

Rubidoux Community Services District

Board of Directors

Hank Trueba Jr., President
Bernard Murphy, Vice-President
John Skerbelis
Armando Muniz
F. Forest Trowbridge

General Manager

Jeffrey D. Sims



Water Resource Management Refuse Collection Street Lights Fire / Emergency Services Weed Abatement

NOTICE AND AGENDA FOR THE RUBIDOUX COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT BOARD MEETING

Thursday, December 1, 2022, at 4:00 PM

Pursuant to Paragraph 3 of Executive Order N-29-20, executed by the Governor of California on March 17, 2020 as a response to mitigating the spread of corona virus known as COVID-19:

During this regular meeting of the Rubidoux Community Services District Board of Directors, members of the public will have the choice to attend and address the Board in person or attend and address the Board via Zoom.

Note the following:

All persons including members of the public, Board Members, and staff attending the Board Meeting in-person are no longer required to wear a face covering while inside District Facilities if they are not vaccinated against COVID-19, although it is highly recommended by the California Department of Public Health. If you do not have a face covering, one will be provided upon request.

Members of the public wanting to attend and/or address the Board may do so by:

- Using the Zoom App or website for free at: <https://zoom.us/>
 - o Once installed ahead of the meeting, you may choose your audio source as either computer speakers/microphone or telephone.
 - o If you wish to make public comments via the Zoom platform, the Board Secretary will identify you at your time to speak.
 - o Meeting ID is **870-2519-9040**.

- Calling into the meeting at any one of the following numbers:

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+1 312 626 6799
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+1 253 215 8782

Only one person at a time may speak by telephone and only after being recognized by the Secretary of the Board.

Closed Session: At any time during the regular session, the Board may adjourn to a closed executive session to consider matter of litigation, personnel, negotiations, or to deliberate on decisions as allowed and pursuant with the open meetings laws. Discussion of litigation is within the Attorney/Client privilege and may be held in closed session.

Authority: Government code 11126-(a) (d) (q).

1. Call to Order – Hank Trueba Jr., President
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Roll Call
4. Approval of Minutes for November 17, 2022, Regular Meeting
5. Consideration to Approve December 2, 2022, Salaries, Expenses and Transfers
6. Public Comment

Members of the public are encouraged to address the Board of Directors. Anyone who wishes to speak on an item not on the published agenda must submit a comment request card to the General Manager or designee. Each speaker should begin by identifying themselves for the record and is allowed up to three-minutes.

No one may give their time to a speaker during the public comment period of the meeting. It is requested that all present refrain from any action that might disrupt the orderly course of the meeting. Coarse, crude, profane, or vulgar language, or unsolicited comments from the audience, which disrupts or disturbs the Board meeting, may result in exclusion from the meeting.

The Ralph M. Brown Act, Government Code 54950, et. seq. prohibits members of the Board of Directors from taking formal action or discuss items not on the published agenda. As a result, immediate response to public comment may be limited.

7. Correspondence and Related Information

8. Manager's Report (Second Meeting each Month):

- a) Operations Report
- b) Emergency and Incident Report
- c) Follow up to questions at prior Board Meeting and other updates

ACTION ITEMS:

- 9. Consider Supporting 2023 Metropolitan Water District Legislative Priorities: **DM 2022-103**
- 10. Consideration to Schedule Employees' Retirement and Annual End-of-Year Luncheons: **DM 2022-104**
- 11. Directors Comments - Non-action
- 12. Adjournment

4. APPROVAL OF:
MINUTES FOR NOVEMBER 17, 2022, REGULAR MEETING

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING
November 17, 2022
RUBIDOUX COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

DIRECTORS PRESENT: Armando Muniz
Bernard Murphy
John Skerbelis
F. Forest Trowbridge
Hank Trueba, Jr.

DIRECTORS ABSENT:

STAFF PRESENT: Brian Laddusaw, Director of Finance and Administration
Brian Jennings, Customer Service / Accounts Payable
Manager
Miguel Valdez, Director of Operations
Martha Perez, Customer Service / Accounts Payable
Manager

Call to order: the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Rubidoux Community Services District by President Trueba, at 4:00 P.M., Thursday, November 17, 2022, by teleconferencing at District Office, 3590 Rubidoux Boulevard, Jurupa Valley, California.

ITEM 4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of Minutes for November 3, 2022, Board Meeting.

Director Muniz moved, and Director Skerbelis seconded to approve the November 3, 2022, Regular Board Minutes as presented.

Roll call:

Ayes – 5 (Muniz, Murphy, Skerbelis, Trowbridge, Trueba)

Noes – 0

Abstain – 0

Absent – 0

The motion was carried unanimously.

ITEM 5. Consideration to Approve the November 18, 2022, Salaries, Expenses and Transfers.

Consideration to Approve the November 18, 2022, Salaries, Expenses and Transfers.

Director Murphy moved, and Director Muniz seconded to Approve the November 18, 2022, Salaries, Expenses and Transfers.

Roll call:

Ayes – 5 (Muniz, Murphy, Skerbelis, Trowbridge, Trueba)

Noes – 0

Abstain – 0

Absent – 0

The motion was carried unanimously.

ITEM 6. PUBLIC ACKNOWLEDGE OF NON-AGENDA MATTERS

There were no members of the public to address the board.

ITEM 7. CORRESPONDENCE AND RELATED INFORMATION

There was an article from the Associated Press regarding California suing 3M, Dupont, 16 other companies over ‘forever chemicals’ that taint water.

ITEM 8. MANAGER’S REPORT

Operations Report:

Miguel Valdez reported on the water/wastewater report for the month of October. Water production averaged 6.0 mgd per day. Wastewater discharge averaged 1.69 mgd to Riverside. On average 1.60 mgd of water was sent to JCSD. The District annual projected sales budget to JCSD is at about half, which is tracking as projected. Well No. 18 produced 26%, Well No. 1 produced 1% of the water, Well No. 2 produced 19%, Well No. 4 produced 10%, Well No. 6 produced 20%, Well No. 8 produced 34 %, and Well No. 18 produced 16% of the water.

Emergency and Fire Report:

Chief Otterman reported the Incidents Reported for the month of October 2022 and Special District Rubidoux CSD. Station 38 had a total of 278 calls. 186 calls, 66.9% were medical aides. Additionally, there was a report for the City of Jurupa Valley. There were 1 Commercial Fire, 0.4%, 21 False Alarms, 7.6%, 1 Haz Mat, 7.6%, 7 Other Fire, 2.5%, 22 Public Service Assist, 7.9%, 2 Res Fire 0.7%, 3 Ringing Alarm 1.1%, 2 Standby, 0.3%, 25 Traffic Collisions, 9%, 5 Vehicle Fire, 1.8% and 3 Wildland Fires, 1.1%.

Manager’s Report:

Brian Laddusaw shared with the board photos from the Veteran’s Day parade. There was a memo put together as a response to Prop. 218 on the rate increase. The sign for the fire station should be in and installed in January.

ITEM 9. Receive and File Statement of Cash Asset Schedule Report Ending October 2022. DM 2022-101.

BACKGROUND

Attached for the Board of Directors' consideration is the October 2022 Statement of Cash Asset Schedule Report for all District Fund Accounts. Our YTD interest is \$97,302.36 for District controlled accounts. With respect to District "Funds in Trust", we show \$4,220.15 which has been earned and posted. The district has a combined YTD interest earned total of \$101,522.51 as of October 31, 2022.

The District's Operating Funds (Excluding Restricted Funds and Operating Reserves), we show a balance of \$11,456,793.91 ending October 31, 2022. That's **\$2,446,607.66 MORE** than July 1, 2022, beginning balance of \$9,010,186.25.

Further, the District's Field/Admin Fund current fund balance is \$763,841.65.

Submitted for the Board of Directors consideration is the *October 2022, Statement of Cash Asset Schedule Report* for your review and acceptance this afternoon.

Director Trowbridge moved, and Director Muniz seconded to Receive and File the Statement of Cash for the Month of October 2022 for the Rubidoux Community Services District.

Roll call:

Ayes – 5 (Muniz, Murphy, Skerbelis, Trowbridge, Trueba)

Noes – 0

Abstain – 0

Absent – 0

The motion was carried unanimously.

ITEM 10. Award of Contract for Construction of Perimeter Security Improvements at Fire Station #38. DM 2022-102.

BACKGROUND

The Rubidoux Community Services District ("District") is responsible for providing Fire Protection Services within the District's boundary and provides this service through a contract with Riverside County Fire/CalFire ("County Fire") for staffing and equipment. Fire Station 38 property and building are District owned and as the owner, the District is responsible for its ongoing upkeep. Funding to pay County Fire for contract services and ongoing expenses related to upkeep of Fire Station 38 comes from the District's share of property taxes paid by property owners within the District service boundary. The District retains reserves from this funding source for upkeep and improvements to Fire Station 38.

