



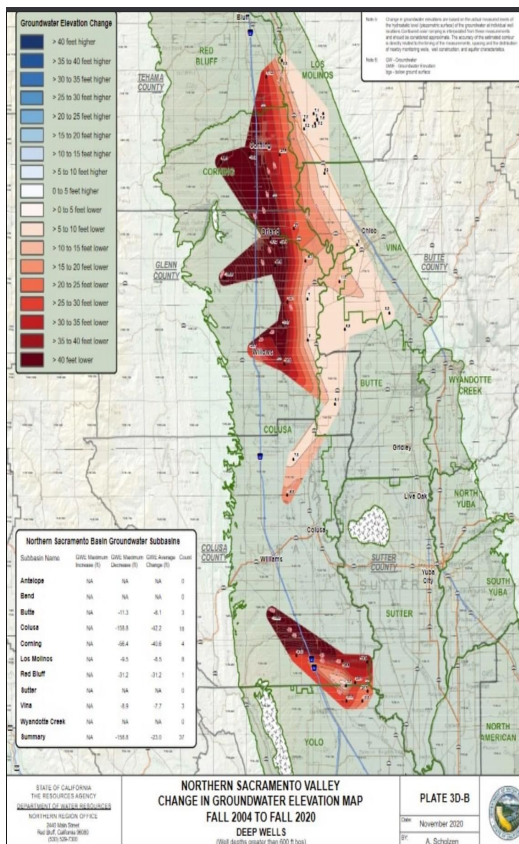
# UCCE Master Gardener's of Glenn County Newsgram

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## Drought Resources

CA is in another drought. We may be getting questions in the plant clinic about how to save water. Here is a list of some resources that we can use.

1. Some of the resources from the 2015 drought workshops we held in Orland and Willows are available on our web site. When you sign in you will see the link to the 2015 workshop on the left side of the page. A supply of the handouts from that workshop are also located in the office.
2. UCANR publication 8553 Keeping Plants Alive under Drought or Water Restrictions. Comprehensive handout that gives advice for keeping lawn, plants and trees alive with less water. Here is a link to the publication. <https://anrcatalog.ucanr.edu/pdf/8553.pdf>.
3. UNANR publication 8036 Water Conservation Tips for the Home Lawn and Garden. <https://anrcatalog.ucanr.edu/pdf/8036>
4. Checking sprinkler output and distribution uniformity. There are 2 sets of the small tin cans along with the handout describing how to use tin cans to calculate sprinkler output in the office. The sets can be loaned out for use by Master Gardeners or the public.
5. The CA Center for Urban Horticulture website, <https://ccuh.ucdavis.edu/resources/irrigation-management-resources>, lists management strategies and practices for conserving water and improving water efficiency.



6. The Sacramento Tree Foundation has a tip sheet for watering trees. This tip sheet gives easy to understand information about watering trees right from the start when they are first planted until they are mature. It explains how to water trees separate from lawn watering. A copy is in the reference binder. <https://www.sactree.com/assets/Drought%20tree%20care%20tips.pdf>

7. The Water Use Classification of Landscape Species (WUCLS) is a searchable data base that will show the water needs of landscape plants. The data base can be searched by a plant name or you can add characteristics of a plant and it will generate a list of plants. [https://ucanr.edu/sites/WUCOLS/Plant\\_Search/](https://ucanr.edu/sites/WUCOLS/Plant_Search/)

Map showing the change in groundwater elevation in Sacramento Valley. Map from the CA Dept of Water Resources.



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## Master Gardener Business

### Monthly Meeting

Our next meeting will be on July 7 at 1:00. We will be meeting in the office.

### Continuing Education and Volunteer Hours

Please go into VMS and complete. If you need help we can do that after the meeting on July 7. Have reappointment completed by July 15.

### COVID Safety Plan and Mask Policy

Glenn County UCCE has a new "Location COVID-19 Prevention Plan". A copy of the plan has been filed in VMS under the documents tab found on the left side of the welcome screen. Below is a summary of some of the key points that apply to volunteers in the office.

1. Volunteers may not to come to the office or engage in in-person UC ANR-sponsored activities if they have symptoms of, have been exposed to, or diagnosed with COVID-19 until symptoms have resolved or negative test results are provided.
2. Volunteers who come into the office for extended periods of time must complete a screening survey upon arrival and that they may not stay in the office without clearance. Each time a Master gardener goes to the office, go to the front desk. Sign the visitor log and complete the screening survey.
3. Individual offices, workspaces, common areas, meeting rooms must be cleaned and disinfected after being used. A supply of disinfecting wipes is located in the Master gardener office. After a volunteer uses the room, the keyboards, mice, phone, work tables and other used surfaces should be wiped down. If the conference room is used the tables should be wiped down after use.

Mask Policy –UCANR has updated their mask protocol for employees, volunteers and participants. Persons who have been full vaccinated for COVID-19 do not need to wear face coverings or masks in most public settings, with a few exceptions. Persons who have not been fully vaccinated must continue to wear a mask indoors in public settings and businesses.

To view the mask policy see the following link. <https://ucanr.edu/sites/safety/files/349125.pdf>

A copy of the mask policy can also be found in VMS.