

Workshop

2026 Irrigation and Nutrient Management Meeting for Vegetable and Berry Crops

Wednesday, August 19

Register to join us for this free workshop: <https://surveys.ucanr.edu/survey.cfm?surveynumber=49680>

Location: United Water Conservation District. 1701 Lombard Street. Oxnard, CA 93030 (34.2171867, -119.1498898)

CCA: 3.5 hours applied - Nutrient Management (1.5) and Soil & Water Management (2.0)

VCAILG and INMP Self-Certification CEUs: 3.5 educational hours applied

Agenda

- 8:20 **Introductory remarks**
- 8:25 **Basin Conditions and the Future of Cooperative Groundwater Management.** Robert Hampson, Groundwater Specialist, Fox Canyon Groundwater Management Agency
- 8:50 **The First Year of INMR Reporting: Early Results, Compliance Tools, and Next Steps.** Jodi Switzer, Water Program Director, Farm Bureau of Ventura County
- 9:15 **Stress factors affecting charcoal rot development in strawberry.** Oleg Daugovish, Strawberry and Vegetable Crops Advisor, UC Cooperative Extension Ventura County
- 9:40 **Establishment irrigation and pre-plant fertilizer application methods on strawberry production.** Andre Biscaro, Irrigation and Water Resources Advisor, UC Cooperative Extension Ventura County
- 10:05 Break
- 10:20 **Assessing the Impact of Nitrogen Fertilizer Rates and Sources on Celery Yield and Quality.** Andre Biscaro, Irrigation and Water Resources Advisor, UC Cooperative Extension Ventura County
- 10:45 **Management practices to comply with TMDLs for sediment and pesticides in surface water.** Michael Cahn, Irrigation and Water Resources Advisor, UC Cooperative Extension Monterey County
- 11:10 **Details on using the soil nitrate quick test to guide fertilizer management in vegetables and berries.** Michael Cahn, Irrigation and Water Resources Advisor, UC Cooperative Extension Monterey County
- 11:35 **Decision Support Tools for Irrigation Management: Irrigation Calculator Updates and Weather Station Network Expansion.** Andre Biscaro, Irrigation and Water Resources Advisor, UC Cooperative Extension
- 12:00 **Closing remarks**

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