

11/1: Dry Creek North Levee Flood Safety Plan meeting. I met with Nicole Ortega-Jewel from MBK Engineers to provide information on the development of a new Flood Safety Plan for the District. MBK was tasked by SAFCA to develop the FSP for the Dry Creek Levee Accreditation effort. The plan can be written general enough to be applicable to the entire District.

11/2: Bureau of Reclamation Reservoir Operations meeting. Pete Ghelfi from SAFCA scheduled this meeting so that County Office of Emergency Services staff and ARFCD could meet with the Bureau's reservoir operators for Folsom Dam. Roger Ince from County OES and I shared the local perspective of the need to receive flood release information as soon as possible to schedule downstream efforts. Bureau staff described their challenges for requesting release change orders then having to adjust plans based on new hydrologic forecasts.

11/10: American River Flood Control District Board of Trustees meeting. The Board met in regular session. The agenda item included an encroachment permit application for installation of a sewer line crossing of the District levee at Coda Lane.

11/13: DWR Annual Flood Fight Training. District staff attended this annual training to refresh our knowledge of levee patrolling and flood fight methods. The first half of the day consisted of classroom instruction and videos and the second half consisted of deploying flood fight methods in the field. Trustee Holloway attended the classroom training and was impressed with the DWR videos.

11/15: Central Valley Flood Protection Board Coordination Committee meeting. I attended this meeting to hear presentations on the progress of the 2017 Flood Critical Sites repairs. DWR presented a status update on the number of sites submitted and those to be repaired by the USACE and those to be repaired by DWR. Some sites will not be repaired prior to flood season and the State has prepared site specific contingency plans to be administered by the local Levee Maintaining Agencies.

11/21: Sprint Fiber Optic Encroachment Site Visit. I met with Sprint's field technician Ed Perez and Tim Williams from Kelifelder Associates to locate the buried fiber optic line at the junction of Arcade Creek and the NEMDC. The line is believed to cross directly under the location of some excessive seepage noted in January and February 2017.

11/27: SAFCA Agency Staff meeting. I attended this meeting to coordinate on local flood control topics. Items of discussion included the Yolo Bypass working group, the City's contingency plans for two flood damage sites, ARFCD's repair of numerous homeless camp damage sites, and RD 1000's treatment of a critical erosion site on the Garden Highway.

11/30: American River Flood Control District Newsletter Committee meeting. The Committee met to review the Winter 2017-18 Newsletter. The Newsletter will be presented to the District Board of Trustees for final approval at their December meeting.