



Ventura River Watershed Council

Public Scoping Meeting

To collect concerns and ideas for inclusion in the
Ventura River Watershed Management Plan

Wednesday, October 3, 2012

5:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Oak View Community Center, 18 Valley Road, Oak View

Agenda

#		Topic and Discussion Leader	Desired Outcome/Description
1	5:30-6:00	Open house	Meet Watershed Council members and other meeting participants; look at watershed maps and brochures; and write down your watershed questions/concerns/ideas.
2	6:00-6:15	Opening remarks, introductions & agenda review (Lorraine Walter, watershed coordinator)	Welcome; review purpose of meeting; introductions.
3	6:15-6:25	Development of a Ventura River Watershed Management Plan (Lorraine Walter)	An overview will be provided on: 1) watershed management plans in general, 2) the Watershed Council, and 3) why a plan is being developed for the Ventura River watershed.
4	6:25-7:00	Plan goals and objectives (Various Council members)	An overview will be provided on the overarching goals of the plan and the associated objectives.
5	7:00-7:40	Discussion	An opportunity for participants to contribute to the plan by raising issues/concerns/threats and suggesting solutions/projects/opportunities.
6	7:40-7:50	Issues/solutions ranking	Through a "dot voting" process, participants will rank the priority of watershed-related issues/threats, as well as potential projects/solutions.
7	7:50-8:00	Review results of ranking; discuss next steps (Lorraine Walter)	After assessing the results of the dot voting, opportunities for continued involvement in the plan's development will be discussed.

Next Watershed Council meeting: Wednesday, November 7, 8:30 am – 12:00 pm.

Topping Room, E.P. Foster Library, 651 E. Main St., Ventura