



Ukiah Valley Basin Groundwater Sustainability Agency

Agenda Summary

Item No.:	6.a
Date:	5/10/18
To:	Board of Directors
Subject:	Discussion and Possible Action Regarding Informational Presentation on the United States Geological Survey Hydrologic Characterization and Coupled Watershed and Groundwater Flow Model of the Russian River Watershed
Consent Agenda <input type="checkbox"/> Regular Agenda <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Noticed Public Hearing <input type="checkbox"/>	

Summary:

The Board will receive an informational presentation by Tracy Nishikawa with the United States Geological Survey on the current progress of the Hydrologic Characterization and Coupled Watershed and Groundwater Flow Model of the Russian River Watershed.

Recommended Action:

Receive the presentation on the United States Geological Survey Hydrologic Characterization and Coupled Watershed and Groundwater Flow Model of the Russian River Watershed.

Background:

The Sonoma County Water Agency, the United States Geological Survey (USGS), and the California State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) have proposed a study to evaluate the groundwater resources of the Russian River Watershed. The objective of the study is to develop an updated assessment of the hydrogeology, geochemistry, and geology of the Russian River Watershed based on an analysis of new and available field data and develop a coupled watershed/groundwater-flow model that will facilitate improved management of the region's water resources. The County of Mendocino, City of Ukiah, Russian River Flood Control and the Upper River Water Agency are participating entities.

Fiscal Summary: N/A

Action: _____

Motion: _____ **2nd:** _____