In May 1988, the Board adopted Ordinance No. 85 establishing certain fire protection mitigation fees to be used by the District to “*construct and/or equip new fire station facilities, or for equipment at existing facilities...*” with the intended purpose of restricting these monies for non-recurring expenditures, or in other words, long-lived assets or betterments or improvements to existing facilities. Fire mitigation fees are collected by District personnel at the same time other water and sewer capacity fees are collected. Currently, the District collects \$815 per single family residence and \$.41 per square foot for each commercial building.

There is a considerable population of unsheltered and unhoused people in the City of Jurupa Valley, particularly in the area the District serves. Additionally, other unhoused persons roam the streets about Fire Station 38. County Fire staff suspect people occupying the adjacent lot are responsible for break-ins and breaches of the perimeter wall surrounding Fire Station 38. Recently there have been acts of vandalism and theft within the perimeter of Fire Station 38. These acts include breaking into storage building and stealing equipment and breaking into County Fire staff personal vehicles. When these events happen, staff files a report with the County and the District property insurance carrier.

District staff met with County Fire staff to discuss options to secure Fire Station 38. Increasing physical difficulty of scaling the existing masonry perimeter fencing seems to be the best option.

In March 2022, the Board of Director’s (“Board”) approved a professional services contract with T&B Structural Engineering (T&B) in Riverside for the preparation of plans and details for the construction of perimeter security improvements. The President of the firm met with District staff at the Fire Station to discuss preparation of plans and details to improve the perimeter wall as this was determined to be the best available deterrent to individuals climbing over. Proposed enhancements include adding vertical metal fencing affixed to the existing masonry wall, enlarging gates, and making the existing masonry wall less climbable. These improvements would include both vehicle access gates, closing decorative holes in the wall surrounding the HVAC Equipment and the Fireman’s outdoor patio, and completing the enclosure of the lattice cover over the patio. The height of the gate facing Mission Blvd. will be increased and work with the existing supports on the block wall on each side of the gate.

T&B Engineering completed the Fire Station perimeter security enhancement plans in October. The District was responsible for administering the bidding process. The District invited several local fence contractors, the welder that takes care of most of the District’s welding needs and Louis Tozser Design, Inc. to bid on the project. A mandatory job walk was held on October 27, 2022 at 10 am at the Fire Station Site. In attendance was Crist Benson with Econo Fence, Art Guerro with ProFuzion Welding, Louis Tozser with Louis Tozser Design, Inc and Oak Hills Contractors, Miguel Valdez, Ted Beckwith and Jeff Sims with the District. At the Job walk a few questions were posed and revised plans were sent to all bidders attending the job walk via email on November 4, 2022. A bid opening was held in the District Office as indicated to the invited bidders when the invitation when out. Two bids were received: 1) Econo Fence in the amount of \$305,295 and 2) Oak Hills Contractors in the amount of \$1,131,150. Oak Hills has the required liability and workman’s compensation insurance and will provide appropriate certified payroll for prevailing wage. Staff finds Oak Hills Contractors to be qualified to perform the work.

Budget and Cash Considerations

The District budgeted \$250,000 in its FY 22-23 Fire/Weed Abatement Fund Budget line 18 ‘Misc. Asset Acq./Replacements’ specifically for expenditures like these. The District has already used

or appropriated approximately \$42,000 of the \$250,000 for the water heater, sign replacement, and design work provided by T&B leaving an unused amount of \$208,000. The remaining \$208,000 of unused budgeted monies is sufficient to cover the estimated cost of the project of \$113,150 with Oak Hills Contractors and no budget amendment is necessary. Additionally, as of the writing of this Memorandum, the District has approximately \$2.215 million in its Fire Mitigation cash account, which serves as the funding source for this type of expenditure.

Director Skerbelis moved, and Director Trowbridge seconded the Board of Directors authorize the General Manager to:

- 1. Execute a Construction Contract with Oak Hills Contractors in the amount of \$113,150.**
- 2. Appropriate unused budgeted monies from the FY 22-23 Fire/Weed Abatement Fund Budget line 18 'Misc. Asset Acq./Replacement' in the amount of \$113,150 and authorize expenditures for the project cost from the Fire Mitigation cash account.**

Roll call:

Ayes – 4 (Muniz, Murphy, Skerbelis, Trowbridge)

Noes – 0

Abstain – 1 (Trueba)

Absent – 0

The motion was carried 4 Yes, 0 Noes, and 1 Abstain.

ITEM 11. Directors Comments

Director Murphy: 1) Thanked staff for their work on Infosend. 2) He went to a luncheon at WMWD and received some information on water; the states going to be worrying about water next year and the year after that.

3) There's an issue on the CPI-W. He received a letter from the general manager and had it listed as two ways:

a) Use the Riverside, San Bernardino, Ontario areas CPI-W current year March to the preceding year March as the two reference points to calculate the change in the CPI.

b) Use the average of the six reported CPI-W data points for the Riverside, San Bernardino, Ontario area between the current year March and the preceding year March.

Director Murphy will be sending an email to the general manager regarding the above issue upon his return.

In December, Brian Laddusaw will be updating the Board regarding the delinquent accounts. They are going down, which is good.

Director Trueba: What is the next step regarding the improvements on Mission, what are we doing next?

Laddusaw: It's in process. The architect is basically done with the plans. There will need to be a project manager hired.

Jennings: An update on what's being done at 5473 building. The locks have been changed to so that the county can no longer have access. The gate is locked with our own lock. A roll off has been dropped off and the landscaping will be removed.

Director Trueba adjourned the meeting at 4:30 PM.

5. CONSIDERATION TO:

APPROVE DECEMBER 2, 2022, SALARIES, EXPENSES AND TRANSFERS

RUBIDOUX COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT
 DECEMBER 1, 2022 (BOARD MEETING)
FUND TRANSFER AUTHORIZATION

NET PAYROLL 12/9/22	77,000.00
WIRE TRANSFER: FEDERAL PAYROLL TAXES 12/12/22	29,000.00
WIRE TRANSFER: STATE PAYROLL TAXES 12/12/22	6,500.00
WIRE TRANSFER: TO CREDIT UNION	3,000.00
WIRE TRANSFER: PERS RETIREMENT	18,082.00
WIRE TRANSFER: PERS HEALTH PREMIUMS	38,053.00
WIRE TRANSFER: PERS RETIRED HEALTH PREMIUMS AND FEES	1,520.00
WIRE TRANSFER: SECTION 125	127.00
WIRE TRANSFER: SECTION 457 AND 401(A)	3,807.00

VACATION BUYBACK 12/9/22	18,000.00
WIRE TRANSFER: FEDERAL PAYROLL TAXES 12/12/22	3,000.00
WIRE TRANSFER: STATE PAYROLL TAXES 12/12/22	216.00

CHECKING ACCOUNT TRANSFERS FOR ACCOUNTS PAYABLE:

12/2/2022 WATER FUND TO GENERAL FUND-Payables	87,830.32
WATER FUND TO GENERAL FUND-Trash	187,493.26
WATER FUND TO SEWER FUND	131,991.13
SEWER FUND TO GENERAL FUND-Payables	106,006.80
SALARIES/BENEFITS REIMB WTR FUND TO GENERAL FUND FYQ1	699,194.07
SALARIES/BENEFITS REIMB SWR FUND TO GENERAL FUND FYQ1	16,999.92

INTERFUND TRANSFERS:

12/2/2022 SEWER FUND CHECKING TO LAIF SEWER OP	11,284.00
SEWER FUND CHECKING TO LAIF SEWER ML	27,716.00
SEWER FUND CHECKING TO GENERAL FUND CHECKING	-
GENERAL FUND CHECKING TO LAIF SEWER ML	-
GENERAL FUND CHECKING TO LAIF PROP TAX	5,282,374.00
GENERAL FUND CHECKING TO LAIF FIRE MITIGATION	5,626.00
GENERAL FUND PROP TAX TO GENERAL FUND CHECKING	102,000.00
GENERAL FUND CHECKING TO SEWER FUND CHECKING	29,266.00
GENERAL FUND CHECKING TO WATER FUND CHECKING	37,364.00
GENERAL FUND CHECKING TO LAIF GRANT-TRASH	-
LAIF FIRE MITIGATION TO LAIF PROPERTY TAX	-
LAIF PROJECT ADMIN BLDG TO LAIF PROPERTY TAX	236.18
WATER FUND CHECKING TO LAIF-COP PAYBACK	33,500.00
WATER FUND CHECKING TO LAIF-W.R.	4,500.00
WATER FUND CHECKING TO GENERAL FUND CHECKING	-
WATER FUND CHECKING TO LAIF WATER RESERVE	-
WATER FUND CHECKING TO LAIF WATER OP	756.00
WATER FUND CHECKING TO LAIF WATER ML	36,244.00
LAIF WATER ML TO LAIF WATER OPS	-
LAIF WATER OP TO WATER FUND CHECKING	400,000.00

NOTES PAYABLE

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>BALANCE</u>		<u>PAYMENT</u>	<u>DUE DATE</u>
U.S. Bank Trust (1998 COP's Refunding)	1,345,000	Prin.	625,000	Jun-23
U.S. Bank Trust (1998 COP's Refunding)	103,785	Intr.	50,235	Jun-23
MN Plant-State Revolving Loan	3,606,041	Prin.	135,748	Jan-23
MN Plant-State Revolving Loan	582,212	Intr.	46,350	Jan-23

