

## CA-NV Chapter SWCS June 2009 Membership Survey Results

Surveys Returned: 8

1. Have you attended one or more CA – NV Chapter SWCS Annual Training Conferences during the past 10 years?

Yes	7	87.50%
No	1	12.50%

2. If yes, how many times?

5	3	7	3	N/A	8	N/A	3
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3. If no please check the reason(s):

- a. Too expensive
- b. Takes too much time
- c. Have not offered subjects that interest me
- d. My employer/self as employer is not able/willing to support my attendance

Only answer received: "To far to travel"

For questions 4 and 5, please rank the importance as: (1 = very important, 2 = important, 3 = not sure, 4 = somewhat important, 5 = not important).

4. I attended CA – NV Chapter SWCS Annual Training Conference(s) for:

a. Professional Development	2	2	2	0	1	1	N/A	1
b. Networking	1	2	2	2	2	1	N/A	4
c. Specific Training	5	1	1	0	2	2	N/A	1
d. To go on a field tour of specific interest to me	3	4	4	2	2	2	N/A	1

5. I would attend a future CA – NV Chapter SWCS Annual Training Conference(s) if:									
agency	a. I could get continuing education credits recognized by a licensing	2	1	5	0	2	0	N/A	1
positions	b. It provided opportunities for me to talk with employers looking to fill	2	0	5	0	0	0	N/A	5
programs work	c. Offered explanations on how various government conservation	5	0	2	0	0	X	N/A	4
	d. A specific subject was covered that was important to me	1	1	1	2	2	X	N/A	1
	e. The registration fee is more than \$100	0	1	4	0	0	X	N/A	5
	f. The registration cost is less than \$100	2	1	5	2	0	X	N/A	5

6. Please rank the topics below based on how well they address your training needs or interests (1 = very interested, 2 = interested, 3 = not sure, 4 = somewhat interested, 5 = not interested)

Topic	Level of Interest	1	2	3	4	5	N/A
__a. Erosion Control		4	2	0	0	1	1
__b. Storm Water Management		2	1	0	3	1	1
__c. Water Quality		3	2	0	1	0	1
__d. Air Quality		0	4	0	2	0	1
__e. Forestry		2	4	5	2	5	1
__f. Watershed/Stream Health		2	1	4	2	2	1
__g. Wildlife Habitat		1	2	4	4	2	2
__h. Land Use and Farm Protection		4	2	2	0	1	2
__i. Climate Change		2	4	2	0	2	2
__j. Carbon Sequestration		2	3	2	0	3	1
__k. Bio-fuels/products		2	3	1	0	2	1
__l. Soil Quality		2	2	4	4	2	2
__m. Native Plants		2	3	4	0	2	2
__n. Nutrient and Pest Management		2	1	4	0	2	2
__p. Flood control		4	4	0	2	1	4
__q. Policy Issues		5	3	2	2	4	2

7. Please answer the question below by circling the number that represents your level of agreement with the below statement (1 = strongly agree, 2 = agree, 3, don't care, 4 = disagree, 5 = strongly disagree):

The CA – NV Chapter SWCS should use its resources to sponsor/promote half-day watershed specific workshops for professional development and use profits from fees charged to fund scholarships instead of holding an annual training conference.

Responses: 3 Strongly Agree; 2 Agree; 1 Strongly Disagrees; 2 No Answer

8. Please identify your first choice of location to hold our next annual meeting:  
North Coast; Northern CA; Chico; Coastal City; Sacramento; Monterey; 2 No Answer

9. Please provide any comment, questions or ideas you want the Executive Council to know, answer or act on (feel free to use more paper).

Six with no comments.

“Chapter should provide training sessions throughout state on LESA systems.”

“Enjoy the Runoff. At 91 years I don't get around much. Keep up the good work – T”