

Workshop on Drought Vulnerability and Tools for Improving Water Resilience

Date: October 19-20, 2016

Time: 10:00am-5:00pm on 10/19/2016, and 8:30am-3:00pm on 10/20/2016.

Location: [Renaissance Long Beach Hotel](#), 111 E Ocean Blvd, Long Beach, CA 90802

United Water Conservation District's Deputy General Manager for Groundwater & Water Resources **Tony Morgan**, PG, CHG, is among the invited speakers to be presenting at the [Workshop on Drought Vulnerability and Tools for Improving Water Resilience](#) on October 19th. This **Workshop** has been organized by the National Water Resource Research Institute, CA Department of Water Resources, and Southern California Water Committee. Mr. Morgan will be participating in a panel discussion on *Managing Groundwater Basins in Southern California for Drought and SGMA* with Rich Juricich of the CA Department of Water Resources and Greg Reed with Los Angeles Department of Water and Power.

The purpose of the *Workshop on Drought Vulnerability and Tools for Improving Water Resilience* is to provide the water community with current information on water conditions in California and facilitate discussion on strategies for improving the resilience of the state's water resources. The two-day program will include talks by water resources professionals and academics from throughout California. Staff from California water agencies and other public organizations involved in drought response and planning efforts are invited to attend. Faculty and students with an interest in water and natural resource planning are also welcome to participate.

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- Protecting existing water supplies from impacts on quality and quantity.
- Developing technologies that identify and remove new contaminants from water supplies.
- Identifying treatment technologies that are cost and energy-efficient.
- Educating youth on water issues and future water needs.