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Groundwater is a vital resource, together let's protect it.

December 2017

This month's email highlights:

- Free Water Use Assessments & Water Level Monitoring
- Private Well Owner Survey
- MGA Orientation Session Recordings
- MGA Drop-in Session on December 21st
- MGA Board Meeting on January 18
- Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP) Advisory Committee Meeting
- 'Tell a Friend' initiative to build our email subscriber list



The purpose of these emails is to provide an update to the groundwater management activities in the Santa Cruz Mid-County region and inform our community about events and meetings of the MGA. Please visit our website www.midcountygroundwater.org to access MGA Board meeting materials (agendas, packets, and minutes).

Upcoming Events:

December 21: [Drop-In Hours](#)
 January 18: [Board Meeting](#)
 January 24: [GSP Committee Meeting](#)

Free Water Use Assessment & Water Level Monitoring

The MGA is partnering with the Resource Conservation District of Santa Cruz County to offer free water use assessments and well water level monitoring for private well owners in the Mid-County Groundwater Basin. If you are interested in scheduling an appointment or want more information on this service, please contact Angie Gruys at agruys@rcdsantacruz.org, or call (831) 464-2950 X 22.



Attention Private Well Owners

Private well owners this is your last chance to fill out the online survey to provide information to MGA staff about your priorities and concerns. The survey can be found at: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MGAWellowner>

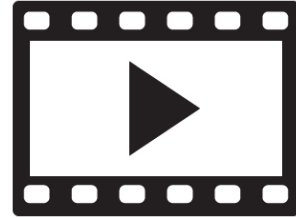


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MGA Orientation Session Recordings

In case you missed the four Groundwater Orientation Sessions put on by the MGA this fall, you can view recordings of them at:

<http://www.midcountygroundwater.org/gsp-advisory-committee/groundwater-workshops>



MGA Drop-In Hours on Dec 21

Come and chat with representatives from the Santa Cruz Mid-County Groundwater Agency about groundwater issues in our region and the local efforts being made to comply with the 2014 CA Sustainable Groundwater Management Act.

Date: December 21 **Time:** 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Location: Community Foundation, 7807 Soquel Drive, Aptos, CA 95003



Next MGA Board Meeting on January 18

Please join us for the next MGA board meeting!

Meeting materials will be available at least 72 hours prior to the meeting at this link:

<http://www.midcountygroundwater.org/committee-meetings>

Date: January 18, 2018 **Time:** 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Location: Simpkins Family Swim Center, 979 17th Avenue, Santa Cruz



GSP Advisory Committee Meeting on January 24

Please join us for the next GSP Advisory Committee meeting!

Meeting materials will be available at least 72 hours prior to the meeting at this link:

<http://www.midcountygroundwater.org/gsp-advisory-committee/committee-meetings>

Date: January 24 **Time:** 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm



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Ask Us!

Please let us know what questions you have so that we can make sure to answer them! Email your questions to [Sierra Ryan](#) and we will incorporate them into the [Frequently Asked Questions \(FAQ\)](#) page of the website.



The Santa Cruz Mid-County Groundwater Agency (MGA) is a joint partnership between the County of Santa Cruz, Soquel Creek Water District, Central Water District, the City of Santa Cruz and private well-owner representatives to meet the mandates of the State's Sustainable Groundwater Management Act.



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