

ACWA State Legislative Department

Subject Matter Assignments

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Subject Area	Advocate	Analyst
Administrative Procedures Act	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Assessments, Fees & Charges	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Delta, Delta Stewardship Council	Cindy Tuck	Soren Nelson
California Endangered Species Act (CESA)	Wendy Ridderbusch	Soren Nelson
♦ Fully Protected Species	Wendy Ridderbusch	Soren Nelson
California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Elections, Initiative & Referendum	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Eminent Domain / Inverse Condemnation	Kris Anderson	Soren Nelson
Employment & Employee Relations	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
♦ Prevailing Wage	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
♦ Public Agency Employees	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
♦ Public Agency Officials	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Energy	Adam Quiñonez	Emilye Reeb
♦ Green Technology Financing	Adam Quiñonez	Soren Nelson
Finance & Investments	Adam Quiñonez	Emilye Reeb
Fish and Wildlife Protection	Wendy Ridderbusch	Soren Nelson
♦ Fish Screens	Wendy Ridderbusch	Soren Nelson
♦ Streambed Alteration Agreements	Wendy Ridderbusch	Soren Nelson
Flood Protection	Wendy Ridderbusch	Emilye Reeb
Flood Plain Management	Wendy Ridderbusch	Emilye Reeb
FPPC	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Fracking	Adam Quiñonez	Richard Filgas
Groundwater / Conjunctive Use	Adam Quiñonez	Soren Nelson
Insurance & Liability	Adam Quiñonez	Emilye Reeb
Integrated Regional Water Management	Adam Quiñonez	Soren Nelson
LAFCO (Local Agency Formation Commission)	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Land Use & Planning	Kris Anderson	Soren Nelson
Levees	Wendy Ridderbusch	Emilye Reeb
Local Government Organization	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb

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Metal Theft	Kris Anderson	Soren Nelson
Mutual Water Companies	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Natural Community Conservation Plans (NCCPs)	Wendy Ridderbusch	Soren Nelson
Natural Disasters / Droughts	Wendy Ridderbusch	Soren Nelson
Occupational Safety & Health	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Open Meeting Laws (Brown Act)	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Parks & Recreation	Wendy Ridderbusch	Soren Nelson
Political Reform Act	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Privatization	Wendy Ridderbusch	Emilye Reeb
Proposition 218 & Proposition 26	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Property Tax Shifts, Raids, & ERAF	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Public Contracts	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Public Employees Retirement System (PERS)	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Public Records Act	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Recycled Water	Wendy Ridderbusch	Emilye Reeb
♦ Desalination	Wendy Ridderbusch	Emilye Reeb
Safe Drinking Water	Cindy Tuck	Soren Nelson
Special Districts	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
♦ Consolidation	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
State Budget	Adam Quiñonez	Emilye Reeb
Stormwater	Adam Quiñonez	Emilye Reeb
Subdivision Map Act	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Water Bonds	Cindy Tuck	Soren Nelson
Water Quality	Adam Quiñonez	Emilye Reeb
♦ Hazardous Substances / Toxics	Adam Quiñonez	Emilye Reeb
♦ Nonpoint Sources	Adam Quiñonez	Emilye Reeb
♦ Solid Waste	Adam Quiñonez	Emilye Reeb
♦ Underground Storage Tanks	Adam Quiñonez	Emilye Reeb
♦ Wastewater Treatment	Adam Quiñonez	Emilye Reeb
Water Resources Development	Adam Quiñonez	Soren Nelson
Water Rights	Kris Anderson	Soren Nelson
Water Storage	Kris Anderson	Soren Nelson
Water Transfers	Adam Quiñonez	Soren Nelson
♦ Water Marketing	Adam Quiñonez	Soren Nelson
Water Use Efficiency / Water Conservation	Adam Quiñonez	Emilye Reeb
Watershed Protection (Headwaters)	Wendy Ridderbusch	Richard Filgas
Wetlands	Wendy Ridderbusch	Soren Nelson
Wild & Scenic Rivers	Wendy Ridderbusch	Soren Nelson
Workers' Compensation	Kris Anderson	Emilye Reeb
Public Goods Charge/Water Tax (WRIF)	Cindy Tuck	Soren Nelson