# MINUTES CHINO BASIN WATERMASTER APPROPRIATIVE POOL MEETING

August 9, 2018

The Appropriative Pool meeting was held at the offices of Chino Basin Watermaster located at 9641 San Bernardino Road, Rancho Cucamonga, CA on August 9, 2018.

# **APPROPRIATIVE POOL MEMBERS PRESENT**

Teri Layton, Chair

Van Jew, Vice-Chair

Cris Fealy

San Antonio Water Company

Monte Vista Water District

Fontana Water Company

Eric Tarango Fontana Union Water Company
John Bosler Cucamonga Valley Water District

Darron Poulsen City of Pomona

Todd Corbin Jurupa Community Services District

Rosemary Hoerning

Ron Craig

Dave Crosley

City of Upland

City of Chino Hills

City of Chino

City of Chino

City of Chino

City of Ontario

WATERMASTER BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Eunice Ulloa City of Chino

Bob Kuhn Three Valleys Municipal Water District

**WATERMASTER STAFF PRESENT** 

Peter Kavounas General Manager
Joseph Joswiak Chief Financial Officer

Edgar Tellez Foster Senior Environmental Engineer

Anna Nelson Executive Services Director/Board Clerk
Justin Nakano Water Resources Senior Associate

**WATERMASTER CONSULTANTS PRESENT** 

Brad Herrema Brownstein Hyatt Farber Schreck, LLP Andy Malone Wildermuth Environmental, Inc.

**OTHERS PRESENT** 

Shaun Stone Inland Empire Utilities Agency
Curtis Paxton Chino Basin Desalter Authority
Josh Swift Fontana Water Company

David De Jesus Three Valleys Municipal Water District

Courtney Jones City of Ontario Amanda Coker City of Chino

Matt Litchfield Three Valleys Municipal Water District

Raul Garibay City of Pomona

Eduardo Espinoza Cucamonga Valley Water District

Manny Martinez Monte Vista Water District

Eric Grubb Cucamonga Valley Water District

### **CALL TO ORDER**

Chair Layton called the Appropriative Pool meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

### AGENDA – ADDITIONS/REORDER

(0:00:17) Chair Layton suggested that Business Items II.D. and II.E. are taken after confidential session.

## I. CONSENT CALENDAR

## A. MINUTES

Approve as presented:

1. Minutes of the Appropriative Pool Meeting held July 19, 2018

### **B. FINANCIAL REPORTS**

Receive and file as presented:

- 1. Cash Disbursements for the month of June 2018
- 2. Watermaster VISA Check Detail for the month of June 2018
- 3. Combining Schedule for the Period July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018
- 4. Treasurer's Report of Financial Affairs for the Period June 1, 2018 through June 30, 2018
- 5. Budget vs. Actual Report for the Period July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018

### C. WATER TRANSACTIONS

Provide advice and assistance to the Watermaster Board on the proposed transaction: The purchase of 500.000 acre-feet of water from West Valley Water District by Cucamonga Valley Water District. This purchase is made from West Valley Water District's Excess Carryover Account. Date of application: July 11, 2018.

(0:00:32)

Motion by Mr. Todd Corbin, seconded by Mr. Cris Fealy, and by unanimous vote **Moved to approve the Consent Calendar as presented.** 

## II. BUSINESS ITEMS

A. RIGHT OF ENTRY AGREEMENT BETWEEN CHINO BASIN WATERMASTER AND THE CITY OF POMONA FOR CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF THE POMONA EXTENSOMETER Recommend to the Advisory Committee to approve the Right of Entry Agreement between the Chino Basin Watermaster and the City of Pomona for Construction and Operation of the Pomona Extensometer.

(0:00:50) Mr. Tellez Foster gave a report. A discussion ensued.

(0:02:22)

Motion by Mr. Darron Poulsen, seconded by Vice-Chair Van Jew, and by unanimous vote **Moved to approve Business Item II.A. as presented.** 

# B. TASK ORDER NO. 3 UNDER MASTER AGREEMENT FOR COLLABORATIVE PROJECTS: POMONA EXTENSOMETER CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION

Recommend to the Advisory Committee to approve Task Order No. 3 Under Master Agreement for Collaborative Projects: Pomona Extensometer Contract Administration.

(0:02:42) Mr. Tellez Foster gave a report. A discussion ensued.

