

# 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:

- Please click the link below to join the webinar:  
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- Telephone:
  - USA (216)-706-7075 (US Toll)
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  - Conference code: 787909
  
- In-Person:
  - CA Natural Resources Agency
  - 715 P Street Sac. CA 95814
  - Room 2-201

### 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)

- a) Proposed Name: xanwa flat  
Feature Type: Flat  
County: Ventura  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 451  
CACGN Status: CACGN Recommended Approval and BGN Approved

- b) Proposed Name: poš creek  
Feature Type: Stream  
County: Ventura  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 451  
CACGN Status: CACGN Recommended Approval and BGN Approved
- c) Proposed Name: xutaš spring  
Feature Type: Spring  
County: Ventura  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 451  
CACGN Status: CACGN Recommended Approval and BGN Approved
- d) Proposed Name: Kilkenny Valley  
Feature Type: Flat  
County: Lake  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 452  
CACGN Status: CACGN Recommended Disapproval
- e) Proposed Name: China Wall Overlook  
Feature Type: Summit  
County: Nevada  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 453  
CACGN Status: CACGN Recommended Approval
- f) Proposed Name: Hidden Heart Falls  
Feature Type: Falls  
County: Riverside  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 450  
CACGN Status: CACGN Recommended Approval
- g) Proposed Name: James Wong Howe Creek  
Feature Type: Stream  
County: Tuolumne  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 450  
CACGN Status: CACGN Recommended Disapproval
- h) Proposed Name: Chinese Miners Creek  
Feature Type: Stream  
County: Tuolumne  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 451  
CACGN Status: CACGN Recommended Approval
- i) Proposed Name: Tumanguya  
Feature Type: Summit  
County: Tulare, Inyo  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 453  
CACGN Status: CACGN Recommended Disapproval
- j) Proposed Name: Yohala-mi  
Feature Type: Summit  
County: Shasta  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 452  
CACGN Status: CACGN Recommended Approval

## 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

- a) Proposed Name: Salamander Creek  
Current Name: N/A  
County: Humboldt  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 450  
Assigned Member: 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](mailto:cacgn@resources.ca.gov).*

### Proposals Deferred for Future CACGN Review and Discussion

- a) Proposed Name: Ipuk Spiruk  
Current Name: Little Stonewall Peak  
County: San Diego  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 446  
Assigned Member: Daniel Walsh
  
- b) Proposed Name: Ipuk Spiruk Creek  
Current Name: Little Stonewall Creek  
County: San Diego  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 446  
Assigned Member: Daniel Walsh
  
- c) Proposed Name: Cush-Pii  
Current Name: Stonewall Peak  
County: San Diego  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 446  
Assigned Member: Daniel Walsh
  
- d) Proposed Name: Cush-Pii Creek  
Current Name: Stonewall Creek  
County: San Diego  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 446  
Assigned Member: Daniel Walsh
  
- e) Proposed Name: Black Miners Bar  
Current Name: Negro Bar  
County: Sacramento  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 448  
Assigned Member: Susan Anderson

- f) Proposed Name: Klamath Straits Drain  
Current Name: Klamath Straits and Klamath Strait Drain Outlet  
County: Klamath and Siskiyou  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 452  
Assigned Member: Richard Lis
- g) Proposed Name: Boomer Creek  
Current Name: N/A  
County: Santa Cruz  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 452  
Assigned Member: Amy Loseth
- h) Proposed Name: Hoot Owl Lake  
Current Name: McGlashan Point  
County: Nevada  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 453  
Assigned Member: Amy Loseth
- i) Proposed Name: mxqawlay'ba knowin xyoykith  
Current Name: N/A  
County: Lake  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 453  
Assigned Member: Greg Lucas
- j) Proposed Name: Fifth of July Hill  
Current Name: McGlashan Point  
County: San Bernardino  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 453  
Assigned Member: Richie Lis
- k) Proposed Name: Curran Canyon and Curran Creek  
Current Name: Kuran Canyon and Kuran Creek  
County: Stanislaus  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 454  
Assigned Member: Raymond Hitchcock
- l) Proposed Name: Uypi Creek  
Current Name: N/A  
County: Santa Cruz  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 453  
Assigned Member: 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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- a) Proposed Name: Konocti  
Current Name: Kelseyville  
County: Lake  
Proposal Release Date: January 23, 2024

BGN Quarterly Review List No. 454  
Assigned Member: CNRA

- b) Proposed Name: Mitchell Ridge  
Current Name: N/A  
County: Contra Costa  
Proposal Release Date: March 6, 2024  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 455  
Assigned Member: TBD
- c) Proposed Name: Sacred Buttes  
Current Name: Sutter Buttes  
County: Sutter  
Proposal Release Date: March 21, 2024  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 455  
Assigned Member: TBD
- d) Proposed Name: Skate Island  
Current Name: N/A  
County: Humboldt  
Proposal Release Date: February 7, 2024  
BGN Quarterly Review List No. 455  
Assigned Member: 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

## ROSTER

(As of 07/12/2024)

### Committee Members:

- Richard Lis, Department of Fish and Wildlife (Chair)
- Amy Loseth, 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