

# THE CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

*"67,000 acres of diversified family farms in San Joaquin County, California"*  
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Dear Landowner:

In February 2020, the Bureau of Reclamation released surface water allocations for the New Melones Unit of the Central Valley Project. The District has received a full allocation of 80,000 acre feet of surface water for the 2020 irrigation season. Any users interested in taking surface water during the 2020 irrigation season should contact the District Office. The District's delivery of surface water beneficially addresses the over-drafted conditions of the groundwater basin and delivery of surface water this year is expected to start on or about April 15, 2020.

To update you on District activity, the District has approved an application to San Joaquin County LAFCO for a potential merger with the Stockton East Water District. This application was approved by the Board after the public meeting held on March 12, 2020. Further, the District has adopted a groundwater sustainability plan to comply with State Regulations.

Please be reminded that the District continues to make financial assistance available for surface water pumping facilities to acreage that has previously been irrigated solely from groundwater. You are encouraged to contact the District regarding this program at (209) 466-7952. For information regarding current District activities please refer to the District website at [www.csjwcd.com](http://www.csjwcd.com).

Very Truly Yours,

Board of Directors  
Central San Joaquin Water  
Conservation District