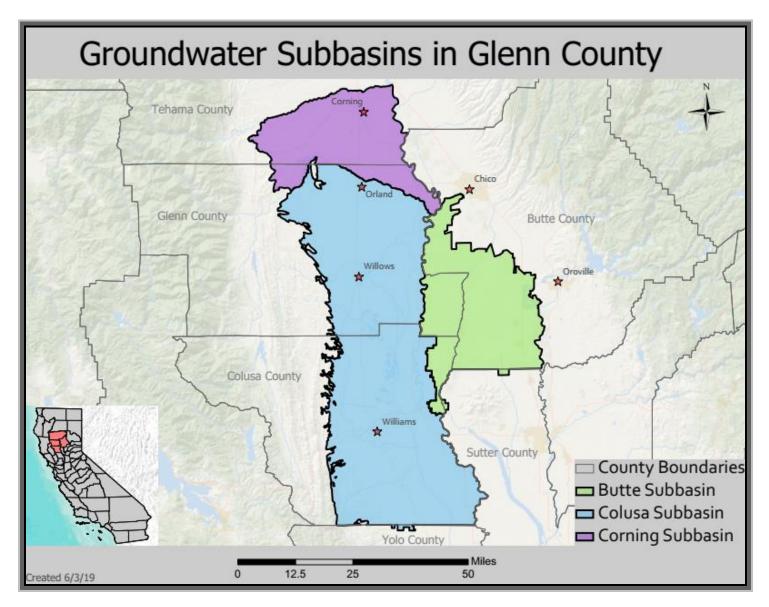
# SUSTAINABLE GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT IN GLENN COUNTY

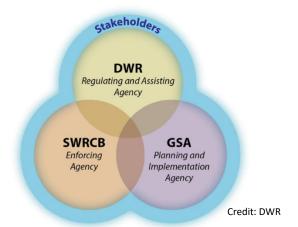
### WHAT IS SGMA?

The Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA) passed in the fall of 2014 establishing a new structure for managing groundwater resources in California. The Department of Water Resources defines groundwater basins and subbasins and assigns a priority designation in relation to SGMA (High, Medium, Low, Very Low). High and Medium priority basins are required to be managed under SGMA by a Groundwater Sustainability Agency (GSA) or the State Water Resources Control Board. GSAs have the opportunity to manage groundwater at the local level by developing and implementing a Groundwater Sustainability Plan by 2022 and ensuring sustainable conditions by 2042 while avoiding six distinct undesirable results. If GSAs are not successful locally, the State Water Resources Control Board will intervene and assume responsibility for basin management. Glenn County has local GSA coverage and is currently compliant with SGMA.



# SUBBASINS AND GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCIES IN GLENN COUNTY

- Butte Subbasin
  - o Glenn County GSA
  - Reclamation District 1004
  - Reclamation District 2106
  - Western Canal Water District
- Colusa Subbasin
  - Glenn Groundwater Authority
- Corning Subbasin
  - Corning Sub-basin GSA



The County is part of two multiagency GSAs in the Colusa and Corning subbasins. The Butte Subbasin GSAs will retain their independent jurisdictional boundaries with the intent of submitting one Groundwater Sustainability Plan for the whole subbasin.

# **SGMA TIMELINE**

2017 2022 2042
Groundwater Sustainability Formation Sustainability Plans Groundwater Sustainability Plans Plans are fully implemented

Five Year Reports

Annual Updates

### WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

- Register on the Glenn County SGMA email list to receive meeting notifications and updates: glennsgma@countyofglenn.net
- Visit the Water Resources SGMA website for all subbasin information:
   https://www.countyofglenn.net/dept/agriculture/water-resources/sustainable-groundwater-management-act-sgma-0
- Contact Glenn County Water Resources Program Staff:

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