

Preliminary Program Outline (Annual Conference 2026)

(Subject to Change)

Tuesday, August 4

- 1:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. CEF Fundraiser: Golf Tournament (Eagle Vines)
- 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. CSRMA Executive Board Meeting

Wednesday, August 5

- 7:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. CSRMA Training Seminar
- 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Registration
- 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. CASA Education Foundation Meeting
- 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. CASA Board of Directors Meeting
- 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Women’s Networking Meeting
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. CSRMA Board of Directors Meeting
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Associates Committee Meeting
- 12:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Lunch on Your Own
- 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Optional Tour: Napa San
- 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Optional Event: CEF Fundraiser: Wine Tasting Event

1:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. **Concurrent Sessions (Tracks)**

	Director’s Track	Resiliency and BACEN Track
Track 1A: Wipes and Workforce Development Moderator: Jessica Gauger	Track 2A: Maintaining Continuity: Local Agency Project Spotlights Moderator: TBD	Track 3A: BACEN Bits Moderator: Sarah Deslauriers
Track 1B: Funding for Wastewater Projects Moderator: Spencer Saks	Track 2B: Insurance and Rating Issues and Updates Moderator: Andy Morris, Elsinore Valley MWD	Track 3B: Circular Resources Panel Moderator: Maile Lono-Batura

- 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. Track 1A, 2A, 3A
- 2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Networking **Break**
- 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Track 1B, 2B, 3B

Track 1B: Full Session Description: Project funding can be a daunting task. Balancing reserves, rate increases, debt financing options, and grant funds takes plenty of planning and flawless execution. In this session, we discuss various funding strategies for wastewater infrastructure, including:

- Grants, Direct Appropriations, and Earmarks
- Revenues and Reserves
- Debt Financing:
 - Bonds
 - Private Placements
 - Government Loans (USDA, SRF, WIFIA)

A case study of the Las Gallinas Valley Sanitary District will dive into the details of funding a \$100 million CIP.

A market update will be provided, because even though we may not always know what the future holds, we should always know where we stand right now.

5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. CSRMA 40th Anniversary Celebration Reception

Thursday, August 6

7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Breakfast

7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Registration

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Engineering & Research Group Meeting

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Communications Committee Meeting

9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. **Morning Sessions & Business Meeting**
President Tony Trembley, Presiding

9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m. Welcome Address: Mayor of Napa (?)

9:15 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Keynote: TBD

10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Telling the Infrastructure Need Story

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. **Data Centers and Clean Water Agencies: What You Need to Know**

11:30 – 11:40 a.m. **Annual Business Meeting**
CASA President Tony Trembley

11:40 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Networking Break

12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Luncheon**

Michael F. Dillon Award Presentation
CASA Awards of Excellence Winners
CASA Education Foundation Presentation
Passing of the Gavel

1:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

Networking Break

1:45 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Afternoon Sessions: Legislative Engagement in Focus

1:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

State Legislative Committee Meeting
Note: Description of open to all, special presentation, report, etc.

3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.

Networking Break

3:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Federal Legislative Committee Meeting
Note: Description of open to all, special presentation, report, etc.

5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Associates Reception

Friday, August 7

7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Breakfast

8:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.

Registration

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Statewide Biosolids Meeting

9:15 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Closing Session
Vice President Rita Duncan, Presiding

9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Assemblymember Cecilia Aguiar-Curry (JG)

9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Closing Keynote: Joaquin Esquivel, Chair, SWRCB

10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Annalise Blum, PPIC – Water Quality Report and Upcoming Projects

10 :30 a.m. – 11 :00 a.m.

Understanding the Shifting Legal Landscape
- Speakers from CASA Law Symposium (JV)

11:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.

Closing Business Session

- 2024-2025 Board of Director Elections Results
- President’s Closing Remarks

11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

General Managers Meeting Roundtable and Lunch

11:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Attorneys Committee Meeting