

**Forebay and Upper Valley Subbasins
Sustainable Management Criteria Technical Advisory Committee
(SMCTAC)
Application Information and Form
Due October 13, 2023**

Overview and SMCTAC Member Description

The Salinas Valley Basin Groundwater Sustainability Agency (SVBGSA) is accepting applications from all eligible and interested organizations and individuals to join the Sustainable Management Criteria Technical Advisory Committee (SMCTAC). The SMCTAC will review groundwater conditions and provide science based advice on management actions and projects to the Forebay Subbasin and Upper Valley Subbasin Committees.

The SMCTAC is limited to individuals with expertise in hydrology, hydrogeology, hydrological modeling, civil engineering, fisheries biology or related field. The initial objectives of the SMCTAC are to develop guiding principles, triggers and the decision making process to provide advice on management actions and projects. The SMCTAC is expected to meet annually to review the GSP Annual Reports for Forebay Subbasin and Upper Valley Subbasin and could be convened at other times as requested by the subbasin committees. All SMCTAC meetings are subject to the Brown Act.

Interested stakeholders may also retain a third-party expert to be a member participant of the SMCTAC. Agencies may utilize in-house staff, or retain a third-party expert for purposes of SMCTAC participation. Each individual or organization may submit an application for one member of the SMCTAC and one alternate member.

To Apply

Complete the following information and submit your application and/or any questions you may have to Emily Gardner at 831-277-1807 or via email to gardnere@svbgsa.org

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Name: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Expertise in (select all that apply):

- Hydrology
- Hydrogeology/Hydrologic Modeling
- Civil Engineering
- Fisheries Biology
- Related Field (please specify) _____

Supplemental Questions

Do you or your organization reside within the Salinas Valley Basin Groundwater Sustainability Agency jurisdiction (Monterey, 180/400-Foot Aquifer, Langley, Eastside Aquifer, Forebay Aquifer or Upper Valley Aquifer Subbasins)? Or a neighboring Subbasin?

Why are you interested in becoming a member of the Forebay and Upper Valley SMCTAC?

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Additional Documents Please attach any supporting documents regarding your education, background, and/or experience in your indicated field(s) of expertise. List supporting documents below:

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**Letter of Commitment
{To be Completed by Applicant}**

The undersigned commits to participating in the Sustainable Management Criteria Technical Advisory Committee (SMCTAC) organized by the Salinas Valley Basin Groundwater Sustainability Agency (SVBGSA).

The undersigned agrees to contribute their advice and efforts to the SMCTAC at their sole cost and expense.

Each organization or person participating in the SMCTAC retains the right to withdraw from the SMCTAC with a 30-day written notice provided to the SVBGSA.

Date: _____

Name: _____

Signature: _____

Name of Organization: _____