

Meeting Announcement

Wednesday, June 23, 2010 ~ 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

The Southern California Water Dialogue will meet at the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California headquarters,

700 N. Alameda, Los Angeles, (213) 217-6710. Please RSVP to JoAnn Carrillo @ jcarrillo@mwdh2o.com.

Parking is available at Metropolitan's employee garage, accessible at the rear of the building for those who RSVP. Parking validation will not be provided for valet parking.

Please note: Lunch is not provided for this meeting. You are welcome to bring a brown bag lunch or buy your lunch at the cafeteria located on the first floor of the building and bring it to the meeting.

"Rainfall Harvest or Stormwater Capture...

Your Nuisance or Our New Water Supply?"

Meeting Topic:

When does a rain molecule become someone's water right or another's responsibility? Join us for frank a discussion on the merits of rainwater capture and the challenges associated with stormwater management as we explore recent studies on potential water supply and water quality benefits of managing this most fundamental water resource. Our dialogue will begin with an overview of current water legislation under consideration by the State Legislature, including AB 1834 (Solorio) the Rainwater Capture Act of 2010. We will then investigate opportunities in Southern California to put these policies into practice.

Speakers:

Update on Water Legislation and Overview of AB 1834 (Solorio) The Rainwater Capture Act of 2010:

Kathy Cole, The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California

Alf Brandt, Select Committee on Regional Approaches to Addressing the State's Water Crisis

Exploring the Possibilities...from Concept to Reality

Noah Garrison, National Resources Defense Council

Eric Strecker, Geosyntec Consultants

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