

CALIFORNIA COOPERATIVE SNOW SURVEYS PROGRAM

ESTABLISHED 1929

P. O. BOX 219000, Sacramento, California 95821

October 1, 2014

Dear Cooperators:

We are pleased to announce that the 60th Annual Cooperators' Meeting of the Snow Survey Program will be held at the North Tahoe Events Center in Kings Beach, CA, November 5-7, 2014. The preferred lodging location is at **Ferrari's Crown Resort** which is steps away from the Events Center. They have a variety of room sizes and layouts to accommodate all needs. We recommend calling the Crown to discuss your lodging needs and let them know you are attending the *California Cooperative Snow Surveys Meeting* at the Events Center.

Reservations for the rooms can be made by calling the resort at (800) 645-2260. For pictures of the various rooms: <http://www.tahoecrown.com/lakefront-rooms> . Directions can be found at: <http://www.tahoecrown.com/lake-tahoe-map-directions> . If you prefer to stay elsewhere, there are many other lodging options close to the meeting location. Please note, breakfast will not be included in this year's registration and there is no free parking at the Events Center (parking at the adjacent State Beach has a daily fee), so consider that in your lodging preference. For information about dining and lodging in the Kings Beach area, see: <http://www.gotahoenorth.com/resorts-and-towns/kings-beach>

Registration for the Meeting will be **\$110** this year and includes both lunch and the annual banquet for Thursday, November 6. An optional field session, on November 5, will take place at location near Donner Summit (details to follow). Registration for the conference for those who wish to attend the field session is **\$130** and will include a bag lunch for the field session.

Please fill out and send the enclosed meeting registration form with payment to our office as soon as possible. **The deadline for registration and payment is Wednesday, October 22nd** as we must give a headcount to the resort and caterer. **No Walk-In Registration is available this year.** The tentative agenda is attached.

We look forward to seeing all of you at this meeting. If you have any questions please don't hesitate to call Frank at (916) 574-2635 or e-mail Frank.Gehrke@water.ca.gov, or Dave at (916) 574-2983 or e-mail at David.Rizzardo@water.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Frank Gehrke, Chief
California Cooperative Snow Surveys Program
Division of Flood Management

Dave Rizzardo, Chief
Snow Surveys Section
Division of Flood Management

Attachment

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SIXTIETH ANNUAL MEETING OF COOPERATORS

November 5-7, 2014

Kings Beach – North Lake Tahoe, CA

TENTATIVE AGENDA

☼☼☼☼ Wednesday, November 5 – Central Sierra Snow Lab (Tentative) ☼☼☼☼

- 1200-1630 Lunch Forum: Cooperators' Roles, Experiences, and Challenges
Snow Surveying Field and Equipment Training
Snow Surveying Note Taking Training
Safety Training: Backcountry Dangers, Avalanches, and Recommendations
- 1900 Meeting Check-In / Social Hour – N. Tahoe Events Center – Kings Beach, CA

☼☼☼☼ Thursday, November 6 – North Tahoe Events Center ☼☼☼☼

- 0800-0900 Meeting Check-In
- 0900-1030 DWR Hydrology Branch and Climate Program Highlights Session
- 1030-1200 Cooperator Reports and Activities Session
- 1200-1300 Lunch – On Site – Vendor Demos
- 1300-1700 Advances in Hydrologic Modeling and Academic Research Session
- 1700 Adjourn
- 1830 Annual Banquet – On Site

☼☼☼☼ Friday, November 7 – North Lake Tahoe Events Center ☼☼☼☼

- 0800-1000 Field Maintenance Review
- 1000-1100 Wilderness Access and Permits Forum
- 1100-1200 Miscellaneous Topics and Safety Topics
- 1200 Adjourn

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Registration Choices (indicate in box the number of each type of registration):

\$110 – CCSS Annual Meeting Registration

\$130 – CCSS Annual Meeting Registration PLUS Nov. 5 Field Session

Please return this form directly to the Snow Surveys Section with your total registration. Your receipt will be provided at the meeting.

Make checks payable to "CCSS" and mail the completed form with check to:

**California Cooperative Snow Surveys
P.O. Box 219000
Sacramento, CA 95821**

Attendee: _____ Telephone: (____) - _____

Title: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Check # _____ Amount : _____

If you are registering more than one person using this form please list each name and their email address below:

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Attendee: Bob Bobsledder Telephone: (916) - BOB-SLED

Title: Hydro-Bob Sledder

Organization: NORTHERN CALIF. Bobsledding Agency

Address: 123 Bobsled Blvd.

Fremont, CA 91234

E-Mail Address: bob@sled.com

Check # 9123 Amount: \$ 350

If you are registering more than one person using this form please list each name and their email address below:

2. Bobette Bobsledder (bobette@sled.com)
3. Bucky Bobsledder (bucky@sled.com) * ATTENDING NOV. 5 FIELD SESSION

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