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Levee District 1 Board Members
Levee District 9 Board Members
Sutter Butte Flood Control Agency Board Members

Dear Board Members:

It has come to SCTA's attention that there will be a joint meeting of Levee District 1 and Levee District 9 on Monday, August 6, at the Sutter County Board of Supervisors Chambers starting at 8 a.m. We have questions and concerns.

- It was stated at the July 12 Levee District 9 meeting that this would be an "emergency meeting" which would not require the normal 72-hour notice for a public meeting. Since the meeting was in the works on July 12 and it is more than two weeks away from today, we believe the meeting should be properly advertised as a public meeting.
- We are concerned that the meeting will begin at 8 a.m. on a week-day morning which will preclude many from attending.
- It was stated at the July meeting that the subject of the meeting was the establishment of a Special Benefit Assessment District to expand the assessment areas of LD 1 and LD 9 and hold a 218 election to increase our property assessments. Please email us the agenda for that meeting so we know what issues will be presented and voted on. The establishment of a new "Special Benefit Assessment District," is an issue that should be widely publicized so citizens have an opportunity to hear what is planned and how it will affect them.
- SCTA was promised, in SBFCA's March 27 letter signed by Board Chairman Steve Lambert that we would be provided an opportunity to review the levee districts' OMRR&Rs before they are put in place. To date we have received no information regarding the OMRR&Rs being considered for adoption.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Patricia A. Miller
President