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The San Joaquin River Conservancy Governing Board
will hold a regular meeting on
November 5, 2025
Call to order will begin at 9:00 a.m.

Board Meeting Location:
Fresno Metropolitan Flood Control District
5469 E. Olive Ave., Fresno CA, 93727

and California Natural Resources Agency
715 P. Street, Room: 20-104 (Mojave Room)
Sacramento, CA 95814

and online Via Teams
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MEETING AGENDA

A. CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

B. ROLL CALL

C. POTENTIAL CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

Any Board member who has a potential conflict of interest may identify the item and recuse themselves from discussion and voting on the matter (FPPC §97105).

D. CLOSED SESSION

Before convening in closed session, members of the public will be provided the opportunity to comment on Regular Session agenda items.

D-1. Government Code Section 11126(e)(1) The Act allows a state body to consult with its attorney about pending litigation in closed session when discussing the matter in open session would prejudice the state body's position.

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D-3. Government Code Section 11126(a)(1)
Public Employee Performance Evaluation
Title: Executive Officer

Closed Session is anticipated to last an hour and a half. The Board meeting will resume with Public Comment at approximately 10:30 a.m.

E. PUBLIC COMMENT AND BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR

Ten minutes of the meeting are reserved for members of the public who wish to address the Conservancy Board on items of interest that are not on the agenda and are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Conservancy. Speakers shall be limited to three minutes. The Board is prohibited by law from taking any action on matters discussed that are not on the agenda; no adverse conclusions should be drawn if the Board does not respond to public comments at this time.

F. CONSENT ITEMS

F-1. INFORMATION ITEM: Conservancy Budget Update.

F-2. ACTION ITEM: San Joaquin River Parkway Trust License Agreement.

G. REGULAR SESSION ITEMS

G-1. PRESENTATION: Central Valley Community Foundation Parkway Partnership.

G-2. INFORMATION ITEM: Strategic Plan Update.

G-3. INFORMATION ITEM: Funding Plan for Remaining River West Elements.

G-4. ACTION ITEM: San Joaquin River Western Reaches Access Activation Plan Presentation and Proposal for Additional Funding for the Completion of the CEQA Process.

G-5. ACTION ITEM: Approve Proposition 4 Guidelines and Grant Applications to be submitted to Office of Administrative Law as part of Emergency Regulations Process.

G-6. ACTION ITEM: Adopt Resolution 25-05 Expressing Appreciation for Kent Gresham.

H. ADMINISTRATIVE AND COMMITTEE REPORTS

H-1. Deputy Attorney General Report

H-2. Executive Officer Report

H-3. Board Members' Reports and Comments

H-4. Organizations' Reports: If time allows oral and/or written updates from partners are encouraged, covering current or upcoming events and project updates or other items of relevance to the Conservancy.

I. NEXT BOARD MEETING DATE

The San Joaquin River Conservancy Governing Board will not meet in the months of December or January. The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, February 4, 2026, time and location to be determined.

J. ADJOURN

Board meeting notices, agendas, staff reports, and approved minutes are posted on the Conservancy's website, www.sjrc.ca.gov. For further information or if you need reasonable accommodation due to a disability, please contact info@sjrc.ca.gov.

STRATEGIC PLANNING PUBLIC WORKSHOP WILL BEGIN AT 1:00 P.M.