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TNK RNTL		10/31/2022 ✓	N	N		11/30/2022 ✓	10/31/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$205.19 ✓
2	AIRGAS / AIRGAS USA, LLC ✓							9131902701 ✓
CO2 TANKS		11/08/2022 ✓	N	N		12/08/2022 ✓	11/08/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$197.65 ✓
3	AT&T / AT&T ✓							000019028713 ✓
PHONE CHGS		11/07/2022 ✓	N	N		12/07/2022 ✓	11/07/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$428.15 ✓
4	BERNELL / BERNELL HYDRAULICS, INC. ✓							0442718-IN ✓
BAND CLAMPS		11/10/2022 ✓	N	N		12/10/2022 ✓	11/10/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$34.63 ✓
5	BERNELL / BERNELL HYDRAULICS, INC. ✓							0442770-IN ✓
HOSE		11/10/2022 ✓	N	N		12/10/2022 ✓	11/10/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$212.10 ✓
6	BOOT BARN / BOOT BARN ✓							INV00206952 ✓
BOOTS-ULLOA		11/08/2022 ✓	N	N		12/08/2022 ✓	11/08/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$175.00 ✓
7	BRINKS / BRINKS INC. ✓							12104046 ✓
NOV.22 ARMRD SVC		11/01/2022 ✓	N	N		12/01/2022 ✓	11/01/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$1,292.21 ✓
8	C WELLS / C. WELLS PIPELINE MATLS, INC ✓							SINV22-3050 ✓
PARTS		07/29/2022 ✓	N	N		08/28/2022 ✓	07/29/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$4,122.22 ✓
9	EAGLE / EAGLE ROAD SVC & TIRE ✓							1-195476 ✓
R&M TRUCK		11/09/2022 ✓	N	N		12/09/2022 ✓	11/09/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$1,333.15 ✓
10	GENESIS PRINTERS / GENESIS PRINTERS ✓							12020 ✓
RED CARD/NOTICE		11/15/2022 ✓	N	N		12/15/2022 ✓	11/15/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$251.86 ✓
12	J THAYER / J THAYER COMPANY, INC ✓							1621337-0 ✓
SUPPLIES		11/09/2022 ✓	N	N		12/09/2022 ✓	11/09/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$44.06 ✓
13	MASTER'S / MASTER'S SERVICES (GLACIER) ✓							0000000602977 ✓
BTL WTR		11/09/2022 ✓	N	N		12/09/2022 ✓	11/09/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$63.00 ✓
14	MCVEIGH, PATRICIA / McVEIGH, PATRICIA C ✓							65 ✓
MINUTES AUG.SEP.OCT		11/14/2022 ✓	N	N		12/14/2022 ✓	11/14/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$1,275.00 ✓
15	MERIT OIL / MERIT OIL COMPANY ✓							743079 ✓
GASOLINE		11/17/2022 ✓	N	N		11/24/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$1,869.24 ✓
16	NORM WILSON / NORM WILSON & SONS ✓							1530000-02 ✓
HYDR MTR RFND		11/17/2022 ✓	N	N		12/17/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$2,325.53 ✓
17	QUINN CAT / QUINN CAT / MACHINERY ✓							WOG00014929 ✓
R&M GEN		11/14/2022 ✓	N	N		12/14/2022 ✓	11/14/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$587.99 ✓

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12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$1,507.32 ✓
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R&M GEN								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$1,507.32 ✓
20	QUINN CAT / QUINN CAT / MACHINERY ✓	11/14/2022 ✓	N	N			11/14/2022	WOG00014932 ✓
R&M GEN								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$845.75 ✓
21	QUINN CAT / QUINN CAT / MACHINERY ✓	11/14/2022 ✓	N	N			11/14/2022	WOG00014933 ✓
R&M GEN								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$559.89 ✓
22	RAMS / ROGERS, ANDERSON, MALODY & SCOTT, LL ✓	10/31/2022 ✓	N	N			10/31/2022	71652 ✓
FISCL2021-22AUDIT								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$2,050.00 ✓
23	UPS / UNITED PARCEL SERVICE ✓	10/22/2022 ✓	N	N			10/22/2022	000F908W2432 ✓
POSTAGE								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$1.13 ✓
24	UPS / UNITED PARCEL SERVICE ✓	10/29/2022 ✓	N	N			10/29/2022	000F908W2442 ✓
POSTAGE								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$8.21 ✓
25	VARNER / VARNER & BRANDT LLP ✓	10/31/2022 ✓	N	N			10/31/2022	20221031 ✓
LEGL CNSLT								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$1,536.00 ✓
26	AIRESPRING / AIRESPRING ✓	11/16/2022 ✓	N	N			11/16/2022	167006117 ✓
PHONE CHGS								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$489.11 ✓
27	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN ✓	11/10/2022 ✓	N	N			11/10/2022	CK20879-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$75.00 ✓
28	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN ✓	11/10/2022 ✓	N	N			11/10/2022	CK20880-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$1,350.00 ✓
29	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN ✓	11/10/2022 ✓	N	N			11/10/2022	CK20881-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$36.00 ✓
30	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN ✓	11/10/2022 ✓	N	N			11/10/2022	CK20882-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$43.00 ✓
31	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN ✓	11/11/2022 ✓	N	N			11/11/2022	CK20924-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$36.00 ✓
32	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN ✓	11/11/2022 ✓	N	N			11/11/2022	CK20926-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$75.00 ✓
33	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN ✓	11/14/2022 ✓	N	N			11/14/2022	CK21022-0267 ✓
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12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$30.00 ✓

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WTR ANALYSES									\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$150.00 ✓
35	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN	11/14/2022 ✓	N	N	✓		12/14/2022 ✓	11/14/2022	CK21028-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES									\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$60.00 ✓
36	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN	11/14/2022 ✓	N	N	✓		12/14/2022 ✓	11/14/2022	CK21029-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES									\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$45.00 ✓
37	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN	11/14/2022 ✓	N	N	✓		12/14/2022 ✓	11/14/2022	CK21034-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES									\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$43.00 ✓
38	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN	11/14/2022 ✓	N	N	✓		12/14/2022 ✓	11/14/2022	CK21044-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES									\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$110.00 ✓
39	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN	11/11/2022 ✓	N	N	✓		12/11/2022 ✓	11/11/2022	CK20948-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES									\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$15.00 ✓
40	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN	11/14/2022 ✓	N	N	✓		12/14/2022 ✓	11/14/2022	CK21015-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES									\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$60.00 ✓
41	IB CONSULT / IB CONSULTING, LLC	11/04/2022 ✓	N	N	✓		12/04/2022 ✓	11/04/2022	19351 ✓
COSS									\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$9,240.00 ✓
42	KRIEGER & STEWART / KRIEGER & STEWART, INC.	11/18/2022 ✓	N	N	✓		12/18/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	47589 ✓
WTR CNSLT									\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$8,183.25 ✓
43	KRIEGER & STEWART / KRIEGER & STEWART, INC.	11/18/2022 ✓	N	N	✓		12/18/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	47590 ✓
WSTE WTR CNSLT									\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$199.00 ✓
44	KRIEGER & STEWART / KRIEGER & STEWART, INC.	11/18/2022 ✓	N	N	✓		12/18/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	47591 ✓
PRETRTMNT									\$0.00
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45	KRIEGER & STEWART / KRIEGER & STEWART, INC.	11/18/2022 ✓	N	N	✓		12/18/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	47592 ✓
PRETRTMNT									\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$766.50 ✓
46	KRIEGER & STEWART / KRIEGER & STEWART, INC.	11/18/2022 ✓	N	N	✓		12/18/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	47593 ✓
AGUA/COMM PK 37528									\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$9,181.10 ✓
47	KRIEGER & STEWART / KRIEGER & STEWART, INC.	11/18/2022 ✓	N	N	✓		12/18/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	47594 ✓
AGUA/COMM PARK 37528									\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$20,540.20 ✓
48	KRIEGER & STEWART / KRIEGER & STEWART, INC.	11/18/2022 ✓	N	N	✓		12/18/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	47595 ✓
AVLN/WTR SWR 36649									\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$15,127.76 ✓
49	KRIEGER & STEWART / KRIEGER & STEWART, INC.	11/18/2022 ✓	N	N	✓		12/18/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	47596 ✓
CATER PILLAR CT 2250									\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$325.50 ✓

