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JOINT INFORMATIONAL HEARING
SENATE GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE AND
NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER COMMITTEES
HERTZBERG AND PAVLEY, CHAIRS

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2:30 p.m., Room 3191

Strategies and Innovations in Financing
Local Stormwater and Dry Weather Runoff Improvements

A G E N D A

Opening Comments from Committee Chairs Senators Hertzberg and Pavley

- I. Current challenges to funding stormwater and dry weather runoff projects
 - Ellen Hanak, Public Policy Institute of California
 - Chris Berch, Inland Empire Utilities Agency
- II. How have we financed projects so far?
 - Martin L. Adams, Los Angeles Department of Water and Power
 - Dr. Nancy L. C. Steele, Council for Watershed Health
 - Deborah Weinstein Bloome, TreePeople
- III. Emerging approaches to financing stormwater management
 - Andrea Roess, Managing Director, David Taussig & Associates
 - Esther Feldman, President, Community Conservation Solutions
 - Celeste Cantú, General Manager, SAWPA
 - Gary Hildebrand, Deputy Director, L.A. County Department of Public Works
- IV. Public Comment