



Stakeholder Outreach Report

March 18, 2021

Stakeholder Communication

INTERESTED PERSONS EMAIL LIST – as of March 2021

- 231 interested persons

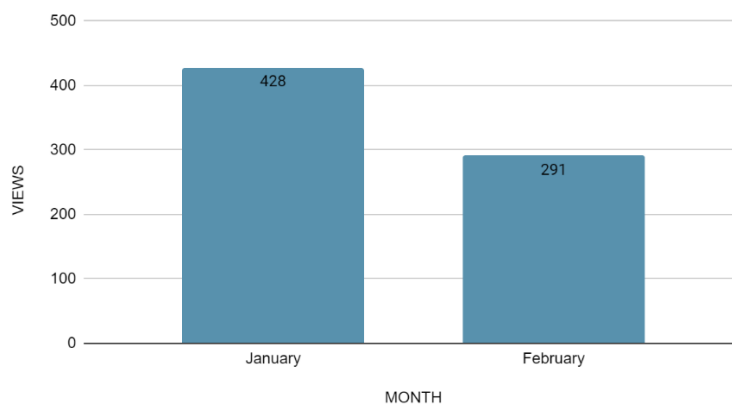
EMAIL CORRESPONDANCE- January 1 - March 18, 2021

EMAIL UPDATES TO INTERESTED PERSONS: QUARTER 4				
Date	Email Topic	# of recipients	Open Rate	Click-thru Rate
1/18/2021	This Thursday: South Fork Kings GSA Board Meeting	229	34%	35%
1/29/2021	South Fork Kings GSA Updates	229	32%	19%

Digital/Online

2021 WEBSITE VIEWS		
MONTH	VIEWS	Top Page *
January	428	GSP Portal
February	291	GSP Download

2021 Website Views



WEBSITE ARTICLES		
Date	Title	Views
1/25/2021	Progress made on ASR pilot test	18
1/25/2021	Frank Gornick appointed to represent City of Lemoore on Board	9
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	TOTAL	39

Upcoming Outreach

LANDOWNER SURVEY

- Staff continues to coordinate with GSA's technical consultant to develop a landowner survey with the goal of collecting information on groundwater use and climate impacts on groundwater supply. Planning to date includes:
 - Drafted survey questions
 - Survey/ASR grant interim report



SOUTH FORK KINGS

GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY

Progress made on Aquifer Storage and Recovery (ASR) pilot test



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The South Fork Kings GSA included ASR in its Groundwater Sustainability Plan as a high priority among the portfolio of projects to bring groundwater supplies into balance and **received a grant** to test the concept locally.

To date, the South Fork Kings GSA purchased transducers and hired a contractor to modify wells for the test. An aquifer pump test is scheduled for early February to determine key parameters for this project. Lemoore Canal Company has agreed to provide up to 75 acre-feet of water for the pilot test which will consist of three main phases. Water will be injected for a three-month period, stored for two months, and then taken out and used on surrounding fields.

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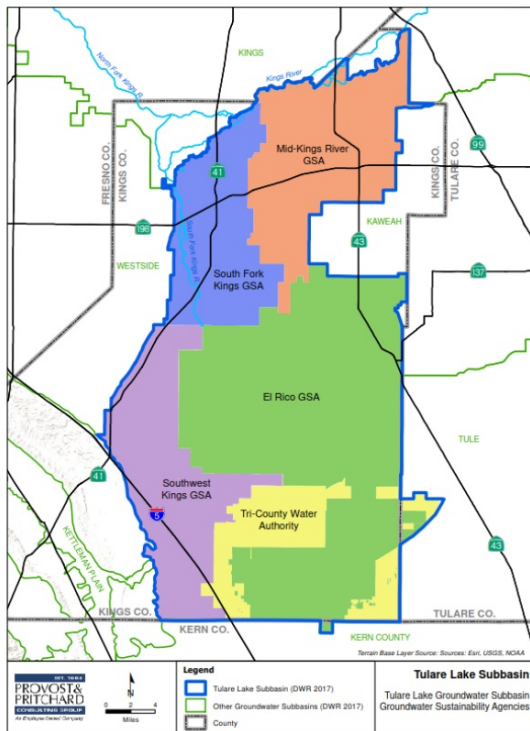
Frank Gornick City of Lemoore council member, joined the SFKGSA Board of Directors filling Seat 1.

In 2019, Gornick was honored by the Lemoore Chamber of Commerce as the city's Citizen of the Year for his service as Chancellor of the West Hills College District. According to The Leader, "Gornick's leadership transformed the local district." SFKGSA is honored and excited to welcome Director Gornick to the Board.



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Tulare Lake Subbasin Annual Report to the State in progress



Following the adoption of a Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP), the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA) requires Groundwater Sustainability Agencies (GSAs) to submit **annual reports** to the California Department of Water Resources on April 1st of every year.

The Annual Report serves to inform and update both the State and stakeholders on groundwater conditions and sustainability progress in the entire Tulare Lake Subbasin.

GSA managers in the Tulare Lake Subbasin are coordinating to ensure important data is included in this year's Annual Report.

The Report will include information from the Tulare Lake

Subbasin's five GSA's monitoring networks, data on groundwater extraction, surface water supply, total water use, water quality, and changes in groundwater storage.

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Questions on the Groundwater Sustainability Plan?

Check out our FAQ resource for the answers:

[GSP FAQs](#)

Next Board Meeting

Thursday, March 18, 2021

5:30 PM

Zoom web/teleconference details will be shared closer to the meeting

Please check the [website](#) regularly for updates



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The ASR Pilot Test is funded by the Climate Resilience Grant, a grant that was awarded by the [Bay Area Council Foundation](#) in June 2020 to help local communities across California strengthen their resilience to climate change. Read more about how SFKGSA obtained this \$200,000 grant [here](#).

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