

2023 NHA California Regional Meeting

Attendee List

As of 12.7.23

First Name	Last Name	Title	Organization
Erdom	Abraham	Supervising HEP Utility Engineer	California Department of Water Resources (DWR)
Rory	Alsberg	Senior Business Development Manager	J.F. Brennan Company, Inc.
Emily	Applequist		Stillwater Sciences
Asal	Bardsiri		California Department of Water Resources (DWR)
Scott	Barker	Manager, Generation Maintenance	Sacramento Municipal Utility District (SMUD)
Graham	Barnes	Project Engineer	Mesa Associates, Inc.
Marla	Barnes	Vice President of Member and Industry Engagements	National Hydropower Association
Seth	Barnett	Regional Service Manager	Mazzella
Jonas	Batten	Senior Vice President	HydroPoint
Suzanne	Biddle	General Manager, Hydro Generation, Power Operations	Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA)
Vivek	Bidwai	SVP	Freestone International LLC
James	Boag	Senior Managing Engineer, Mechanical Water Resources	McMillen Inc.
Randy	Bowersox	Hydropower Market Executive	Gannett Fleming, Inc.
Tim	Buller	Civil Engineer/Engineering Manager	Black & Veatch Corporation
Jarvis	Caldwell	Resources Cross Sector Program Lead	HDR
Robert	Cannon	Principal/Sr. Vice President	Schnabel Engineering
David	Capka	Director, Division of Dam Safety and Inspections, Office of Energy Projects	Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC)
Matthew	Chan	National Business Line - Energy	WSP
John	Chesterton	Principal Project Manager - Dams	Mott MacDonald
Russell	Chetwynd	Service Manager	National Electric Coil
Roger	Clarke-Johnson	Sales and Marketing Director`	Mercury Governor Group
Redgie	Collins	Legal and Policy Director	California Trout (CalTrout)
Dillon	Cowan	Superintendent of Pardee	East Bay Municipal Utility District
James	Cox	Staff Services Manager	California Department of Water Resources (DWR)
Russell	Cruzen	Director of Project Execution	Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E)
Chris	Curtis	Lead Managing Electrical Engineer	McMillen Inc.
Tom	Cuthbert	CTO	Emrgy, Inc.
Amy	Deakyne	Regional Leader Dams and Hydropower	KGS Group International Inc. USA
Katia	Debian	Hydro Account Leader, Southeast US	GE Vernova
Nicolas	Dehlinger	Electrical Design Engineer	GE Vernova

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Rebecca	Doidge	Principal Strategic Consultant	Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E)
Sandy	Duran	Marketing Manager	McMillen Inc.
Wayne	Dyok	Principal	H2O EcoPower
Marissa	Emmons	Vice President	McMillen Inc.
Daniel	Ensminger	Safety Program Manager, Principal / Fire Controls Program Manager Asset Management Excellence	Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E)
Desmond	Feher	Office Manager: Mechanical Engineering Services, Operations and Maintenance - Mechanical	California Department of Water Resources (DWR)
Thomas	Fitzgerald	Principal	Schnabel Engineering
Fred	Foster	CA Business Manager	Global Diving & Salvage, Inc.
Nick	Frye	PM	Mazzella
Kyle	Gage	Project Engineer/Manager	Mesa Associates, Inc.
Diana	Gallegos	Principal Manager	GreenGenStorage
Val	Gardner	Business Development	Worthington Products, Inc.
Iman	Ghorbani	Senior Lead Civil/ Structural Engineer	WSP
Kirby	Gilbert	Vice President, Business Development	Stantec
Ginger	Gillin	Vice President - Principal Environmental Scientist	GEI Consultants, Inc.
Matthew	Giovannoni	Principal Dam Safety Engineer	Sacramento Municipal Utility District (SMUD)
Suzanne	Grassell	Senior Policy Advisor	Chelan County PUD
Rod	Graybeal	Director of Western Operations	Thompson HCMS
Jim	Greene	Dive Operations Manager, CA Region	Global Diving & Salvage, Inc.
Bridgette	Gullatta	Business Development	Integrated Power Services (IPS)
Francesca	Hadjimichael	Director of Meetings and Events	National Hydropower Association
Fred	Hambly		Thompson HCMS
Brett	Hanshew	Senior Biologist	Sequoia Ecological Consulting, Inc.
Chris	Hawkins	Senior Mechanical Engineer	Hetch Hetchy Water & Power
Chris	Hayes	Senior Advisor, Technical Programs & Training	National Hydropower Association
Michael	Haynes	Interim General Manager/CEO	Seattle City Light
Jason	Heilman	Vice President of Sales and Marketing	American Hydro Corporation
Jeanne	Hilsinger	President	Mavel Americas, Inc.
Wilbur	Huang	Asset Management	California Department of Water Resources (DWR)

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Jason	Kapelina	Manager, Power Systems & Generators	WEG
Vijay	Karunanithi	Project Manager	Black & Veatch Corporation
Robin	Kent	Project Manager	HDR
Brad	Koehn	Chief Operating Officer	Turlock Irrigation District
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Elizabeth	Lawson	Senior Hydraulic Engineer, North Central Region - Water Program	California Department of Fish and Wildlife
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Joel	Ledesma	Director, Power Generation	Sacramento Municipal Utility District (SMUD)
Russ	Liebig	Senior Fisheries and Wildlife Biologist	Stillwater Sciences
Andy	Lockwood	Project Manager	Black & Veatch Corporation
Joseph	LoSasso	Director of Corporate Partnerships and Senior Manager of Industry Engagement	National Hydropower Association
Shannon	Luoma	Licensing and Regulatory Section Manager	Kleinschmidt Associates
Peter	MacLennan	Vice President, Service and Automation	Voith Hydro Inc.
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Mark	Ramsey	US West Tunnels Practice Leader	Mott MacDonald
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Emily	Schwartz	Civil Works Operations Lead	Black & Veatch Corporation
Charles	Sensiba	Partner	Troutman Pepper Hamilton Sanders LLP
Dan	Severson	Assistant General Manager-Power Supply	Turlock Irrigation District
Ravi	Sharma	Manager for O&M Strategic Plan Implementation	California Department of Water Resources (DWR)
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Nick	Smith	Business Development Manager	American Babbitt
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Roger	Spain	Director of Finance and Corporate Operations	Litostroj Power
Craig	Springford	Director of Sales and Marketing	Petrotech, Inc.
Thomas	St. John	Project Manager Hydro -Regulatory & Legislative Policy	Alabama Power Company
John	Stender	Service Manager	National Electric Coil
Kate	Stirr	Director of Communications & External Affairs	Natel Energy, Inc.
Joe	Sweeney	Sr. Account Executive	Emerson
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David	Taylor	Hydropower Lead	Mott MacDonald
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Heidi	Wahto	Principal, Licensing and Regulatory Lead	Stantec
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Sharon	White	Partner	Rock Creek Energy Group
Malcolm	Woolf	President and CEO	National Hydropower Association
John	Yarbrough	SWP Assistant Deputy Director, Executive Office	California Department of Water Resources (DWR)