
State Water Resources Control Board

Notice of Public Meeting

Identification of an Administrator for Lanare CSD

October 19, 2026

6:00pm - 8:00pm

Lanare Community Center

20620 S. Grantland Ave, Riverdale, CA 93656

In-person participation only

PURPOSE

The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) invites you to attend a meeting to learn about the selection of SRT Consultants as a potential Administrator for Lanare Community Services District (CSD) public water system.

An administrator is a person or entity that is appointed and/or authorized to exercise total and complete managerial control over a designated water system in order to provide an adequate supply of safe and affordable drinking water.

This public meeting is a requirement of the administrator appointment process. The purpose of this meeting is to provide information on the following:

- Current status of drinking water in Lanare CSD
- Purpose and role of an Administrator
- Administrator qualifications, conflicts of interest, and scope of work

The meeting will also include an opportunity for the public to ask questions and provide comments. The public can submit questions and comments now through October 26, 2026.

LANGUAGE SERVICES

This meeting will be held in English. 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 ten (10) business days before the meeting, if possible:

- Submit an online request: bit.ly/LanguageAccessForm
- Call (916) 341-5254
- Email languageservices@waterboards.ca.gov

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.

MEETING MATERIALS

Meeting materials and details are available at [**bit.ly/DDW AdminWebsite**](https://bit.ly/DDW_AdminWebsite)

HOW TO SUBMIT PUBLIC COMMENTS

Mail: Caitlin Masters
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Email: DDW-Administrator@waterboards.ca.gov

BACKGROUND

Since August 2010, Lanare CSD has been operated under court-appointed receivership due to lack of technical, managerial, and financial capacity necessary to successfully operate the water system. California Water Services has served as the receiver and plans to end its role as receiver on October 1, 2026.

Lanare CSD is out of compliance with the benzene maximum contaminant level (MCL). Compliance Order No. 04-23-26J-36 was issued to Lanare on July 24, 2026, and directs Lanare CSD to return to compliance by July 31, 2029.

The State Water Board proposes appointing an administrator, SRT Consultants, to manage Lanare CSD's drinking water system. All actions taken by an administrator are required to be in the best interest of the community served by the water systems and include the following:

- Developing access to an adequate supply of safe and affordable drinking water; and
- Holding public meetings at least every three months.

Any ratepayer, renter, or property owner who receives water from a designated water system can submit a petition to the State Water Board to reverse or modify an administrator decision or to replace an administrator. A description of this process and the administrator authority is contained in Health and Safety Code Section 116686 and in the State Water Board's Administrator Policy Handbook.

SCOPE OF APPOINTMENT & SERVICES PROVIDED

This administrator will be a Full-Scope Administrator as defined in the Administrator Policy Handbook available online at:

https://bit.ly/AdminPolicy_Handbook

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

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Water Board website: **bit.ly/DDW_AdminWebsite**