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EMRLD RDGE 37640		11/18/2022 ✓	N	N			12/18/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$2,617.75 ✓
51	KRIEGER & STEWART / KRIEGER & STEWART, INC. ✓								47598 ✓
HALL IND PK		11/18/2022 ✓	N	N			12/18/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$466.00 ✓
52	KRIEGER & STEWART / KRIEGER & STEWART, INC. ✓								47599 ✓
WTR CNSLT		11/18/2022 ✓	N	N			12/18/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$5,621.75 ✓
53	KRIEGER & STEWART / KRIEGER & STEWART, INC. ✓								47600 ✓
VLV TRNG		11/18/2022 ✓	N	N			12/18/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$966.00 ✓
54	LILLESTRAND / LILLESTRAND LEADERSHIP CONSUL ✓								7737 ✓
CONSULTING-BECK-REYE		11/15/2022 ✓	N	N			12/15/2022 ✓	11/15/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$955.00 ✓
55	MERIT OIL / MERIT OIL COMPANY ✓								744253 ✓
GASOLINE		11/16/2022 ✓	N	N			12/01/2022 ✓	11/16/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$1,708.64 ✓
56	RING BENDER / RING BENDER LLP ✓								11388 ✓
CITY RVSD APPEAL		11/09/2022 ✓	N	N			12/09/2022 ✓	11/09/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$77,368.50 ✓
57	AMERICAN RENTALS / AMERICAN RENTALS ✓								161716 ✓
FORKLIFT		11/10/2022 ✓	N	N			12/10/2022 ✓	11/10/2022	\$0.00
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58	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN ✓								CK21452-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES		11/18/2022 ✓	N	N			12/18/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	\$0.00
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61	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN ✓								CK21455-0267 ✓
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12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$15.00 ✓
62	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN ✓								CK21456-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES		11/18/2022 ✓	N	N			12/18/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	\$0.00
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63	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN ✓								CK21457-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES		11/18/2022 ✓	N	N			12/18/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$45.00 ✓
64	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN ✓								CK21570-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES		11/21/2022 ✓	N	N			12/21/2022 ✓	11/21/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$110.00 ✓
65	BABCOCK E S SONS INC / BABCOCK, E S & SONS, IN ✓								CK21575-0267 ✓
WTR ANALYSES		11/21/2022 ✓	N	N			12/21/2022 ✓	11/21/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N				\$220.00 ✓

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66	CARQUEST AUTO PARTS / CARQUEST AUTO PARTS ✓	11/10/2022 ✓	N	N		12/10/2022 ✓	11/10/2022	7456-506816 ✓
SUPPLIES								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$18.30 ✓
67	CARQUEST AUTO PARTS / CARQUEST AUTO PARTS ✓	11/15/2022 ✓	N	N		12/15/2022	11/15/2022	7456-507058 ✓
BATTERY								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$204.71 ✓
68	CARQUEST AUTO PARTS / CARQUEST AUTO PARTS ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N		12/17/2022	11/17/2022	7456-507202 ✓
SUPPLIES								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$11.40 ✓
69	C WELLS / C. WELLS PIPELINE MATLS, INC ✓	11/11/2022 ✓	N	N		12/11/2022 ✓	11/11/2022	SINV22-3949 ✓
PARTS								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$2,342.48 ✓
70	DH WATER / D&H WATER SYSTEMS ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N		12/17/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	I2022-1534 ✓
PARTS								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$2,042.58 ✓
71	HARRINGTON INDUSTRIAL / HARRINGTON INDUSTRI ✓	11/16/2022 ✓	N	N		12/16/2022 ✓	11/16/2022	012M1458 ✓
PVC PARTS								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$1,764.15 ✓
72	HARRINGTON INDUSTRIAL / HARRINGTON INDUSTRI ✓	11/16/2022 ✓	N	N		12/16/2022 ✓	11/16/2022	012M1459 ✓
PVC PARTS								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$793.70 ✓
73	KH METALS / KH METALS & SUPPLY ✓	11/16/2022 ✓	N	N		12/16/2022 ✓	11/16/2022	0620259-IN ✓
PARTS								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$39.89 ✓
74	QUINN CAT / QUINN CAT / MACHINERY ✓	11/21/2022 ✓	N	N		12/21/2022 ✓	11/21/2022	WOG00014977 ✓
R & M GEN								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$706.39 ✓
75	REDWING / REDWING SHOES ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N		12/17/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	816-1-109593 ✓
BOOTS-GONZALES								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$175.00 ✓
76	SCE / SCE ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N		12/07/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	22N700767086653 ✓
5473 UTILITY								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$89.98 ✓
77	SCE / SCE ✓	11/04/2022 ✓	N	N		11/25/2022 ✓	11/04/2022	22N700617778997 ✓
FIRE STN UTILITY								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$1,857.17 ✓
78	SCE / SCE ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N		12/07/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	2022700609292713 ✓
WTR PMP ENRGY								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$305.56 ✓
79	SCE / SCE ✓	11/18/2022 ✓	N	N		12/08/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	2022N700179651118 ✓
SWR PMP ENRGY								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$369.47 ✓
80	SCE / SCE ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N		12/07/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	2022N700158802582 ✓
WTR PMP ENRGY								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$6,605.59 ✓
81	SCE / SCE ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N		12/07/2022	11/17/2022	22N70004457619 ✓
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12/01/2022 ✓				N				\$1,051.86 ✓

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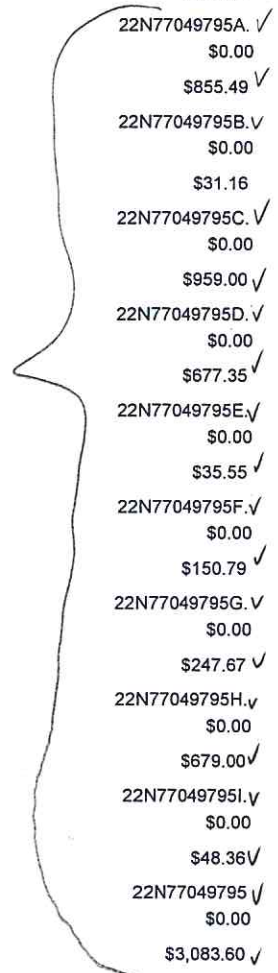
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	SWR PMP ENRGY					12/08/2022 ✓	11/18/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$2,462.79 ✓
83	SOCAL TRUCK / SOCAL TRUCKWORKS ✓	11/10/2022 ✓	N	N				12354 ✓
	R&M JEEP CHEROKEE					12/10/2022 ✓	11/10/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$1,174.08 ✓
84	STEPSAVER / STEP-SAVER CA.LLC ✓	11/15/2022 ✓	N	N				CT478935 ✓
	SALT					12/15/2022 ✓	11/15/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$5,146.00 ✓
85	AQUA METRIC SALES / AQUA METRIC SALES CO ✓	11/22/2022 ✓	N	N				INV0091889 ✓
	3/4' MTRS					12/22/2022 ✓	11/22/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$14,488.07 ✓
86	BENS / BEN'S LOCK & SAFE INC. ✓	11/15/2022 ✓	N	N				4897 ✓
	REKEY					12/15/2022 ✓	11/15/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$236.18 ✓
87	CHASE CARD SERVICES / CHASE CARD SERVICES ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N				22N77049795A ✓
	E-FILE/SHIRTS/PARADE					12/11/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$855.49 ✓
88	CHASE CARD SERVICES / CHASE CARD SERVICES ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N				22N77049795B ✓
	SUPPLIES					12/11/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$31.16
89	CHASE CARD SERVICES / CHASE CARD SERVICES ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N				22N77049795C ✓
	RECRUITMENT					12/11/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$959.00 ✓
90	CHASE CARD SERVICES / CHASE CARD SERVICES ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N				22N77049795D ✓
	SUPPLIES					12/11/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$677.35 ✓
91	CHASE CARD SERVICES / CHASE CARD SERVICES ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N				22N77049795E ✓
	GAS CAP					12/11/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$35.55 ✓
92	CHASE CARD SERVICES / CHASE CARD SERVICES ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N				22N77049795F ✓
	SUPPLIES					12/11/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$150.79 ✓
93	CHASE CARD SERVICES / CHASE CARD SERVICES ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N				22N77049795G ✓
	UNIFORMS					12/11/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$247.67 ✓
94	CHASE CARD SERVICES / CHASE CARD SERVICES ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N				22N77049795H ✓
	RECRUITMENT					12/11/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$679.00 ✓
95	CHASE CARD SERVICES / CHASE CARD SERVICES ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N				22N77049795I ✓
	PARKING/NOTARY/BEVER					12/11/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$48.36 ✓
96	CHASE CARD SERVICES / CHASE CARD SERVICES ✓	11/17/2022 ✓	N	N				22N77049795J ✓
	R&M TRUCK					12/11/2022 ✓	11/17/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$3,083.60 ✓
97	DURNEY DON / DURNEY, DON ✓	11/22/2022 ✓	N	N				20221122 ✓
	GRDNG/WEED ABATE					12/22/2022 ✓	11/22/2022	\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$1,227.50 ✓

