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To: Agencies and Interested Parties
From: Sacramento Area Flood Control Agency
Date: February 1, 2016
Subject: **Notice of Availability of a Draft Subsequent Program Environmental Impact Report for Updated Local Funding Mechanisms for Sacramento Area Flood Control Improvements**

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DOCUMENT AVAILABILITY

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PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

Written comments from the public, reviewing agencies, and interested parties will be accepted throughout the public comment period. Comments must be received by **5:00 p.m. on March 16, 2016**, at the following address or email address:

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