



Klamath Basin Update

**Review of Regulation and Settlement Negotiations
Water Resources Commission Meeting
March 6, 2014**

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Review of 2013 Regulation

- First year of regulation
- Calls made June 10
- Completed regulation July 31



Water Right Holders Receiving a Shutoff Notice	Unauthorized Diversions Posted with a Shutoff Notice	Number of Water Rights Regulated	Number of Affected Diversions
350	40	590	650

Cost of 2013 Regulation Season

- **\$200,000 expended**
 - Personnel and travel costs for eight Watermaster staff
 - Equipment costs
 - Assistant Watermaster funded by the Klamath Power and Water Agency
- **Not included:**
 - Assistance provided by Salem staff for computer, mapping and hydrographic support
 - Costs borne by Oregon State Police, the Southern Command Center and the Klamath County Sheriff's Office



Settlement Negotiations

- **Klamath Basin Task Force**
 - Water, Power and Funding subgroups
 - Draft report released in December
- **Upper Klamath Agreement in Principle**
 - Released in December
- **Final Settlement Agreement and Next Steps**

Questions?

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