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98	JADTEC SECURITY / JADTEC SECURITY SVCS, INC. ✓	12/01/2022 ✓	N	N			12/11/2022 ✓ 12/01/2022	2354499 ✓
MONITORING								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$53.85 ✓
99	J THAYER / J THAYER COMPANY, INC ✓	11/22/2022 ✓	N	N			12/22/2022 ✓ 11/22/2022	1623395-0 ✓
SUPPLIES								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$677.81 ✓
100	MORGAN MYRA / MORGAN MYRA ✓	09/20/2022 ✓	N	N			10/20/2022 ✓ 09/20/2022	22N13500410-01
CLAIM								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$1,413.83 ✓
101	RIVERSIDE COUNTY ASSESSOR / RIVERSIDE COUNTY ✓	11/23/2022 ✓	N	N			12/23/2022 ✓ 11/23/2022	22-414280 ✓
PROP 218 MAIL LIST								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$52.00 ✓
102	TRI-CO DISPOSAL INC / TRI-CO DISPOSAL, INC ✓	11/23/2022 ✓	N	N			12/23/2022 ✓ 11/23/2022	1109-112222A ✓
COMM TRSH 11/9-1122								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$45,627.02 ✓
103	TRI-CO DISPOSAL INC / TRI-CO DISPOSAL, INC ✓	11/23/2022 ✓	N	N			12/23/2022 ✓ 11/23/2022	1109-112222B ✓
RES TRSH 11/9-11/22								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$141,866.24 ✓
104	TRI-CO DISPOSAL INC / TRI-CO DISPOSAL, INC ✓	11/23/2022 ✓	N	N			12/23/2022 ✓ 11/23/2022	1109-112222C ✓
RCSD SHR COMM								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			(\$5,931.51) ✓
105	TRI-CO DISPOSAL INC / TRI-CO DISPOSAL, INC ✓	11/23/2022 ✓	N	N			12/23/2022 ✓ 11/23/2022	1109-112222D ✓
RCSD SHR RES								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			(\$4,161.50) ✓
106	TRI-CO DISPOSAL INC / TRI-CO DISPOSAL, INC ✓	11/23/2022 ✓	N	N			12/23/2022 ✓ 11/23/2022	1109-112222E ✓
BILLING FEE								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			(\$3,000.00) ✓
107	UPS / UNITED PARCEL SERVICE ✓	11/19/2022 ✓	N	N			12/19/2022 ✓ 11/19/2022	0000F908W2472 ✓
POSTAGE								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$22.52 ✓
108	WESTERN MUNICIPAL WATER / WESTERN MUNICIPAL ✓	11/22/2022 ✓	N	N			12/22/2022 ✓ 11/22/2022	IN14313 ✓
BRINE-ANNUAL								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$5,440.00 ✓
109	G.J. GENTRY GENERAL ENGINEERING / G.J. GENTRY ✓	11/23/2022 ✓	N	N			12/23/2022 ✓ 11/23/2022	22N15140005-0 ✓
HYDRNT MTR REFUND								\$0.00
12/01/2022 ✓					N			\$2,825.00 ✓

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Grand Totals

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6. ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS – THIS IS THE TIME FOR MEMBERS
OF THE PUBLIC TO ADDRESS THE BOARD ON ANY NON-
AGENDA MATTER.

7. CORRESPONDENCE AND RELATED INFORMATION

8. MANAGER'S REPORT (Second Meeting each Month)

- a) Operations Report
- b) Emergency and Incident Report
- c) Follow up to questions at prior Board Meeting and other updates

9. CONSIDER SUPPORTING 2023 METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT
LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES: **DM 2022-103**

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Water Resource Management Refuse Collection Street Lights Fire / Emergency Services Weed Abatement

DIRECTORS MEMORANDUM 2022-103

December 1, 2022

To: Rubidoux Community Services District
 Board of Directors

Subject: Consider Supporting 2023 Metropolitan Water District Legislative Priorities

BACKGROUND:

Rubidoux Community Services District ("District") is a retail water agency within Western Municipal Water District's ("Western") General District. Western is one of the twenty-six member agencies of Metropolitan Water District ("MWD"). Although the District currently does not receive any imported water supply from MWD through Western, as part of Western the District is eligible to access imported MWD water supply.

Currently the District is 100% reliant on local groundwater supply and desires having an imported water supply for supply redundancy and water quality enhancements. Over the past year or so the District has collaborated with Western, MWD, West Valley Water District, and San Bernardino Valley Municipal Water District on an agreement to wheel up to 2,000 acre-feet per year of imported MWD water through West Valley Water District to the District. The five-party agreement to accomplish this was approved by all involved agencies except MWD due to concerns about drought impacts on MWD's overall water supply portfolio. It is anticipated MWD will revisit approval of the agreement within the next 2 to 4 months based on recent conversations with Craig Miller, Western's General Manager.

At the Metropolitan Water District ("MWD") Communication and Legislative Committee meeting on November 7, 2022, legislative priorities, and principles for 2023 was presented (attached) and recommended for approval by the MWD Board at its December 2022 meeting. The top legislative priorities of MWD for 2023 include the following:

1. Continue support for imported water supply resiliency and reliability, including progress on the Delta Conveyance Project, Sites Reservoir Project, Voluntary Agreements, and protecting critical elevations in Lake Powell and Lake Mead.

2. Conserve existing water supplies and prepare for climate change by supporting demand management and water use efficiency, long-term non-functional turf conversion, and a federal tax exemption for water conservation rebates.
3. Advance Pure Water Southern California and other water recycling projects and long-term supply reliability improvements.
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On behalf of the agencies within its service area Western has advocated for MWD to adopt priorities consistent with the reason it was originally formed - avail southern California with access to imported water through the Colorado River Aqueduct and State Water Project Systems. These systems were built decades ago and have performed in an excellent manner absent significant investment in their expansion. However, due to population growth and environmental impacts on supply, the Colorado River Aqueduct and State Water Project systems help for southern California's water supply reliability. Western has strongly advocated MWD must do more than just call for conservation and support statewide water project investments.

Western has requested all retail water provider agencies within its service area to submit a letter to MWD supporting MWD's proposed 2023 Legislative Priorities. Attached for the Boards consideration is the requested support letter for signature by Board President Trueba.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Board of Directors review MWD's proposed 2023 Legislative Priorities and approve Board President Trueba to sign the attached support letter.

Respectfully,



JEFFREY D. SIMS, P. E.
General Manager

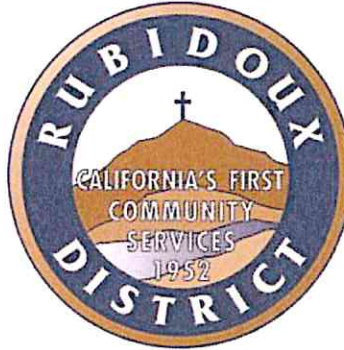
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1. RCSD Support Letter for MWD's 2023 Legislative Priorities
2. November 10, 2022 email from Western
3. MWD Board of Directors Comm & Leg Committee Letter

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Water Resource Management Refuse Collection Street Lights Fire / Emergency Services Weed Abatement

December 1, 2022

The Honorable Gloria Cordero
Chair, Communications and Legislation Committee
700 North Alameda Street
Los Angeles, CA 90012

RE: Support for 2023 MWD Legislative Priorities

Dear Committee Chair Cordero,

I am writing on behalf of Rubidoux Community Services District, a retail water provider within Western Municipal Water District's General District, in support of Metropolitan Water District (MWD)'s 2023 Legislative Priorities, as presented to the Legislation and Communications Committee on November 7, 2022. Most importantly, we urge MWD to stay focused on the top legislative priority of, "Continue support for imported water supply resiliency and reliability, including progress on the Delta Conveyance Project, Sites Reservoir Project, Voluntary Agreements, and protecting critical elevations in Lake Powell and Lake Mead."

As you know, California is in a water crisis, and weather forecasters are predicting yet another year of La Niña conditions. State Water Project allocations are already at their lowest ever, with the possibility of moving to Health and Safety Water next year. The Colorado River water supply is also strained with expectations to significantly reduce the amount of water moving out of Lake Mead. With more than 50% of Southern California's water supply coming from imported water supplies, MWD **must** remain focused on its mission — pursuing both short- and long-term water supply solutions.

The projects specifically laid out in MWD's drafted top priority would make significant steps towards achieving long-term increased water supply and reliability. The Delta Conveyance Project, Sites Reservoir Project, Voluntary Agreements, and protecting critical elevations in Lake Powell and Lake Mead are fundamental to MWD's mission of providing imported water supply to Southern California, which must remain the top priority for MWD. While we understand that these projects will take time to deliver and have

costs associated with them, MWD must continue thinking big picture and doing its part to solve the water supply crisis.

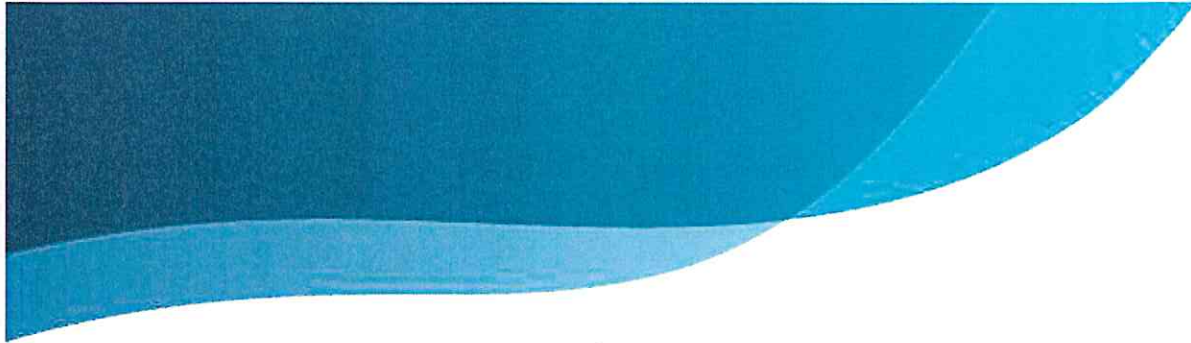
For these reasons, Rubidoux Community Services District is supportive of MWD's 2023 Legislative Priorities as presented to the Communications and Legislation Committee on November 7, 2023, and encourages the Committee to move the 2023 Legislative Priorities to the full board for approval.

