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NEWS RELEASE

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Public Workshops to be held to discuss the Preparation of the Countywide Integrated Regional Water Management Plan (IRWMP)

SANTA BARBARA, CA— The County Water Agency and partnering cities and special districts will be conducting two public workshops to discuss the preparation of the Countywide Integrated Regional Water Management Plan. The IRMWP is being prepared by a consortium of local agencies and districts in order to provide a regional water planning document that can be used to obtain funding from local, State and Federal sources to implement water related projects. The workshop will provide a forum to discuss the benefits of completing an IRWMP, solicit input on regional goals and objectives, discuss state objectives and discuss and solicit input on potential projects and how projects will be selected for inclusion in the plan.

South County Meeting:

Date/Time: Monday, October 23, 2006; 5:00-7:00 PM

Location: County Employees University at
267 Camino del Remedio, Santa Barbara

North County Meeting:

Date/Time: Tuesday, October 24, 2006; 5:00-7:00 PM

Location: Santa Maria City Hall at
110 East Cook Street, Santa Maria

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