

SACRAMENTO AREA FLOOD CONTROL AGENCY

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Fiscal Data: Budgets and audits are available upon request. Budget information may be available on the district's website.

Service and Operation Data:

1. Powers of the agency have been augmented by the California State Legislature through adoption of the Sacramento Area Flood Control Agency Act which declares that "a purpose of the Sacramento Area Flood Control Agency is to coordinate a regional effort to finance, provide, and maintain facilities and works necessary to ensure a reasonable and prudent level of flood protection, as determined by the agency, in developed and urbanizing areas which are designated for residential, commercial, or industrial use within its boundaries and to provide local assurances and participate in cost sharing for federal flood control projects."
2. SAFCA's long-term goal is to provide the Sacramento region with as much flood protection as is appropriate for a heavily populated urban area, much of which is subject to significant inundation in the event of an uncontrolled flood.

Location: SAFCA is a joint exercise of powers agency. The five member agencies include: the City of Sacramento, Sacramento County, Sutter County, Reclamation District 1000, and the American River Flood Control District. The geographic boundaries of the agency are coextensive with those of its member agencies excepting: 1) the portion of Sacramento County lying within the boundaries of the incorporated cities of Folsom, Galt, and Isleton; and 2) the portion of Sutter County lying to the north of the Natomas Cross Canal and King's Slough.

Historical and Political Data:

1. Established November 1989
2. Enabling Act: SAFCA Act

3. Governing Body: SAFCA Board of Directors
4. No. on Governing Body: 13
5. Appointed by each represented parent agency.
6. Board meets 3rd Thursday of the month at 3:00 p.m. in the Board of Supervisors Chambers.