CHINO BASIN WATERMASTER ANNUAL APPROPRIATIVE POOL COMMITTEE MEETING

9:00 a.m. – January 12, 2023

Mr. Chris Diggs – 2023 Chair

Mr. Chris Berch – 2023 Vice-Chair

At The Offices Of

Chino Basin Watermaster

9641 San Bernardino Road

Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730

(Call can be taken remotely via Zoom at this link)

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

AGENDA - ADDITIONS/REORDER

I. ANNUAL ELECTIONS (ACTION)	NC	1
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A. Elect the Secretary, Treasurer, and Assistant Secretaries and Treasurers as may be appropriate. The 2023 Chair and Vice-Chair seats were voted on by the Appropriative Pool Committee on December 8, 2022.

Chair	Chris Diggs
Vice-Chair	Chris Berch
Secretary/Treasurer	Watermaster General Manager

B. Calendar Year 2023 Appropriative Pool Minor Representatives to the 2023 Advisory Committee

Elect two Minor Representatives to the Calendar Year 2023 Advisory Committee. According to the Appropriative Pool Pooling Plan, each major Appropriator is entitled to one representative on the Advisory Committee. The minor Appropriators shall elect two representatives to serve on the Advisory Committee. The minor producers for 2023 are: BlueTriton Brands, Inc., CalMat Co., City of Fontana, City of Norco, County of San Bernardino, Golden State Water Company, Marygold Mutual Water Company, Monte Vista Irrigation Company, NCL Co., LLC, Niagara Bottling Company, Nicholson Family Trust, San Antonio Water Company, Santa Ana River Water Company, West End Consolidated Water Company, and West Valley Water District.

Minor Rep #1	
Minor Rep #2	

C. Calendar Year 2023 Appropriative Pool Member Appointed to Serve as Advisory Committee Officer

Appoint a designated representative to serve as an officer of the Advisory Committee during Calendar Year 2023. According to the rotation sequence established among the Pools, the Appropriative Pool appointee will be filling the position of Second Vice-Chair.

F	Appropriative	Pool Officer	(Second	Vice-Chair)	Appointment	to the A	Advisory (Committee:

D. Calendar Year 2023 Appropriative Pool Representation on the Watermaster Board (Information Only)

According to the Board rotation schedule filed with the Court in 2000 and updated on November 17, 2015, the Appropriators listed below will have a seat on the Watermaster Board as follows:

For Calendar Year 2023 the Minor AP Representatives have appointed the following:

Member: Jim Curatalo Alternate: Kati Parker

For Calendar Year 2023 the *Monte Vista Water District* has appointed the following:

Member: Manny Martinez
Alternate: G. Michael Milhiser

For Calendar Years 2023 and 2024 the City of Ontario has appointed the following:

Member: Scott Burton

Alternate: Debra Dorst-Porada

II. CONSENT CALENDAR

A. MINUTES

Approve as presented:

- 1. Minutes of the Appropriative Pool Committee Meeting held November 10, 2022 (Page 1)
- 2. Minutes of the Appropriative Pool Committee Special Meeting held December 8, 2022 (Page 9)

B. FINANCIAL REPORTS

Receive and file as presented:

- 1. Cash Disbursements for the month of October 2022 (Page 30)
- 2. Watermaster VISA Check Detail for the month of October 2022 (Page 42)
- 3. Combining Schedule for the Period July 1, 2022 through October 31, 2022 (Page 45)
- 4. Treasurer's Report of Financial Affairs for the Period October 1, 2022 through October 31, 2022 (Page 48)
- 5. Budget vs. Actual Report for the Period July 1, 2022 through October 31, 2022 (Page 52)
- 6. Cash Disbursements for the month of November 2022 (Page 77)
- 7. Watermaster VISA Check Detail for the month of November 2022 (Page 90)
- 8. Combining Schedule for the Period July 1, 2022 through November 30, 2022 (Page 94)
- 9. Treasurer's Report of Financial Affairs for the Period November 1, 2022 through November 30, 2022 (*Page 97*)
- 10. Budget vs. Actual Report for the Period July 1, 2022 through November 30, 2022 (Page 101)
- 11. Cash Disbursements for December 2022 (Information Only) (Page 127)

C. CHINO BASIN WATERMASTER INVESTMENT POLICY

Recommend that the Advisory Committee recommends approval of Resolution 2023-01 – Resolution of the Chino Basin Watermaster, San Bernardino County, California, Re-Authorizing the Watermaster's Investment Policy. (*Page 137*)

