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## REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

### ACWA Regions 9 & 10 Present:

#### Dam Exciting: Accomplishments at Prado - Up & Downstream

**Date:** Friday, October 6, 2017

**Time:** 8:20 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. (Check-in begins at 8:00 a.m.)

**Location:** Circle City Center, 365 N Main Street, Corona, CA 92880

ACWA Regions 9 and 10 are hosting an exciting program and tour that will showcase the accomplishments at Prado Dam. The morning tour will feature Prado Dam flood control operations and Prado Wetlands where endangered birds have multiplied in number. Following the tour the program will include discussion on the Prado and Orange County nexus as well as above the Dam issues including the Santa Ana River Conservation and Conjunctive Use Program, Upper Santa Ana River Habitat Conservation Plan, and a Review of the Santa Ana River and Western Judgment. The program will also include an ACWA update.

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**Pre-Registration Fee:** ACWA Member \$65 | Non-member \$90

**Onsite Registration Fee:** ACWA member \$70 | Non-member \$95  
(Onsite registrations will be accommodated as space permits.)

**Registration Fee Includes:** Tour transportation, Continental breakfast, lunch, refreshments and materials

**Online Registration Deadline:** September 29, 2017 or until space is full.

**Cancellations Deadline:** September 29, 2017, 5 p.m. (PST) to receive reimbursement. Cancellation must be in writing. Substitutions can be made by requesting it in writing by September 29. After that date, substitutions can be handled onsite at the event. Event details are subject to change and registrants will be notified by e-mail if changes occur.

**Personal Protection Attire for Tour:** casual clothing, closed-toed flat

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shoes, sun hat and sun glasses are highly recommended for the tour.

**Tour participants are required to sign an ACWA Voluntary Release and Waiver, available [HERE](#).**

**EVENT IS UNDERWRITTEN BY ACWA REGIONS 9 AND 10 AND HOSTED BY CITY OF CORONA DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND POWER**

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#### QUESTIONS

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#### PRELIMINARY AGENDA

- 8:00 a.m. Registration/Continental Breakfast
- 8:20 a.m. Welcome
  - G. Patrick O’Dowd**, Chair, ACWA Region 9
- 8:30 a.m. Board Bus for OCWD Prado Office
- 8:45 a.m. Tour of OCWD Prado Wetlands
  - Greg Woodside**, Executive Director of Planning and Natural Resources, Orange County Water District
- 10:15 a.m. Site Visit Prado Dam
  - Van Crisostomo**, P.E, Chief, Reservoir Regulation Section, Engineering Division, Hydrology & Hydraulics Branch Los Angeles District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
- 11:00 a.m. Board bus to Circle City Center
- 11:30 a.m. Lunch Served
- 12:00 p.m. ACWA Update
- 12:30 p.m. Above the Dam Issues
  - Moderator: **James Morales, Jr.**, Board Member, ACWA Region 9
  - Panelist:
    - Paul Jones**, General Manager, Eastern MWD
    - Heather Dyer**, Water Resources Project Manager, San Bernardino Valley MWD
    - John Rossi**, General Manager, Western MWD
- 1:30 p.m. Orange County and Prado Dam Nexus
  - Moderator: **Brian Brady**, Chair, ACWA Region 10
  - Panelist:
    - Dick Zimball**, Biologist, Orange County Water District
    - Greg Woodside**, Executive Director of Planning and Natural Resources, Orange County Water District
- 2: 30 p.m. Program Concludes

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***Voluntary Release and Waiver***

I \_\_\_\_\_, am an adult over the age of 18 years, and hereby request permission to participate in the following event \_\_\_\_\_ (the "excursion") organized by ACWA, a nonprofit organization, and by its directors, officers, agents and employees or by an ACWA Member Agency (hereinafter referred to as "Sponsors").

I understand that I may be required to be on a variety of premises included on the excursion and in vehicles, whether motorcoach or personal vehicle required to complete the excursion on the following specified date(s) \_\_\_\_\_.

I understand that by signing this Voluntary Release and Waiver form, the Sponsors permit me to participate in the excursion on the following conditions, which are intended to ensure the safety of all participants, including myself, the Sponsors and all property:

1. I promise that I will remain in the company of the Sponsors' employees while on the excursion.
2. I understand that the Sponsors will provide general safety information and practices for each facility or job site included on the excursion and that the Sponsors grant "permissive entry" to participants contingent upon his/her obeying the Sponsor's rules, general safety information and practices, including but not limited to use of appropriate safety equipment, (e.g., vest, hard hat, safety shoes and glasses), and obeying all rules, requests and directions from Sponsor's officers and employees. If I fail to do so, I assume all risks and assume all liability for any and all harm or injury to myself or damage to any property, which result from my failure to obey the Sponsor's general safety information and practices and/or requests and directions from the Sponsor's officers or employees.
3. I release, discharge, and covenant not to sue any of the Sponsors for any and all claims, actions, and/or liability arising out of the excursion, my participation in the excursion, or during my visit to facilities and/or job sites included on the excursion, except those arising out of the intentional misconduct of the Sponsors. I make this release for all parties, including myself, spouse, personal representatives, heirs, successors, and assigns.
4. I voluntarily have decided to accept all risks connected with my visit to facilities and/or job sites included on the excursion and my observation of any activities or operations on the excursion.
5. I represent that I understand the inherent risks and dangers associated with participating in this excursion, and that I fully understand and agree to abide by all rules, general safety information and practices, and will obey all requests and directions from Sponsor's directors, officers, agents and employees.

***I HAVE READ THIS DOCUMENT AND UNDERSTAND IT IS A RELEASE AND WAIVER OF ALL CLAIMS. I UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING THIS FORM I ASSUME ALL RISKS INHERENT IN MY VISIT TO FACILITIES AND/OR JOB SITES INCLUDED IN THE EXCURSION. I VOLUNTARILY SIGN MY NAME SHOWING MY ACCEPTANCE OF THE ABOVE PROVISIONS.***

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*Signature of Participant*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

*Please print and submit completed form to:  
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