

**AMADOR WATER AGENCY
OUTREACH AND LEGISLATION COMMITTEE
(Directors Farrington and Deaver)**

September 26, 2023 10:00 a.m.
12800 Ridge Road, Sutter Creek, CA 95685
and Zoom

AGENDA

PUBLIC NOTICE: Members of the public will have the opportunity to directly address the Committee members concerning any item within the Committee's jurisdiction.

This meeting will be conducted both in person and by Zoom. Members of the public may participate in the meeting either in person or by using the dial in information below:

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1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

3. LEGISLATION

Staff will report on the end of the legislative session, advocacy regarding enactment or veto, and ongoing advocacy regarding bond proposals.

4. DISCUSSION ON FACILITY TOURS JOINTLY WITH OTHER ELECTED OFFICIALS

5. OTHER OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES

6. ADJOURNMENT

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OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES (9/1/23)

Dandelion Days: Mid-March. Street Fair in Jackson. Two days, 8 – 5 pm. Outdoors. There are some info-type booths. Guessing the crowd will be much like the county fair, and many out-of-towners.

Celebrate Our Children Amador Child Care Council 3rd or 4th Sat in April.

Argonaut High School. Free family event, 40+ agencies and service providers have booths with activities for kids. Attendance: several hundred locals.

lone Homecoming: Second weekend in May, Friday 4 pm – 8 pm? & Saturday, 11 am – 7 pm? \$50 booth fee. AWA was encouraged by organizers to have a booth. Guessing the crowd will be much like the county fair, virtually all lone locals.

Smokechasers Festival, Amador County Fairgrounds: 3rd Sat in May. A one-day outdoor fire safety and live music festival for the whole family. Fire engines, boats, helicopters, canine teams, and first responders. “Learn fire safety with games, demonstrations, and more. Great food, a beer and wine garden, cigar and bourbon pairings, vendors, and live entertainment.” Locals, lots of related agency people.

Italian Picnic Parade – first Sunday in June. Sutter Creek. AWA has entered a float or car in the past, with directors or employee kids riding.

Amador County Fair – Last weekend in July. Booth, window display, award sponsorship opportunities. In future, if booth is desired, ask for a table on the Mercantile Lawn with elected officials, fire, etc. agencies.

lone National Night Out Held August 1 in 2023. Evening event. In 2023, the hospital and other non-LE agencies participated. “Hosted by the lone Police Department and other police agencies nationwide to enhance the partnership between citizens, businesses, and law enforcement communities. ... This year we are bringing county-wide resources together for our community.” Lightly attended in 2023.

Chamber Mixer – October 2024? Director Deaver suggested co-hosting with Amador Flower Farm, Plymouth. Hosts provide venue and catering for up to 100.

Chamber has the bar. Mixer assignments for 2024 will be made before the end of the year.

Chamber of Commerce Business Expo – Date TBD. New event under planning for June 2023. Several mini-sessions on topics of interest to small business, plus info and vendor booths. Italian Picnic Grounds, Sutter Creek.

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

Upcountry Rotary – Director Farrington invited. No date set.

Sons in Retirement, Pioneer -- Director Farrington invited. No date set.

District 3 Community Council – Second Monday of the month. Director Farrington is a regular speaker.