

**Agenda
Public Meeting**

**California Water Service Company
Willows District**

Urban Water Management Plan & Conservation Master Plan

**May 11, 2011
10:00 am to 12:00 pm**

- **Purpose of this Meeting**
- **Introduction of California Water Service Company Staff**
- **Presentation of the Urban Water Management Plan**
- **Presentation of the Conservation Master Plan**
- **Public Comments & Questions**

Where to send comments - comments in writing will be accepted through June 15, 2011

Urban Water Management Plan to:

**Thomas A. Salzano, Water Resource Planning Supervisor
California Water Service Company
1720 North First Street
San Jose, CA 95112-4598
tsalzano@calwater.com**

Conservation Master Plan to:

**Kenneth G. Jenkins, Conservation Manager
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No. 1551

In the Matter of

California Water Service Company -

Notice of intent to hold a public meeting and adopt

an Urban Water Management Plan. May 11, 2011.

State of California)
County of Glenn) ss

The undersigned resident of the County of Glenn,
State of California, says:

That I am, and at all time herein mentioned was
a citizen of the United States and not a party to
nor interested in the above entitled matter; that
I am the principal clerk of the publisher of:

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That said newspaper is one of general circulation
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Saturdays) in the town of Willows and County
of Glenn; that the notice of which the annexed
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newspaper on the following days:

April 23rd and 27th of 2011

I certify (or declare), under penalty of perjury, that
the foregoing is true and correct, at the County
of Glenn, Willows, California.

Dated April 28th of 2011
at Willows, California.



LEGAL NOTICE



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CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY WILLOWS DISTRICT

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
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Notice of Intent

I am not a party to or interested in the matter noticed. I am the principal clerk of the printer of the **Willows Journal**, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Willows, County of Glenn, State of California, to which newspaper was adjudged by the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Glenn under date of January 18, 1952, Case Number 9076.

The Notice, of which the annexed is a printed copy, appeared in said newspaper on the following dates:

April 27 & May 4, 2011

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

May 6, 2011

Date:

(Signature)

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