Sincerely,

Hank Trueba, Jr.
President – Board of Directors

Cc: Chairwoman Gloria Gray, Metropolitan Water District
Members, Communications and Legislation Committee

From: Western Municipal Water District <cmiller@wmwd.com>
Sent: Thursday, November 10, 2022 2:05 PM
To: Jeff Sims
Subject: A note to Member Agencies and Partners | Support for 2023 MWD Legislative Priorities



Update for Western Member Agencies and Partners

from General Manager Craig Miller

Good afternoon Member Agencies and Partners,

This week, Western pushed for two important changes to Metropolitan Water District's (MWD) [2023 Legislative Priorities](#), which included 1) have the legislative items listed by priority level, and 2) place water supply as their top priority. Prior to Western's advocacy, water supply was listed third on the list.

During MWD's Communication and Legislative Meeting on Monday, Western's feedback was incorporated and accepted by MWD staff and presented as follows to the committee:

1. Continue support for imported water supply resiliency and reliability, including progress on the Delta Conveyance Project, Sites Reservoir Project, Voluntary Agreements, and protecting critical elevations in Lake Powell and Lake Mead.
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principle and ensuring the continued cleanup of sites along the Colorado River.

5. Support adaptive management for ecosystem restoration in the Bay-Delta and Colorado River watersheds that takes into consideration evolving climate conditions, risk analyses, and best available science.
6. Implement Metropolitan's Climate Action Plan to reduce Metropolitan's greenhouse gas emissions and reach carbon neutrality by 2045.

These 2023 Legislative Priorities were listed as an informational item this week that will formally go to the committee and full board for approval in December.

CALL TO ACTION

I encourage you to submit a letter supporting the MWD priorities as listed above. A template letter has been provided to make it easy; please forward your letters to me so Western stays updated on comments submitted to MWD. We must implore MWD to continue to stay focused on their Mission--delivering imported water to Southern California.

[Support Letter Template: 2023 MWD Legislative Priorities](#)

You should also know that there was some opposition from Heal the Bay and Director Quinn about including Delta Conveyance and Sites Reservoir in MWD's legislative priorities. Both plan to submit comments on the item during the December meeting. I feel strongly that MWD needs to hear from us on this important priority-setting document that will direct MWD's legislative activities for the next year.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to reach out and give me a call.

- Craig

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Subject

Legislative Priorities and Principles for 2023

Executive Summary

This letter presents the 2023 legislative priorities and principles recommended by staff for the Board of Directors' consideration and discussion.

Details

This board letter presents the 2023 Legislative Priorities and Principles as recommended by staff for the Board's consideration. It lays out an integrated "One Water" collaborative approach to managing Southern California's watersheds, water resources, and water infrastructure to ensure long-term resilience and reliability for communities and ecosystems. Once adopted, staff uses this document to determine Metropolitan's positions and advocate for these priorities and principles at the state and federal level through Metropolitan-sponsored legislation, engaging on bills, or pursuing funding. Updated legislative priorities and principles are presented annually to the Board of Directors. The current 2022 version was adopted in November 2021 (**Attachment 1**). Final legislative priorities and principles are publicly available on the Metropolitan Legislative Services webpage.

For the coming year, which is year one of new two-year state and federal legislative cycles, staff aligned the document to reflect changes in Metropolitan's organizational structure and to be consistent with the GM Business Plan, the Metropolitan Climate Action Plan, and the newly adopted Bay-Delta policies. The draft 2023 Legislative Priorities and Principles was presented at the Member Agency Legislative Coordinators Annual Planning Meeting on October 20, 2022, and at the Member Agency Managers' Meeting on October 28, 2022.

Recommended updates to the language can be seen in the attached redline of the 2022 Legislative Priorities and Principles (**Attachment 2**). This board action letter presents a clean version of the 2023 priorities and principles with staff's recommended revisions, incorporating technical and policy input received. Staff understands the interest in advancing a non-functional turf bill proposal, so that item is included as a priority, although contingent on receiving the necessary Board authorization.

The 2023 Legislative Priorities and Principles below are respectfully submitted for consideration and discussion; input from the Board will be incorporated into the final draft, which will be coming back in December 2022 for adoption by the Board.

2023 Legislative Priorities

To help adapt to a changing climate, protect water resources, and partner with communities we serve, Metropolitan will work to support administrative/legislative actions and funding for the following priorities in 2023:

- A. Top Legislative Priorities:
 - 1. Continue support for imported water supply resiliency and reliability, including progress on the Delta Conveyance Project, Sites Reservoir Project, Voluntary Agreements, and protecting critical elevations in Lake Powell and Lake Mead.
 - 2. Conserve existing water supplies and prepare for climate change by supporting demand management and water use efficiency, long-term non-functional turf conversion, and a federal tax exemption for water conservation rebates.
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 - 6. Implement Metropolitan's Climate Action Plan to reduce Metropolitan's greenhouse gas emissions and reach carbon neutrality by 2045.
- B. Metropolitan-Sponsored State Bill (contingent upon separate Board authorization)
 - 1. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding for the long-term conversion of non-functional turf (NFT) in residential, commercial, industrial, and institutional (CII) existing landscapes and ban the installation of NFT in new construction.

2023 Legislative Policy Principles

The 2023 Legislative Policy Principles will guide and inform Metropolitan's engagement on state and federal legislative and regulatory activities. They were developed in consultation with subject matter experts at Metropolitan. The principles described below holistically address seven strategic areas of policy that inform Metropolitan's One Water Vision: drought response; drinking water; regional water resource management; imported water supply; sustainability, resiliency, innovation; infrastructure; and system resiliency.

- I. Drought Response –Southern California's two main sources of imported water are currently in severe drought conditions. Investments in additional conservation and local supplies are necessary as drought conditions continue or worsen, and the impacts of climate change are accelerating.
 - A. Support legislative/administrative actions and funding for local and regional drought resiliency projects and to improve system flexibility.
 - B. Support legislative/administrative actions and funding to accelerate new local supply development, including but not limited to recycled water, stormwater, groundwater remediation, water loss detection and repair, long-term conversion of non-functional turf, and other water conservation measures.

- C. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding for imported source watershed protection and enhancement of water quality, supply, and demand-side management actions to help offset the effects of extended drought conditions.
 - D. Support administrative/legislative actions and pursue funding opportunities that recognize and help mitigate the significant differences in the capability and needs of communities and regions to withstand the impacts of ongoing drought.
 - E. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding for local drought contingency planning areas in the state that have increased concern about wholesale water system delivery constraints.
- II. Drinking Water – Metropolitan provides to the Southern California region high-quality, reliable drinking water in an economically responsible way that surpasses all federal and state drinking water regulations.
- A. Water Quality and Treatment
 - 1. Support administrative/legislative actions that utilize best available science, occurrence and health effects data, and appropriate cost-benefit analyses or economic feasibility to protect public health and improve water quality. Apply these principles when setting maximum contaminant levels, health advisories, or notification/response levels, in addition to assessing laboratory capacity, analytical methods, and other regulatory standards or guidance levels.
 - 2. Support administrative/legislative actions, consistent with Board direction, to identify, evaluate, and prioritize constituents of emerging concern in drinking water.
 - 3. Support application of the “polluter pays” principle such that parties responsible for introducing contaminants in or near drinking water sources are held liable for cleanup, and not drinking water and wastewater facilities that subsequently store, transport, or treat the water.
 - 4. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding for treatment and mitigation measures to comply with any new regulatory standards, develop risk communication tools, as well as provide adequate time for implementation.
 - 5. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to protect source water quality, reduce threats from invasive species, and mitigate harmful algal blooms
 - B. Water Governance and Funding: Metropolitan supports statewide efforts to provide access to safe and affordable drinking water to all residents.
 - 1. Support administrative/legislative actions that prioritize providing safe and affordable drinking water to disadvantaged communities.
 - 2. Support administrative/legislative actions that meaningfully improve water affordability throughout the region at both the individual and the water system level without burdening existing ratepayers.
 - 3. Support funding to help water systems provide low-income ratepayer assistance programs.
 - 4. Support administrative/legislative actions that improve governance and long-term sustainability of non-compliant water systems and provide assistance for consolidations that improve their technical, managerial, or financial capacity, while ensuring that all receiving public water systems are consulted on changes of organization, including proposed consolidations or extensions of service area.
 - 5. Support administrative/legislative actions that ensure the limited resources of the Safe and Affordable Drinking Water Fund are allocated to advance projects, operation and

maintenance costs, infrastructure improvements, and/or consolidation actions that will achieve long-term sustainability for water systems and the communities that rely on those systems.

