

COMPARE THE COST: Greater Kaweah GSA vs. State Intervention

GKGSA Assessment vs. State Fees

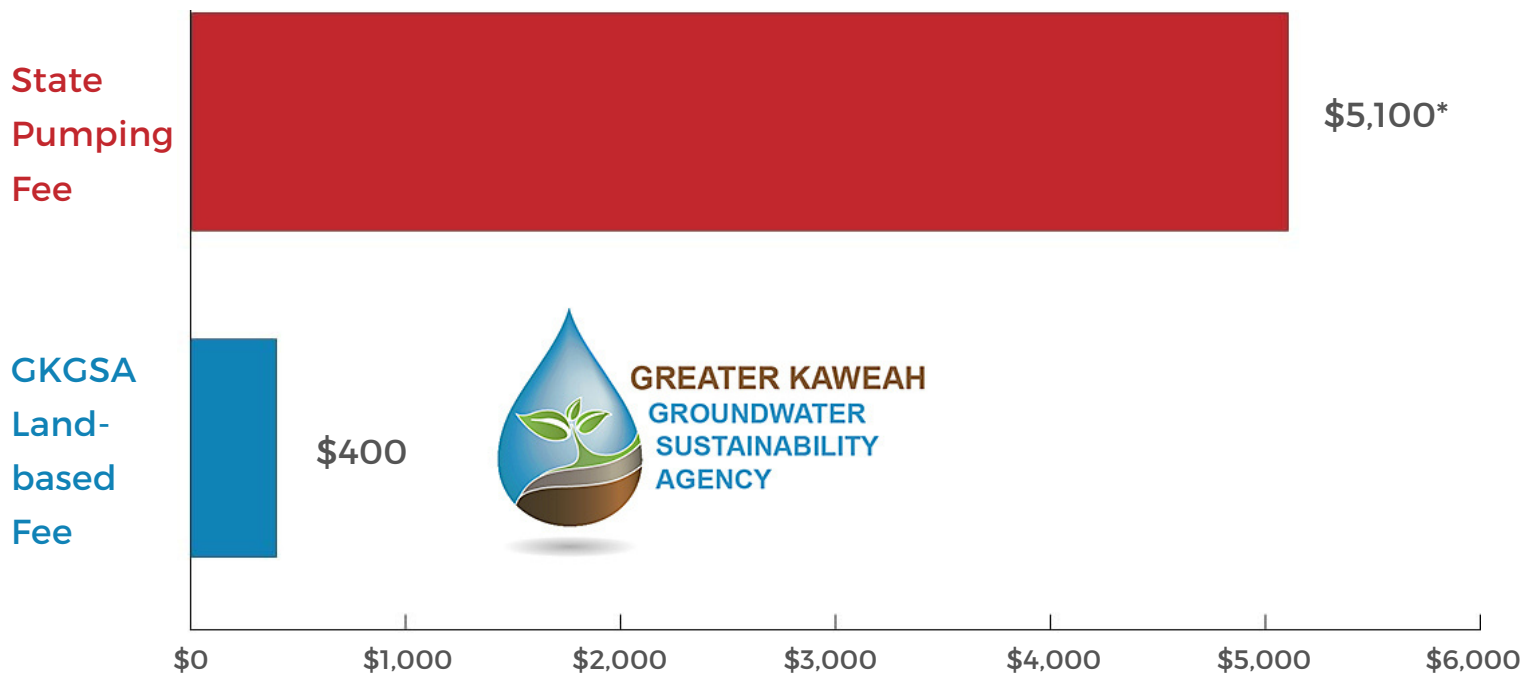
If the Greater Kaweah Groundwater Sustainability Agency fails to implement groundwater sustainability, such failure could result in State Intervention.

State Intervention could lead to significantly greater fees for landowners.

The chart below is an agricultural example comparison of the Greater Kaweah GSA proposed assessment at the proposed maximum of \$10 per acre versus the pumping fee schedule adopted by the State Water Resources Control Board for State Intervention.



Landowner Annual Cost Comparison



- 40-acre ag parcel base annual payment to the State, **\$5,100** for the first year
- 40-acre ag parcel annual payment to the GKGSA, **\$400** per parcel per year

*Fee can range from approximately \$5,100 to over \$6,900 depending on crop water use/acre foot and State requirements.

The GKGSA proposed fee is land-based; State Intervention fee (given for illustrative purposes only) is based on pumping amounts.