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MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 20, 2014
TO: Madera County Planning Commission
FROM: Norman L. Allinder, Planning Director
RE: General Plan Water Policy & Goals

On May 19, 2014 the Board of Supervisors gave direction to the Planning Department to continue to monitor the current updates of the Groundwater Management Plan, Integrated Regional Water Management Plan, and the formation of a Joint Powers Authority. The Board directed staff not to commence with the preparation of a separate Water Element to the General Plan at this time. The Board of Supervisors did direct staff to work through the Planning Commission on formulating a clear policy and definition of a water balance for consideration by the Board for adoption.

The Madera County Planning Department has prepared a brief powerpoint presentation for the Planning Commission on the current Goals and Policies contained within several adopted documents related to water. The purpose of this workshop is to inform the Commission and public of the ongoing efforts related to Madera County water.

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