



## 2016 OBWB ANNUAL MEETING “A Watershed in the World”

**DATE:** Friday, September 9, 2016  
**TIME:** 8:30 AM – 12:00 PM  
**LOCATION:** Laurel Packinghouse, 1304 Ellis Street., Kelowna, B.C.

8:30 AM	Registration and light refreshments	
9:00	Welcome remarks	Doug Findlater, OBWB Chair
9:15	Introduction to Keynote Speaker	Anna Warwick Sears, Ph.D., OBWB Executive Director
9:20	Keynote – Lessons from the front line of the California drought	Amber Manfree, Ph.D. Post-Doctoral Researcher, UC Davis, Center for Watershed Sciences
10:00	Announcement of Make Water Work 2016 Champion Community	Corinne Jackson, OBWB Communications Director
10:10	10 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Okanagan Water Stewardship Council	Doug Findlater, OBWB Chair Rob Birtles, OWSC Chair
10:20	Coffee break and cake cutting	
11:00	Presentation of Annual Report “A Watershed in the World”	Anna Warwick Sears, Ph.D., OBWB Executive Director
11:40	Q&A	
11:55	Closing remarks	Doug Findlater, OBWB Chair
12 PM	Adjourn	OBWB Chair Doug Findlater

**Keynote speaker:** Amber D. Manfree is a postdoctoral researcher in Geography at the Center for Watershed Sciences at the University of California, Davis. Her research interests include landscape change, biogeography, water management in California, fisheries, and cartography. Dr. Manfree has previously worked on watershed management issues including restoration planning and invasive plant management with the Laguna de Santa Rosa Foundation and often volunteers with outdoor education groups.

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