

Staff

- Brynn Nolan.....Executive Director
- Christy Marroquin.....Bookkeeper
- Keith Hackney.....AmeriCorps VISTA
- Sheri Curry.....AmeriCorps VISTA
- Al Pierce.....Contracted Grant Writer

Board of Directors

- Jim Curry.....President
- Sheri Curry.....Secretary
- Judy Huddleston.....Treasurer
- Jim Busher.....Director

Board Meetings are held on the second Thursday of every month at 5:30pm.

Community Meetings are held bi-monthly please contact CCWG for dates and times.



We appreciate your interest in the Cottonwood Creek Watershed Group and its many diverse activities. We feel that we are doing something important for our area, and hope you will join us in having a positive impact on our watershed, our communities, and the works we undertake to enhance and protect our environment and our rights.

Since 1998, the Cottonwood Creek Watershed Group has been the leading voice of the community in the fight to safeguard the scenic beauty, wildlife, and historic and cultural treasures of the largest and most diverse undammed tributary in the northern Central Valley, flowing 124 miles through a watershed that encompasses over 603,000+ acres. CCWG and its many supporters are committed to preserving the environment, private property and water rights and economic resources for generations to come.

The Cottonwood Creek Watershed Group has a lot of work to do. We can make a tremendous difference in assuring the future of our beloved watershed if we work together.

Some of the specific needs that we have at this time are as follows:

- Office Help:** We need filling, data entry, correspondence, etc.
- Help with the News Letter:** We welcome guest writers and help in distribution. If you have a story or an idea please let us know.
- Field Work:** We welcome people who would like to help with our field trips and conservation/restoration projects. Whether you are an expert on watershed restoration work, or you just want to get involved and work with kids, we would love to have you.

Use of Land: CCWG is constantly looking for landowners in the watershed who will allow us to take field trips to their property. This really expands our ability to get kids and adults involved, and we may even reward you by doing some restoration work.



How You Can Get Involved

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 Cottonwood, Ca 96022
 Email: info@ccwgrp.org
www.ccwgrp.org



There are various other ways you can help out, some of them we have not even thought of yet, so if you have an idea please let us know.

Eco-Art Program - This is a program for children to create artwork with earth mediums, grinding seeds and berries for paint, make corn husk dolls, basket weaving, create floral arrangements, etc. We are in need of volunteers who are able to instruct and assist the children. We also need help with the donation of and of gathering materials as well as set up and clean up.

Farmers Market and Artisans Fair – Looking for volunteers who are interested in assisting with the set up and break down of the Farmers Market and Artisans Fair. We will also need volunteers to man the CCWG booth as well as the Recycling booth.

Fundraising Volunteers– As a fundraising volunteer, you can help make a difference. Your time and hard work spent planning fundraising events, sharing our story with friends, and raising funds for the Watershed’s greatest needs.

Special Event Volunteers - are individuals who wish to give of their time but aren't necessarily able to join a fundraising volunteer group. Simply come by and complete our Volunteer Application and we will notify you of upcoming special event volunteer opportunities.

Assistance with Ongoing Projects – General support for current and ongoing projects is needed. This could include anything from the planting of trees, gathering of acorns or mailing out letters.

Attending community meetings and encouraging other community members to attend.

Board Volunteering

The Cottonwood Creek Watershed Group is currently looking board member candidates, if you are interested please stop by our office and pick up a Board Member Application Packet.

We are also seeking non-board volunteers to work with the boards steering committees. We currently have openings available on the following committees:

- Wildlife & Fire Stewards
- Education, Information & Special Events
- Urbanization & Development
- Clean Creeks Stewards

If you're interested please contact Brynn Nolan.

Donations: Your donation will help keep projects going such as; water quality monitoring, restoration, conservation, outreach to schools and landowners and overall providing a forum for the public examination of issues effecting stakeholders in the watershed.

Wish List – CCWG has a Wish List of items that are needed in our office and general support. You can find this list posted on our website. General office and janitorial supplies are always welcome. For example: toner, paper, pens, hand soap, paper towels, etc.

As a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization, the Cottonwood Creek Watershed Group depends on the generous financial support of its stakeholders and supporters. We simply can't conserve the watershed without your support. Your gift to the Cottonwood Creek Watershed Group is completely tax-deductible. Help make a difference today by giving as generously as you can.

General donation questions? Contact Brynn Nolan.

Bequests – Making a bequest to Cottonwood Creek Watershed Group is an excellent way to ensure that your passion for a healthier Cottonwood Creek Watershed and community has lasting impact. We hope you will consider putting Cottonwood Creek Watershed Group in your will to leave your own conservation legacy in and for the watershed.

For more information on how to make a bequest, contact Brynn Nolan.

YES! I will make a donation to help support the Cottonwood Creek Watershed Group!

\$25 \$50 \$75 \$100 Other \$ _____

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email: _____

I would like to be kept updated by the Cottonwood Creek Watershed Group on future events and projects.

Please send me information on other ways I can contribute to the Cottonwood Creek Watershed Group by volunteering, joining steering committees or

My check payable to Cottonwood Creek Watershed Group is enclosed.

Please send to:

Cottonwood Creek Watershed Group

P.O. Box 1198

Cottonwood, CA 96022