

Dear Conference Delegate:

Welcome to ACWA's 2024 Washington, DC Conference. Thank you for joining us in our Nation's Capital. You are in DC at a unique time in history where we see extremely narrow majorities in both chambers of Congress. This means every vote is critical and your voice matters more than ever. Your voice will help ensure water policy and your priorities remain on the minds of decision makers as they grapple with the pressing issues facing this great nation.

The conference provides an opportunity to learn from our congressional delegation and the Biden Administration on such items as infrastructure investment, regulatory activities, western drought resiliency, wildfire/headwaters actions, water storage, recycling and drinking water issues. All these items represent how important it is to encourage our delegation to work together to help solve California's water problems. When California water succeeds, America prospers.

The DC Conference is an event that continues to evolve until almost the day you arrive in Washington. That said, below are a few notes on the process and itinerary during this three-day event.

With this letter, you are receiving the conference agenda, briefing book and the Tuesday Congressional Reception invitation. These materials are available attached to this e-mail should you wish to download them.

If you have any questions regarding the conference, please feel free to contact ACWA's Washington DC Team at madelinev@acwa.com. We look forward to welcoming you to Washington.

Sincerely,



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