santa Margarita Basin** (Chelsea Neill, Balance Hydrologics)
  
6. **Small Group Exercise: Surface Water / Groundwater Connections – What's Next?**
  
7. **SMGWA Water Agency Managers Q&A**
  
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