(0:04:29)

Motion by Mr. Darron Poulsen, seconded by Vice-Chair Van Jew, and by unanimous vote **Moved to approve Business Item II.B. as presented.** 

# C. RIGHT OF ENTRY AGREEMENT BETWEEN CHINO BASIN WATERMASTER AND CHINO REAL ESTATE 13799 LLC (MONITORING WELL PRESERVATION AT FORMER CROWN COACH FACILITY)

Recommend to the Advisory Committee to approve the Right of Entry Agreement between the Chino Basin Watermaster and Chino Real Estate 13799 LLC.

(0:04:55) Mr. Tellez Foster gave a report. A discussion ensued.

(0:08:02)

Motion by Ms. Rosemary Hoerning, seconded by Chair Teri Layton, and by unanimous vote **Moved to approve Business Item II.C. as presented.** 

# **D.** ADVISORY COMMITTEE REQUEST FOR CONTINUED WATERMASTER ASSISTANCE Discuss and possibly take action.

(0:08:39) Mr. Kavounas gave a presentation. A discussion ensued.

Mr. Crosley joined the meeting at 9:15 a.m.

This item was taken into Confidential Session and the reportable action is provided in sequence below.

# E. MOU REGARDING CONTRIBUTIONS OF SAFE YIELD FOR DESALTER REPLENISHMENT Discuss and possibly take action.

This item was taken into Confidential Session and the reportable action is provided in sequence below.

# III. REPORTS/UPDATES

## A. LEGAL COUNSEL REPORT

- 1. Appeal of April 28, 2017 Order
- 2. August 17, 2018 Hearing
- 3. Overlying (Agricultural) Pool Committee's Consolidated and Amended Contest

(0:29:44) Mr. Herrema gave a report. A discussion ensued.

### **B. ENGINEER REPORT**

- 1. Storage Framework
- 2. Fiscal Year 2017/18 GLMC Annual Report

(0:35:05) Mr. Malone gave a report.

# C. CFO REPORT

None

### D. GM REPORT

- 1. 2018 RMPU
- 2. Storage Management Plan Development Schedule
- 3. Other
- (0:37:00) Mr. Kavounas introduced Mr. Nakano to give a report on Item III.D.1.
- (0:37:46) Mr. Kavounas gave a report on Item III.D.2. A discussion ensued.

### IV. INFORMATION

- 1. Cash Disbursements for July 2018
- 2. Recharge Investigations and Projects Committee (RIPCom)
- 3. Ground-Level Monitoring Committee Semi-Annual Status Report

### V. POOL MEMBER COMMENTS

(0:39:23) Vice-Chair Jew had additional questions for Business Item II.E. A discussion ensued.

(0:41:42) Ms. Gienger introduced Ms. Courtney Jones as City of Ontario's new Senior Associate Civil Engineer and will be Ms. Gienger's alternate for Watermaster related meetings during her leave.

# **VI. OTHER BUSINESS**

None

## VII. CONFIDENTIAL SESSION - POSSIBLE ACTION

The Pool took two Confidential Sessions.

Chair Layton called for the first confidential session at 9:44 a.m. to discuss Business Item II.D., Advisory Committee Request For Continued Watermaster Assistance, and Business Item II.E., MOU Regarding Contributions of Safe Yield For Desalter Replenishment. The first confidential session concluded at 10:55 a.m. with the following reportable action:

(42:25) The Appropriative Pool supports the MOU and the Agreement moving separately but recognize them as being linked. The Appropriative Pool is reaching out to the Agricultural Pool and Non-Agricultural Pool to move the items in unison and hopes to have a final document by the next Pool meetings. Watermaster should not bring Business Items II.D. and II.E. to the Advisory Committee until the Appropriative Pool considers further language to the documents.

Chair Layton called for the second confidential session at 10:59 a.m. to have the Appropriative Pool Strategic Planning discussion. The second confidential session concluded at 11:42 a.m. with the following reportable action:

(44:50) By majority vote, the Appropriative Pool approves the concept of the Tolling Agreement and authorizes the Chair to sign on behalf of the Pool.

No Votes on Tolling Agreement Action:

Dave Crosley – City of Chino Katie Gienger – City of Ontario

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Chair Layton adjourned the Appropriative Pool meeting at 11:43 a.m.

		Secretary:	
Approved:	September 13, 2018		