

Sutter Butte Flood Control Agency

A Partnership for Flood Safety

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SBFCA to Offer "Behind the Scenes" Tours of Levee Construction Activities

WHAT:

Community members are invited to attend hosted tours of the Sutter Butte Flood Control Agency's (SBFCA) Feather River West Levee Project construction activities on Saturday, September 21. Construction crews, which started working around-the-clock in July on a one-mile segment of levee, are currently installing slurry walls designed to block the flow of water under and through the levee. The current construction site includes the location of the 1955 levee break that caused a major flood and 38 deaths.

Tours will be conducted by bus, so no special attire is required. Each tour will last approximately 45 minutes and is limited to 15 participants. RSVPs are respectfully requested (see below).

WHEN: Saturday, September 21

9 a.m., 10 a.m., and 11 a.m. (3 tour opportunities)

WHERE: Meet at Levee District 1, 243 Second Street, Yuba City

REGISTER: Email <u>s.modeste@sutterbutteflood.org</u>, or call the SBFCA hotline at 530-870-4425 For more information about the project, visit <u>nnww.sutterbutteflood.org</u>, or contact the SBFCA Hotline at (530) 870-4425.

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