D. LOCAL AGENCY INVESTMENT FUND

Recommend that the Advisory Committee recommends approval of Resolution 2023-02 – Resolution Authorizing Investment of Monies in the Local Agency Investment Fund (LAIF). (Page 144)

E. CHINO BASIN WATERMASTER 45TH ANNUAL REPORT (FISCAL YEAR 2021/22)

Recommend to the Advisory Committee to recommend to the Watermaster Board to adopt the 45th Annual Report, along with filing a copy with the Court, subject to any necessary non-substantive changes. (Page 147)

F. WATER TRANSACTION - CITY OF UPLAND TO FONTANA WATER COMPANY

Provide advice and assistance to the Advisory Committee on the proposed transaction: The purchase of 10,000 acre-feet of water from City of Upland by Fontana Water Company. This purchase is made from City of Upland's Excess Carryover Account. (*Page 150*)

G. WATER TRANSACTION - CITY OF CHINO TO CUCAMONGA VALLEY WATER DISTRICT

Provide advice and assistance to the Advisory Committee on the proposed transaction: The purchase of 7,500 acre-feet of water from City of Chino by Cucamonga Valley Water District. This purchase is made from City of Chino's Excess Carryover Account. (*Page 158*)

H. WATER TRANSACTION - CITY OF CHINO TO FONTANA WATER COMPANY

Provide advice and assistance to the Advisory Committee on the proposed transaction: The purchase of 10,000 acre-feet of water from City of Chino by Fontana Water Company. This purchase is made from City of Chino's Excess Carryover Account. (*Page 166*)

III. BUSINESS ITEMS

A. OPTIMUM BASIN MANAGEMENT PROGRAM (OBMP) PROJECT DESCRIPTION TRANSMITTAL

Provide advice and assistance. (Page 174)

B. OPTIMUM BASIN MANAGEMENT PROGRAM (OBMP) IMPLEMENTATION PLAN UPDATE

Recommend to the Advisory Committee to recommend Watermaster Board approval of a purchase order for Mr. Ceppos' services. (Page 179)

IV. REPORTS/UPDATES

A. LEGAL COUNSEL

- 1. November 18, 2022 Hearing
- 2. December 16, 2022 Hearing
- 3. Court of Appeal Case No. E079052
- 4. City of Ontario Notice of Appeal of November 3, 2022 Ruling
- 5. Kaiser Permanente Lawsuit
- 6. Rules and Regulations Update

B. ENGINEER

- 1. Measurement and Reporting of Diversions for Water Year 2022
- 2. Ground-Level Monitoring Committee
- 3. Safe Yield Court Order Implementation
- 4. Ambient Water Quality

C. CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

- 1. FY 2022/23 Assessment Package Payments Status
- 2. Upcoming FY 2022/23 Mid-Year Review

D. GENERAL MANAGER

- 1. Exhibit "G" Physical Solution Transfers
- 2. Calendar Year 2023 Letters of CBWM Representation
- 3. Hearing Officer Panel
- 4. December 5, 2022 Board Workshop IV
- 5. 2022 Little Heart Warriors Fundraiser
- 6. Other

V. INFORMATION

VI. POOL MEMBER COMMENTS

VII. OTHER BUSINESS

VIII. CONFIDENTIAL SESSION - POSSIBLE ACTION

A Confidential Session may be held during the Pool Committee meeting for the purpose of discussion and possible action.

- 1. Discussion relating to the Rules and Regulations update
- 2. Review and approve AG legal payments for Sept., Oct., Nov.
- 3. Discussion relating to OBMP IP
- 4. Legal Appeals Update
- 5. AP Business

IX. FUTURE MEETINGS AT WATERMASTER

01/12/23	Thu	9:00 a.m.	Appropriative Pool Committee (Annual)
01/12/23	Thu	11:00 a.m.	Non-Agricultural Pool Committee (Annual)
01/12/23	Thu	1:30 p.m.	Agricultural Pool Committee (Annual)
01/19/23	Thu	9:00 a.m.	Advisory Committee
01/19/23	Thu	9:30 a.m.	Recharge Investigations and Project Committee (RIPComm)
01/26/23	Thu	9:30 a.m.	Watermaster Orientation
01/26/23	Thu	11:00 a.m.	Watermaster Board

ADJOURNMENT