EAST KAWEAH GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY
REGULAR ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MINUTES FOR THE MEETING ON MARCH 17, 2025

The East Kaweah Groundwater Sustainability Agency ("EKGSA") Advisory Committee duly met for their regular meeting on Monday, March 17, 2025.

OPEN Meeting: Quorum convened at 4:10 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Adrianna Becerra, Emily Boettger, Nataly Escobedo Garcia, DeeDee Gruber, David Haas, Soapy Mulholland, Tien Tran (Quorum = 6 voting members)

MEMBERS ABSENT: Graham Burt, Vito DeLeonardis, Alan Lombardi

OTHERS PRESENT: Mike Hagman, Executive Director, Chris Hunter, Program Director; Kathryn Bennett, Kaitlin Palys, Consulting Engineer, Intera, members of the public

1. **ROLL CALL AND INTRODUCTIONS:** Hagman conducted roll call and made introductions.

2. **APPROVE THE AGENDA**: Hagman noted there were no changes or additions to the agenda. Motion to approve was made by Gruber and seconded by Mulholland,

   AYES: Adrianna Becerra, Emily Boettger, Nataly Escobedo Garcia, DeeDee Gruber, David Haas, Soapy Mulholland, Tien Tran

   NOES: None

   ABSTAIN: None

   ABSENT: Graham Burt, Vito DeLeonardis, Alan Lombardi

3. **PUBLIC COMMENT**: Luis Paniagua introduced himself. He is the Community Education Specialist with UC Davis representing Tulare & Kings Counties.

4. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** Motion to approve Minutes for February 18, 2025 was made by Tran and seconded by Escobedo Garcia,

   AYES: Adrianna Becerra, Emily Boettger, Nataly Escobedo Garcia, DeeDee Gruber, David Haas, Soapy Mulholland, Tien Tran

   NOES: None

   ABSTAIN: None

   ABSENT: Graham Burt, Vito DeLeonardis, Alan Lombardi

5. EKGSA ACTIVITY REPORT –

a. Technical Advisory Committee – Hagman reported on recent TAC activities which was mostly focused on resolving revenue stream into EKGSA
b. Board of Directors – Hagman provided an update on the Board activities

6. KAWEAH SUB-BASIN ACTIVITY REPORT

a. Grant Updates – Hunter noted that an update on implementation grants will be provided at the next meeting. Hagman reported that the Plan for the MLRP grant has been developed on the Flying Dragon property.
b. Subbasin Efforts – Hagman reported on KSB data management system, modeling and ongoing reporting. He noted that the data management system is about completed.

7. GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY PLAN IMPLEMENTATION

a. GSP determination
   i. Update Status of GSP and KSB Coordination – Kait Palys noted some updates but at this point everything is on "wait and see"
   ii. Update Status KSB Annual Report
   iii. LandIQ ET Report – Hunter provided the most recent numbers.
   iv. Mitigation Program Update – Kait Palys reported that the program remains active & consistent.

8. ADJOURNMENT

Next meeting is Monday, April 21, at 4:00 PM.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

Michael D. Hagman
Secretary, East Kaweah GSA