

Ceremony for Central Valley Water Bank Ceremony Features Reclamation Mid-Pacific Regional Director, Area Manager



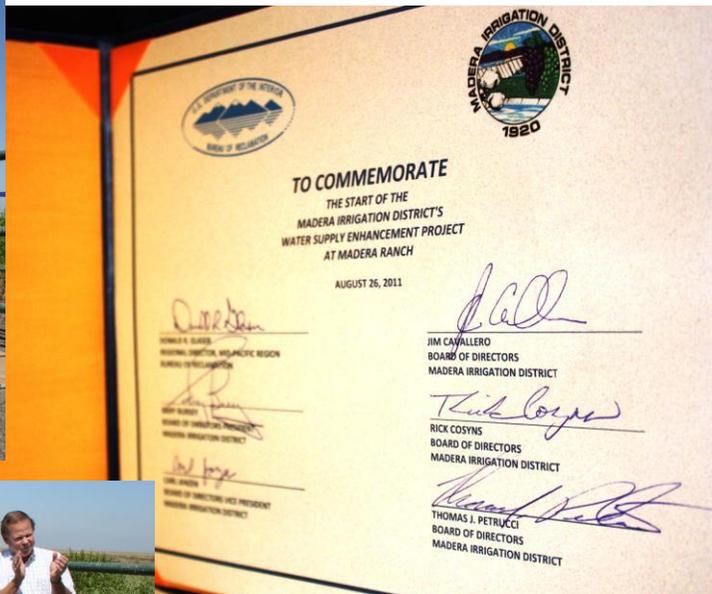
Reclamation Mid-Pacific Regional Director Don Glaser



South-Central California Area Office Manager Michael Jackson

MADERA, Calif. – Mid-Pacific Regional Director Don Glaser delivered the keynote address at a ceremony Aug. 26 marking the start of development of the Madera Ranch groundwater banking project. South-Central California Area Office Manager Michael Jackson also spoke.

The Madera Irrigation District Water Supply Enhancement Project, jointly funded by Reclamation and the district, will recharge underlying aquifers while enhancing the wildlife habitat across 14,000 acres.



Above left, Reclamation and Madera Irrigation District officials prepare to cut a ceremonial ribbon; below, left, shows the celebration seconds after the cutting. Above, one of the certificates officials signed at the event.