- III. Regional Water Resource Management – Metropolitan’s One Water Vision promotes collaboration with member agencies to plan for future water supply needs and the challenges ahead in a reliable, cost-effective, and environmentally responsible manner. This involves protecting imported water supplies and quality, supporting local resource development, advancing water use efficiency, and supporting ecosystem protection and restoration.
- A. Continue to support and promote integrated water resources development by advocating for clear, concise, and expedited regulations/policies that are easily understandable by the regulated community and public.
 - B. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to expedite the development of new local resources (including recycled water and direct potable reuse, groundwater, stormwater, and desalination projects), without compromising the operational, financial, water quality, regulatory, environmental, and customer interests of Metropolitan and other water and wastewater agencies.
 - C. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to facilitate the implementation of the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act and assist local agencies in maintaining long-term groundwater supply reliability, while upholding Metropolitan’s investments in groundwater banking partnerships.
 - D. Conservation
 - 1. Support tax exemptions and/or credits for water conservation or efficiency incentives including, but not limited to long-term conversion of NFT, local stormwater capture, and other measures to reduce consumption of water or enhance the absorption and infiltration capacity of the landscape.
 - 2. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to encourage equitable water use efficiency and recycled water use among agricultural, industrial, and urban sectors.
 - 3. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to advance Conservation as a California Way of Life in a manner that maintains flexibility and local control. Support efforts to ensure new statutes and regulations are based on science; recognize regional distinctions (i.e., climate, land use, population, and hydrology); and potential impacts to wastewater operations and recycled water projects.
 - 4. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to reduce water loss. Support the development and implementation of flexible water loss standards for both retail and wholesale water systems.
 - 5. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding for the long-term conversion of NFT in residential, commercial, industrial, and institutional landscapes and ban installation of NFT in new construction.
 - E. Desalination & Groundwater Remediation
 - 1. Support administrative/legislative actions, funding and partnerships for brackish groundwater and seawater desalination projects, consistent with the Governor’s Water Resilience Portfolio and Water Supply Strategy and MWD’s Climate Action Plan.
 - 2. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding for salinity control projects including, but not limited to source control, treatment, and concentrate management.
 - 3. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding that advance Metropolitan’s groundwater storage and/or recovery programs with member agencies.

4. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding for desalination research and technology development projects, and initiatives that encourage stakeholder coordination on these investments, such as with the National Alliance for Water Innovation.

F. Recycled Water

1. Support actions to advance and secure funding for the Pure Water Southern California Program and related projects.
2. Support efforts to improve flexibility of the State's water recycling grant program.
3. Support implementation of the National Water Reuse Action Plan and California Water Reuse Action Plan while protecting local flexibility and encouraging local, state and federal coordination, research, and innovation.
4. Support administrative/legislative actions that facilitate the adoption of practical uniform water recycling criteria for direct potable reuse through raw water augmentation by December 31, 2023. These actions include but are not limited to funding: (a) for the planning, development, and implementation of local and regional potable reuse projects; and (b) initiatives to fill research gaps and advance the science to promote the further development of potable reuse.
5. Support administrative/legislative actions to promote voluntary on-site water treatment systems if they maintain compliance with Title 22 and do not negatively affect municipal water recycling systems.
6. Support administrative/legislative actions that maximize voluntary use of recycled water.

G. Stormwater Capture

1. Support administrative/legislative actions that advance stormwater as a beneficial resource and facilitate the funding and permitting of stormwater capture projects to augment local and regional water supplies and promote holistic watershed health.

H. Watershed Management

1. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to enhance watershed management in Southern California, the Bay-Delta, and Colorado River watersheds that provide broad public benefits, including water quality and water supply reliability, reduced wildfire risks, greater scientific understanding, and other environmental improvements.
2. Support administrative/legislative actions that help advance implementation of watershed management plans, including watershed research and multi-benefit forestry management projects.
3. Support implementation of the California Water Resiliency Portfolio and the Water Supply Strategy, as consistent with Metropolitan goals and objectives, to ensure improved watershed-scale coordination, watershed management and planning, and programs and funding that provide water resilience and improve watershed functions.

- IV. Imported Water Supply – Metropolitan provides imported water supplies to its member agencies from two primary sources, the Colorado River via the Colorado Aqueduct and Northern California watersheds via the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta and the State Water Project.

- A. Bay-Delta Initiatives – Metropolitan is involved in several key regulatory and planning processes in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta related to the operation of the State Water Project (SWP). The goal is to advance water supply reliability and ecosystem restoration concurrently by modernizing the state's water infrastructure with the proposed Delta

Conveyance Project and improving the habitat and function of the Delta estuary for the benefit of threatened and endangered species. To advance these goals, Metropolitan supports collaborative scientific efforts to better understand how to restore and manage the Bay-Delta.

1. Support administrative/legislative actions to advance Delta Conveyance and EcoRestore in support of California's coequal goals of water supply reliability and Delta ecosystem restoration and the Governor's California Water Resilience Portfolio.
 2. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to improve scientific understanding of listed Delta fish and wildlife species and water project operations in the Delta, including data collection, real-time monitoring, and modeling. Promote the use of best available science to protect and restore aquatic species and habitats, and enhance flexibility for water project operations while maintaining regulatory and statutory protections for species listed under the state and federal Endangered Species Act.
 3. Continue support for implementation of state policies adopted as part of the 2009 Delta Reform Act and water management package, including clarification of the monitoring, reporting, and enforcement provisions related to in-Delta diversions.
 4. Support administrative/legislative actions to consolidate review and oversight of anadromous species protection under the U.S. Department of the Interior.
 5. Support administrative/legislative actions that protect water quality for beneficial uses and that are implemented consistent with water rights priorities.
 6. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to advance the Delta Freshwater Pathway, levee improvements, and secure flood-fighting materials and stockpiles.
 7. Support administrative/legislative actions in the Delta watershed to account for and administer the water rights system including protecting stored water releases.
 8. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to advance Sites Reservoir and the Voluntary Agreements, consistent with the Board's action to advance these efforts.
- B. Colorado River Resources – The Colorado River is a critical resource for the entire Southwest and many diverse ecosystems. Degradation of the River's water quality can cause significant economic, environmental, and human health impacts across the West. Metropolitan and other interested parties work to ensure we can continue to supply our communities with a safe and reliable water supply.
1. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding of conservation and efficiency projects to enhance the resiliency of the Colorado River System and Metropolitan's Colorado River supplies that reduces the risk of Lake Mead and Lake Powell falling below critical elevations.
 2. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding for the cleanup of contaminated sites along the Colorado River. This includes, but is not limited to, uranium remediation in Moab, Utah; perchlorate remediation in Henderson, Nevada; hexavalent chromium remediation near Topock, Arizona; and a waste disposal site near Hoover Dam.
 3. Promote continued coordination between states for the Colorado River Basin Salinity Control Program. Support efforts to maintain and enhance the operation of the United States Bureau of Reclamation's Paradox Valley salinity control project at a safe level while working to develop a viable alternative that can provide long-term reductions in salt loads to the Colorado River.
 4. Secure funding and support administrative/legislative actions for the implementation of the Lower Colorado River Multi-Species Conservation Program to promote the recovery

of threatened and endangered species in a manner that allows the Lower Basin States to conserve Colorado River water.

5. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding that advance binational water conservation programs that benefit Colorado River supply augmentation and habitat restoration objectives.
- C. State Water Project – About 30 percent of Southern California’s water comes from the SWP in an average year. Metropolitan works with state and federal agencies as well as other SWP contractors to manage threats to the project and address environmental needs and augment water supplies through existing and potential collaborative transfers and groundwater banking agreements.
1. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to address the impacts of subsidence on the SWP and prevent future damage caused by unsustainable groundwater pumping.
 2. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding for new or expanded water infrastructure or programs that complement the SWP.
 3. Support funding for joint state and federal facility repairs, rehabilitation, and improvements, and ensure funding is equitably distributed between partners while maintaining SWP supply reliability.
 4. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding for the cleanup of contaminated groundwater storage basins used for Metropolitan water banking programs along the California Aqueduct.
 5. Support funding for the public share of costs, including recreation, flood protection, mitigation, environmental enhancement, and rehabilitation for multi-purpose SWP facilities.
- V. Sustainability, Resiliency, and Innovation – Metropolitan supports policies and funding that encourage sustainable practices that improve water and power system resilience and adapt to a rapidly changing environmental landscape. Metropolitan strives to fulfill the needs of the current generation without compromising the needs of future generations in an environmentally and economically responsible way.
- A. Climate Action and Adaptation
1. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to implement Metropolitan’s Climate Action Plan to reduce MWD’s greenhouse gas emissions and reach carbon neutrality by 2045.
 2. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to assist the Department of Water Resources to reach carbon neutrality by 2045 in a cost-effective and environmentally responsible manner.
 3. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to improve, develop and promote innovative climate adaptation solutions and support science-based strategies and tools that benefit the environment by restoring healthy soils, conserving water, and capturing and/or sequestering carbon.
 4. Support research into the potential water resource and quality effects of climate change.
 5. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding that facilitate the integration of existing and planned local water supply, distribution systems, and regional water facilities.

