

## General Manager's Meeting Summary – May 2017

**5/1: US Army Corps of Engineers North Area Site Visit.** I attended this site visit to show USACE staff and consultants the levees and drainage patterns in the Rio Linda Area. Paul Devereux from RD1000 was also present and he explained some of the history of the development of the levees.

**5/1: SAFCA Agency Staff meeting.** I attended this meeting to coordinate on local flood control topics. Items of discussion included SAFCA's North Area Streams project, water quality investigations in Natomas, and State Department of Fish and Wildlife mowing constraints.

**5/3: DWR Spring Levee Inspection.** Field Supervisor Kawamura and I met with DWR Levee Inspector Max Khashchuk to review items noted in the District's Spring Inspection. Approximately 90% of the items were footpath erosion damage on levee slopes.

**5/4: SAFCA CCAD2 Invoicing meeting.** I attended this meeting to discuss invoicing requirements deemed necessary by SAFCA to obtain future CCAD money. Staff at SAFCA envisioned the District invoicing SAFCA for specific tasks associated with 'exceptional maintenance' referenced in the CCAD Agreement. I indicated that all of the O&M performed by the District fits into this category and there isn't really a way to differentiate items we wouldn't be doing without the CCAD funding.

**5/9: County of Sacramento Pump Station D-10 Repair meeting.** I attended this meeting to help form a strategy for repairing the sinkhole in the levee at County Pump Station D-10. County crews will continue performing video inspections on all of the outfall pipes and the gravity drain riser. SAFCA will contact the Central Valley Flood Protection Board to see if the County can perform the sinkhole earthwork under emergency permission.

**5/15: SAFCA Meeting on the North Sac Streams OMRR&R Agreement.** I met with staff and consultants from SAFCA to begin discussions on the new Operations, Maintenance, Repair, Replacement, and Rehabilitation agreement required for the North Sacramento Streams project. The new agreement is required by the State because the State is issuing grant money to construct the project. The terms of the agreement are more stringent than previous O&M agreements.

**5/15: SAFCA Agency Staff meeting.** I attended this meeting to coordinate on local flood control topics. Items of discussion included SAFCA's North Area Streams project, and District invoicing for CCAD2.

**5/16: US Army Corps of Engineers Levee Tour.** Field Supervisor Kawamura and I met with staff from the USACE that were participating in a levee inspection training class. Approximately 40 students attended from all over the country. Staff from the State Central Valley Flood Protection Board was also present to issue a short briefing.

**5/17: County of Sacramento Pump Station D-10 Repair Site Visit.** I attended this visit to inspect the sinkhole in the levee at County Pump Station D-10.

**5/18: River District Bike Trails meeting.** I attended this meeting with City Parks staff and Tony Bertrand from City Utilities to discuss adding information kiosks to sites along the levee in the River District. I informed the group that the most acceptable spots would likely be widened areas or turnouts so that the kiosks did not impact the already narrow working space for levee maintenance.

**5/19: American River Flood Control District Board of Trustees meeting.** The Board met in regular session. The agenda items included the 2016 Lower American River Erosion Inspection and a Scope of Services for WSP to perform District Assessment work.

**5/23: American River Flood Control District Finance Committee meeting.** The Committee met to review the Investment Policy, Credit Card Policy, Reserve Fund Policy, FY 2017-18 Budget, and FY2017-18 5-Year Plan.