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**Dear Property Owner:** 

On September 16, 2014, Governor Jerry Brown signed into law a three-bill legislative package, composed of AB 1739, SB 1168, and SB 1319, collectively known as the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA), providing California with a framework for sustainable groundwater management for the first time in its history. SGMA requires the formation of a Groundwater Sustainability Agency (GSA), responsible for developing and implementing a Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP) that considers the interests of all beneficial uses and users of the groundwater basin.

In an effort to fully inform and encourage meaningful participation from all stakeholders with property that lies within the basin of the Yuima Municipal Water District, Upper San Luis Rey Resource Conservation District, Pauma Valley Community Services District or Pauma Valley Municipal Water District, the Groundwater Sustainability Agency (GSA) will be conducting a series of Stakeholder Engagement Meetings. These meetings will educate stakeholders on the SGMA requirements that must be met in developing the GSP, as well as how you can play a role in its development.

If you are interested in learning more about this legislation that will guide groundwater planning in our groundwater basin, you are encouraged to attend the Stakeholder Engagement Kickoff meeting scheduled for January 27, 2021 at 4:00 p.m. This will be a virtual meeting held via Zoom. If you would like to participate in this meeting please send an email to gsa@yuimamwd.com and provide your contact information. You will be sent the link to participate in the virtual meeting via the email address you provide. You are also encouraged to visit www.yuimamwd.com/gsp for more information and to sign up to receive future correspondence regarding all Stakeholder Engagement Meetings. You can also contact the GSA via email at gsa@yuimamwd.com should have any questions that are not addressed on the Webpage.

Sincerely,

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