B. Water/Energy Nexus

1. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding for energy efficiency and storage projects, and programs to reduce greenhouse gases and develop renewable resources.
2. Support administrative/legislative actions that remove barriers and encourage energy sector investments in water conservation and energy management programs.
3. Support administrative/legislative or regulatory activities that preserve Metropolitan's ability to pursue a diverse set of supply options and oppose constraints on supply development, such as water resource loading orders based solely on energy intensity.
4. Support efforts to ensure power costs are appropriate and proportional to the benefits received and that water system operations are not adversely affected by power-related legislation/administrative actions.
5. Support administrative/legislative actions that provide state funding from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund for water/energy nexus projects and maintain Cap-and-Trade allowances for Metropolitan and Department of Water Resources (i.e., State Water Contractors).
6. Support administrative/legislative actions that maintain Board authority over energy-related matters (e.g., system reserve margin or resource adequacy requirements).

C. Renewable Energy

1. Support administrative/legislative actions that define hydropower generation as renewable energy irrespective of a facility's nameplate generating capacity and includes the provision of renewable energy credits for hydroelectric generation.
2. Work to ensure that administrative/legislative actions seeking to enhance or expand hydropower at existing dams do not adversely impact those dams, either financially or operationally, or entities with rights to the power from the existing resources that directly or indirectly impact Metropolitan's service area.
3. Support administrative/legislative actions to improve federal hydropower relicensing for existing facilities, including SWP resources.
4. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding for the SWP and the CRA to incorporate renewable energy resources, such as pumped hydroelectric energy, that contribute to the state's climate goals without impacting the projects' primary purpose, provided consideration is given to transmission limitations, cost and portfolio availability, and unrelated impacts are not shifted to SWP or CRA facilities.

D. Environmental Stewardship

1. Support administrative/legislative actions for environmental compliance to improve clarity and workability of the requirements and promote consistency and reduce regulatory duplication, while protective of public health and the environment.
2. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to facilitate non-mitigation habitat restoration projects that benefit endangered and threatened species.
3. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding for research and partnerships on water science, including snowpack and streamflow monitoring, runoff, drinking water quality, salinity control, source water protection, soil moisture monitoring, healthy soils, and watershed research.
4. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding that assists public agencies in the transition to zero-emission fleets and equipment.

- E. Workforce Development—Metropolitan is committed to ensuring the resiliency of its workforce and to advancing diversity, equity, and inclusion to promote the physical and mental safety and well-being of its workforce and the communities it serves.
 - 1. Support administrative/legislative actions, funding, and partnerships to improve educational opportunities in the water sector, including career technical education and workforce development.
 - 2. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding that improve water system staff training and certification processes.
- F. Innovation – Supporting and promoting innovation and emerging technologies continues Metropolitan’s long tradition of creatively solving difficult challenges.
 - 1. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding for the research and development of new and emerging technologies such as satellite- and computer-based technologies to monitor source water quality, ecosystem health, state- and federal-threatened and endangered fish species; measure and predict agricultural water use, urban outdoor water use and reservoir evaporation; and expand coordination with technology incubators, research institutions, and other stakeholder groups.
 - 2. Support administrative/legislative actions and funding to promote open water data platforms and sharing, including improving access to agency data, streamlining the collection and submission of water agency data, and promoting collaboration among federal, state, and local stakeholders.
- VI. Infrastructure – Metropolitan has a strategic priority to invest in key capital projects in our region to enable long-term, reliable water deliveries. Key capital projects identified in Metropolitan’s Capital Investment Plan focus on improvements to the CRA, treatment plants, and distribution systems.
 - A. Support administrative/legislative actions to initiate, expedite and secure funding to defray the costs of planning, financing, constructing, repairing, and rehabilitating water infrastructure projects, including but not limited to general obligation bonds, tax-exempt municipal bonds, grants, low-interest loans, and direct appropriations. Ensure equitable cost-sharing of water infrastructure projects.
 - B. Support administrative/legislative efforts to expand funding programs, expedite project approval and reporting processes, and prevent project backlogs in state and federal funding or financing.
 - C. Support the “beneficiaries pay” approach as a financing mechanism for statewide projects and programs and oppose public goods charges, or other charges levied on water agencies for funding broader public benefits.
 - D. Support funding for the public share of costs, including mitigation, rehabilitation, and recreation, for multi-purpose water infrastructure.
- VII. System Resiliency – Metropolitan diligently maintains and significantly invests to safeguard a region-wide water supply system that is a cornerstone of Southern California’s \$1.6 trillion economy. Resiliency ensures the water supply and delivery system is strong, can return to service quickly, and is prepared to address future challenges.
 - A. Emergency Preparedness
 - 1. Support administrative/legislative actions that assist the water industry to prepare for, respond to, and recover from extreme weather events and natural disasters, including earthquakes and wildfires, catastrophic accidents, and physical or cyber sabotage. These actions may include, but are not limited to, actions to provide funding for emergency responses and planning and post-emergency restoration of service.

2. Support administrative/legislative actions to secure and disburse funding to help public water systems defray the costs associated with COVID-19 (e.g., loss of revenue, deferred infrastructure maintenance, personal protective equipment, workplace health and safety improvements, and on-site testing) and for direct financial relief to low-income households facing substantial utility bill arrearages post COVID-19.
3. Support administrative/legislative actions that assist the water industry to address the effects of wildfires and power outages, including the impacts of public safety power shutoff events.
4. Support additional funding for the Federal Emergency Management Agency programs to assist with emergency repairs and improvements, including but not limited to dam safety, spillway improvements, and erosion control repairs.

B. Physical and Cyber Security

1. Support continued U.S. Environmental Protection Agency oversight of water system security in coordination with other federal and state agencies with expertise in security, including the Governor's Office of Emergency Services, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the Chemical Security Analysis Center.
2. Support administrative/legislative actions that would provide funding or reimbursement for enhanced physical security and cybersecurity for water and power infrastructure.
3. Support trade associations and coalition efforts to share information and develop standard guidance and best management practices to protect water and power critical infrastructure from cyber vulnerabilities.
4. Support administrative/legislative actions that ensure Metropolitan's ability to reliably operate and maintain its facilities, infrastructure, and real estate assets, including rights of way, and to protect against encroachment.

C. Chemical Security

1. Support administrative/legislative actions to improve supply chain reliability, achieve tax-exempt status for water treatment chemicals, and ensure access to water treatment chemicals.
2. Support administrative/legislative actions to ensure the continued use of gaseous chlorine to protect public health.

Policy

Metropolitan Water District Administrative Code Section 11104: Delegation of Responsibilities

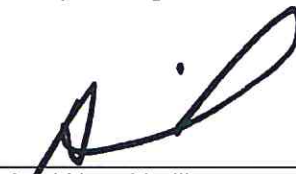
Fiscal Impact

No direct fiscal impact.



Susan Sims
Group Manager, External Affairs

11/3/2022
Date



Adel Hagekhalil
General Manager

11/3/2022
Date

Attachment 1 – Final 2022 Legislative Priorities and Principles

Attachment 2 – Redline 2022 Legislative Priorities and Principles

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10. CONSIDERATION TO SCHEDULE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT
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DIRECTORS MEMORANDUM 2022-104

December 1, 2022

To: Rubidoux Community Services District
Board of Directors

Subject: Consideration to Schedule Employees' Retirement and Annual End-of-Year Luncheons

BACKGROUND:

Later this month, three integral members of the Rubidoux Community Services District ("District") staff are retiring. They include:

- Fausto Canal – Utility Maintenance Worker I – 20+ years' service
- Brian Jennings – Customer Service / Accounts Payable Manager – 21+ years' service
- Jeff Sims – General Manager – 3+ years' service

District staff wishes to recognize their dedication and commitment to the District for their combined 44 years of service. As part of this recognition, District staff plan to hold a catered retirement luncheon for the three employees and their close family on Wednesday December 7 from 1pm - 3pm. Those invited include current District staff, recent District retirees, Board Members and a select few from Fire Station 38. District staff expects to expend no public funds towards the retirement luncheon and instead will redeem credit card points accumulated over time to offset the charge of the food and decorations.

Additionally, for many years District staff have participated in a year-end pot-luck luncheon. As the Board is aware, no public funds are used for the luncheon. In recent years, the Board has been asked to voluntarily contribute money toward the luncheon. This year no voluntary monetary contributions from the Board is required. However, since the luncheon is a pot-luck event, the Board is welcome to bring desserts or sides if they so choose.

To not interfere and diminish the retirement luncheon, the year-end pot-luck luncheon will be Wednesday December 21 from 12pm – 2pm. All District employees and Directors are invited.

RECOMMENDATION:

No action; information only.

Respectfully,

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JEFFREY D. SIMS, P. E.
General Manager

11. DIRECTORS COMMENTS - NON-ACTION

12. ADJOURNMENT