## Welcome, Water Supply Advisory Committee Meeting Attendees!

Welcome! Help yourself to a snack or drink from the refreshment table.

Here are a few pieces of information that may enhance the value of your participation in our WSAC meeting.

## The Internet

To log onto the internet please use the wifi code and password displayed in the meeting room.

Here are links you might find useful:

- The Committee's website www.santacruzwatersupply.com
- The best place to leave comments about the quality of this meeting is on our SurveyMonkey site as follows:
  - For Thursday's session: https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/ZQBMJH3
  - o For Friday's session: https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/ZWXQZS6

The facilitator pays close attention to your evaluations on this website and has already made several design changes to accommodate the public's suggestions. Please keep helping us improve the quality of these meetings.

## **Public Comment**

When the Committee developed its charter, the members decided to have public comment at the beginning of each day's session and at the end of the entire two-day meeting, and also to have public comment on major decisions. Typically they don't have public comment for each agenda item and they limit the amount of public comment so that the meeting stays close to its schedule.

The Committee wants members of the public to feel free to speak their mind on the controversial issues that it discusses. Committee members also expect members of the public to speak civilly and respectfully during these meetings. If you don't meet these expectations the facilitator will help you to re-frame or re-phrase your comments. If it is impossible to find a civil and respectful way to say what you want to say, we'll ask you to stop speaking.

## The Committee's Process

Committee decisions are made by consensus.

The Committee completed a first pass of the water policy question (Reconnaissance or Recon) in December and is now working on a second pass (the 'Solutions Phase'). The February, March, and April/May meetings were dedicated mainly to scenario analysis. The June meeting is focused mainly on further analyses of strategies favored during the work with scenario analysis.