

California Advisory Committee on Geographic Names (CACGN)

Agenda

July 12, 2024

Hybrid Public Meeting

Sacramento, California

9:30 A.M. – 10:00 A.M. (Closed CACGN Session)

10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. (Public Session)

Public Meeting Address and Online Registration Link:

In Person Meeting Address	Online Registration Link
CA Natural Resource Agency HQ Building 715 P Street Sac. CA 95814 Room 2-201	Please click the public link below to join the webinar: https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_2aApViyWRai1PwcZXuVDUA Or Telephone: Dial: USA (216)-706-7075 US Toll USA (866)-390-1828 US Toll-free Conference code: 787909

Call to Order

1. Roll Call

- Introducing new member: James Newland, Department of Parks and Recreation

2. Agenda Changes

3. Approve Meeting Minutes from March 8th, 2024

4. Announcements:

- AB 2022 Next Steps and Tentative Timeline
- COGNA Meeting (September 16-19, 2024, Columbia, Missouri)
- Miscellaneous Items as Introduced by CACGN Committee Members

5. Actions made by CACGN and U.S. BGN since March 8, 2023

(If Case Status identifies the recommendation as CACGN, then the case is still pending U.S. BGN decision)

Proposed Name	Feature Type	County	Review List	US BGN/Task Force Decision Date	Case Status
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poš creek	Stream	Ventura	451	April 11, 2024	CACGN Recommended Approval and BGN Approved
xanwa flat	Flat	Ventura	451	April 11, 2024	CACGN Recommended Approval and BGN Approved
xutaš spring	Spring	Ventura	451	April 11, 2024	CACGN Recommended Approval and BGN Approved
Kilkenny Valley	Flat	Lake	452	TBD	CACGN Recommended Disapproval
China Wall Overlook	Summit	Nevada	453	TBD	CACGN Recommended Approval
Hidden Heart Falls	Falls	Riverside	450	TBD	CACGN Recommended Approval
James Wong Howe Creek	Stream	Tuolumne	440	TBD	CACGN Recommended Disapproval
Chinese Miners Creek	Stream	Tuolumne	451	TBD	CACGN Recommended Approval
Tumanguya	Summit	Tulare and Inyo	453	TBD	CACGN Recommended Disapproval
Yohala-mi	Summit	Shasta	452	TBD	CACGN Recommended Approval

Source: https://d9-wret.s3.us-west-2.amazonaws.com/assets/palladium/production/s3fs-public/media/files/DNC%20863_Apr11%202024_Minutes.pdf (Accessed June 26, 2024)

6. Names Proposals on Pending Review Lists

***Following committee discussion of each proposed name, public comments from the proponent, public officials, and general public will be accepted. The proponent and general members of the public will be given up to three minutes to speak.*

Proposals for CACGN Review and Discussion				
Proposed Name	Current Name	County	BGN List #	Assigned Member
Salamander Creek	N/A	Humboldt	450	Greg Lucas

*** The pending name proposals below have been deferred for discussion at a future CACGN meeting(s). No decisions will be made regarding the following proposals at this time. As such, committee review and formal public comment for these items will occur during later CACGN meetings. If you wish to comment on any of the below items, you may do so during the general public comment period and/or you may contact cacgn@resources.ca.gov.*

Proposals Deferred for Future CACGN Review and Discussion

Proposed Name	Current Name	County	BGN List #	Assigned Member
Ipuk Spiruk	Little Stonewall Peak	San Diego	446	James Newland
Ipuk Spiruk Creek	Little Stonewall Creek	San Diego	446	James Newland
Cush-Pii	Stonewall Peak	San Diego	446	James Newland
Cush-Pii Creek	Stonewall Creek	San Diego	446	James Newland
Black Miners Bar	Negro Bar	Sacramento	448	Susan Anderson
Klamath Straits and Klamath Strait Drain Outlet	Klamath Straits Drain	Klamath and Siskiyou	452	Richard Lis
Boomer Creek	N/A	Santa Cruz	452	Amy Loseth
Hoot Owl Lake	N/A	Nevada	453	Amy Loseth
mxqawlay'ba knowin xyoykith	N/A	Lake	453	Greg Lucas
Fifth of July Hill	N/A	San Bernardino	453	Richie Lis
Curran Canyon and Curran Creek	Kern Canyon and Kern Creek	Stanislaus	454	Raymond Hitchcock
Uypi Creek	N/A	Santa Cruz	454	Amy Loseth

7. New Proposals on Pending Review Lists to be Introduced

***Case assignments are subject to change following committee meeting discussion*

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Proposed Name	Current Name	County	Proposal Release Date	BGN List #	Assigned Member
Konocti	Kelseyville	Lake	January 23, 2024	454	TBD
Mitchell Ridge	N/A	Contra Costa	March 6, 2024	455	TBD
Sacred Buttes	Sutter Buttes	Sutter	March 21, 2024	455	TBD
Skate Island	N/A	Humboldt	February 7, 2024	455	TBD

8. General Public Comment

Public comments that are not related to any of the items specifically listed on the agenda for discussion will be heard for no more than one hour. At the discretion of the Chair, speakers may be given up to three minutes to speak. Due to the hybrid nature of the meeting, CACGN will not allow for the ceding of time from one speaker to another.

9. Time and Place of Next Meeting:

Proposed Fall AB 2022 meeting date: November 1, 2024 @ 9:30 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.

Proposed Fall AB 2022 meeting date: December 6, 2024 @ 9:30 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.

Proposed Fall CACGN meeting date: November 8, 2024 @ 9:30 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.
Proposed Spring CACGN meeting date: March 7, 2024 @ 9:30 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.

10. Adjourned

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(As of 07/12/2024)

Committee Members:

- Richard Lis, Department of Fish and Wildlife (Chair)
- Amy Loeth, Department of Conservation (Vice-Chair)
- Tiffany Meyer, Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (Past Chair)
- Raymond Hitchcock, Native American Heritage Commission Executive Secretary
- Mary Simmerer, Department of Water Resources
- James Newland, Department of Parks and Recreation
- Greg Lucas, California State Library
- Susan Anderson, California African American Museum

Ex-Officio Members:

- Amar Azucena Cid, Department of Transportation
- Assemblymember James C. Ramos, Select Committee on Native American Affairs
- Assemblymember Reginald Byron Jones-Sawyer, Sr., Legislative Black Caucus
- Assemblymember Luz Rivas, Latino Legislative Caucus
- Assemblymember Ash Kalra, Asian Pacific Islander Legislative Caucus
- Senator Susan Eggman, Legislative LGBTQ Caucus
- Christina Snider-Ashtari, Secretary of Tribal Affairs to the Governor
- Geneva E. B. Thompson, The California Natural Resources Agency, Deputy Secretary for Tribal Affairs
- Designee TBD, Legislative Women's Caucus

Federal Advisors:

- Drew Decker, United States Geological Survey
- James Barnes, United States Bureau of Land Management
- Jeffrey Ferguson, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
- Rich Spradling, United States Forest Service
- Amanda Kaplan, National Park Service

Emeritus Advisors:

- Jim Trumbly, former Chair, retired State Parks
- Will Patterson, past member, California Department of Fish and Wildlife
- Clayton Guiraud, past member, Department of Water Resources
- Carol Ostergren, United States Geological Survey