
State Water Resources Control Board

Notice of a Public Meeting

Identification of an Administrator for Six Acres Water Company to Replace Currently Appointed Administrator

September 18, 2024
6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Remote Participation Via Zoom
AND
In-Person Participation
Cloverdale Meeting Room, Cloverdale Regional Library
401 N Cloverdale Blvd,
Cloverdale, CA 95425

The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) invites you to attend a public meeting to learn more about the selection of SRT Consultants as the potential administrator to replace Demery and Associates, the current administrator of Six Acres Water Company. This project is under the Safe and Affordable Funding for Equity and Resilience drinking water program, and this public meeting is a requirement of the administrator appointment process.

The meeting will include an opportunity for the public to ask questions and provide comments. The public can submit questions and comments through September 26, 2024.

Language Services

This meeting will be offered in English and Spanish. To request translation of a written document, interpretation services for the meeting, or sign language services, please use one of the following options at least 10 business days before the meeting or by September 5, 2024.

Contact us to request information in your language.

- Submit an online request: <https://bit.ly/FormularioAccesoldioma>
- Call 916.445.5615
- Email SAFER@waterboards.ca.gov

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Accessibility

Users of a Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD) may contact the California Relay Service at (800) 735-2929 or the teletype (TTY) voice line at (800) 735-2922. Learn more about accessibility within Zoom at www.zoom.com/en/accessibility.

Participation Options

This meeting will be held in-person with an option to join online via Zoom.

To participate remotely via zoom, use this link: <https://bit.ly/SixAcres-Administrator2024>

In-person meeting option will be held in the Cloverdale Meeting Room of the Cloverdale Regional Library located at: **401 N Cloverdale Blvd, Cloverdale, CA 95425**

Background

On October 10, 2022, the State Water Board appointed Demery and Associates as the administrator to Six Acres for failing to consistently provide an adequate supply of affordable, safe drinking water to its customers. On May 30, 2024, Demery and Associates notified the State Water Board of their resignation.

The Six Acres Water Company has limited technical, managerial, and financial resources and still meets the requirements to receive an appointed administrator. The State Water Board proposes appointing a replacement administrator, SRT Consultants, to manage the water system. All actions taken by an administrator are required to be in the best interest of the community served by the water system and include the following:

- Developing access to an adequate supply of safe and affordable drinking water.
- Identifying, pursuing, and managing safe water supply interim solutions and long-term solutions as needed; and
- Holding public meetings at least every three months.

Scope of Appointment and Services Provided

This administrator will be a Full-Scope Administrator as defined in the Administrator Policy Handbook available online at <https://bit.ly/SAFER-Administrator>.

Conflict of Interest

To date, no conflict of interest has been found by the State Water Board or reported by SRT Consultants. If at any time a proposed action would create a conflict of interest, an administrator is required to provide written notice to the State Water Board in addition to all ratepayers, renters and property owners, who receive water service from the designated water system 30 days prior to taking the action.

More Information

For more information visit <https://bit.ly/SAFER-Administrator>.

To submit written or verbal comments, email SAFER@waterboards.ca.gov or call 916.445.5615.