

Agenda
Public Meeting

California Water Service Company
Los Altos-Suburban District

Urban Water Management Plan & Conservation Master Plan

May 4, 2011
5:00 to 7:00 pm

- Purpose of this Meeting
- Introduction of California Water Service Company Staff
- Presentation of the Urban Water Management Plan
- Presentation of the Conservation Master Plan
- Public Comments & Questions

Where to send comments - comments in writing will be accepted through June 15, 2011

Urban Water Management Plan to:

Thomas A. Salzano, Water Resource Planning Supervisor
California Water Service Company
1720 North First Street
San Jose, CA 95112-4598
tsalzano@calwater.com

Conservation Master Plan to:

Kenneth G. Jenkins, Conservation Manager
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Or by email at kjenkins@calwater.com

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**CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY
LOS ALTOS SUBURBAN DISTRICT**

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