

SANTA CLARA RIVER ESTUARY SPECIAL STUDIES WORKGROUP

November 10, 2009
Ventura City Hall
501 Poli Street, Ventura
Community Meeting Room
10:00 am – noon



Estuary Special Studies will answer:

What is the best use of the treated water resources from the Ventura Water Reclamation Facilities to protect the health of the Santa Clara River Estuary?

Focus of this Workshop:

Reuse and wetlands treatment opportunities and how they may fit into a solution for the Santa Clara River Estuary. Come provide your input on how much recycled water should be delivered and to where, and how should we handle new or expanded possible wetlands opportunities.

Who Should Attend:

1. Regulators - project could result in change in discharge and/or water quality
2. Environmental groups - project could result in change of habitat and/or water quality
3. Recreation users - project could result in change in community amenities
4. Rate payers - project could result in significant increases in rates
5. Potential reuse customers (Ag and urban) - project could result in new reuse projects

Agenda

1. Welcome and Introductions
2. Special studies overview - how do the three studies fit together
3. Recycled Water Market Study
 - Presentation of existing reuse and future opportunities
 - Discussion/Q&A
4. Treatment Wetlands Feasibility Study
 - Presentation of existing water quality, existing ponds and future opportunities
 - Discussion/Q&A
5. Summary – Next Steps
 - How will this information be used?
 - When are we coming back to you?