



CHINO BASIN WATERMASTER

II. BUSINESS ITEM

A. NON-AGRICULTURAL POOL VOLUME VOTE CHANGES





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Chief Executive Officer

STAFF REPORT

DATE: August 19, 2010
TO: Pool Committee Members
SUBJECT: Non-Agricultural Pool Judgment Amendment

SUMMARY

The Non-Agricultural Pool seeks input regarding its proposed Judgment amendment to change its volume voting procedures contained in the Pool's pooling plan (Judgment Exhibit "G"). The Pool has submitted that attached staff report for discussion and comment by the Pools, Advisory Committee and Board prior to their submittal to the court.

Recommendation:

Watermaster staff and counsel recommend that the Overlying (Agricultural) Pool provide feedback to the Non-Agricultural Pool during their August Pool meetings.

Actions:

August 5, 2010 Appropriative Pool – Did not take action
August 5, 2010 Non-Agricultural Pool – Did not take action
August 12, 2010 Agricultural Pool – Did not take action
August 19, 2010 Advisory Committee –
August 26, 2010 Watermaster Board –

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July 30, 2010

Watermaster Parties
c/o Chino Basin Watermaster
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Re: Non-Agricultural Pool Committee

Summary

The Non-Agricultural Pool Committee has voted unanimously to amend its voting procedures. After discussion with other parties, the Chair and Vice Chair of the Non-Agricultural Pool Committee agreed to place the item on the agendas of the other committees for discussion during their meetings in August 2010.

Background and Description

At its meeting on May 19, 2010, the Non-Agricultural Pool Committee voted to amend Section 2.09 of the Rules and Regulations of the Non-Agricultural Pool and Section 2 of the Pooling Plan of the Non-Agricultural Pool, by inserting the following at the conclusion of the second paragraph of said Section 2.09 and also at the conclusion of the indented paragraph of said Section 2:

Affirmative action of the Committee shall require a majority of the voting power of members in attendance, provided that it includes concurrence by at least one-third of its total members.

The foregoing sentence is identical to a sentence that appears in the same locations in the Rules and Regulations, and Pooling Plan, for the Appropriative Pool. The motion to amend was made by the City of Ontario, seconded by California Steel Industries, and passed unanimously by the members of the Non-Agricultural Pool Committee in attendance.

Watermaster staff (Ken Manning) and Watermaster counsel (Michael Fife) were present during the meeting. Prior to the conclusion of the meeting, counsel for the Non-Agricultural Pool asked Mr. Fife if any further action would be appropriate in connection with the foregoing amendments. Mr. Fife indicated that a motion before the court might be appropriate. Mr. Fife did not suggest any other action was necessary or appropriate at that time.

Watermaster Parties

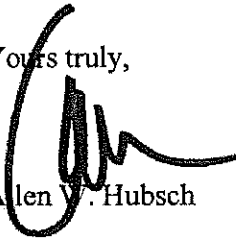
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On July 13, 2010, counsel for the Non-Agricultural Pool advised Watermaster counsel and staff, and counsel for the Appropriative Pool and the Agricultural Pool, by letter, that the Non-Agricultural Pool Committee had authorized his firm to make a motion for court approval of the foregoing amendments at the earliest practicable date, and asking if they had any objection to such a motion. The motion would be made by the Non-Agricultural Pool Committee, through its own counsel, at its own expense.

At the Advisory Committee meeting on July 15, 2010, there was discussion about whether the motion should be made by counsel for the Non-Agricultural Pool or by Watermaster counsel, and whether the amendment should be placed on the agendas of the other pools before the motion was made. At the Advisory Committee meeting, the Chair of the Non-Agricultural Pool Committee offered to delay filing of the motion so that the matter could be discussed at the meetings of the other committees in August 2010. At the Watermaster Board meeting on July 22, 2010, the Vice Chair of the Non-Agricultural Pool Committee made a motion to that effect, which was seconded and passed. The Chair and Vice Chair expect that the Non-Agricultural Pool Committee will consider the discussion and comments at the August committee meetings in determining how to proceed.

Yours truly,

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Allen V. Hubsch



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B. ALCOA FINAL AGREEMENT





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STAFF REPORT

DATE: August 19, 2010
TO: Committee Members
SUBJECT: Transfer of three Alcoa Wells to Watermaster

SUMMARY

Issue – Preserving diminishing monitoring wells basin wide

Recommendation – Watermaster Board to approve and authorize Chief Executive Officer to execute the agreement.

Financial Impact – No fiscal impact on the Watermaster Budget; there is no cost involved.

Background

Alcoa installed three groundwater monitoring wells in 2000 as part of their requirement to track the migration of a salt plume beyond the former Alumax Fontana site pursuant to Cleanup and Abatement Order 99-38 by the Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB). Monitoring data from these wells indicated that groundwater at these locations has not been affected by the salt plume and in 2008 RWQCB relieved Alcoa from further monitoring. In February 2010, the RWQCB approved the transfer of three Alcoa offsite wells to Watermaster. Watermaster has negotiated the terms of transfer with Alcoa to preserve the wells for on-going regional groundwater monitoring program and has drafted the attached transfer agreement.

ACTIONS:

August 5, 2010 Appropriative Pool – Approved unanimously
August 5, 2010 Non-Agricultural Pool – Approved unanimously
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Term Sheet for the Transfer of Well Monitoring Facilities from Alcoa to Chino Basin Watermaster

July 28, 2010

WHEREAS, pursuant to Cleanup and Abatement Order 99-38, the Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Control Board (SARWQCB) has ordered Aluminum Company of America (“Alcoa”) to install groundwater monitoring wells in the locations depicted on the map attached here as Exhibit “A” (hereafter referenced as “Monitoring Facilities”). On June 10, 2008 the SARWQCB issued a staff letter to Alcoa streamlining the groundwater monitoring requirements and eliminating the need to continue monitoring Alcoa off site wells AOS-1, AOS-2, AOS-3 at this time. Refer to the attachment for details on well location. A new Order was also issued to the property owner USF Reddaway transferring all requirements relating to the ownership of the property from the Abatement Order 99-38 to the new Order R8-2006-0035.

WHEREAS, Alcoa owns the Monitoring Facilities at these sites, but does not own the underlying property. The underlying property is owned variously by the San Bernardino County Flood Control District and by the City of Fontana.

WHEREAS, Alcoa now wishes to transfer these Monitoring Facilities, specifically AOS-1, AOS-2 and AOS-3 and affiliated facilities, (the “Monitoring Facilities”) to the Chino Basin Watermaster to be used by Watermaster in its general monitoring activities within the Chino Basin.

TERMS

Now therefore it is agreed that:

1. Alcoa and Watermaster shall cooperate to transfer all easements, rights-of-way, encroachment permits and/or any other agreements held by Alcoa that allow the Monitoring Facilities in their present locations without cost to Watermaster.
2. Once the transfers described in paragraph 1, above are complete, Alcoa shall transfer all right, title and interest that it has in the Monitoring Facilities to Watermaster without cost to Watermaster.
3. Alcoa will provide Watermaster with all information in its possession with respect to the Monitoring Facilities including, but not limited to, well drillers reports, geophysical logs, well construction diagrams, video logs, and prior monitoring data – both water level and water quality - collected from the Monitoring Facilities.
4. In the event that Watermaster determines that it wishes to abandon, transfer, or destroy the Monitoring Facilities, Alcoa will be given 60 days prior notice in writing and shall have the right to reacquire the Monitoring Facilities under the same terms set out herein.

5. Alcoa shall retain the right to perform monitoring activities at the Monitoring Facilities so long as such activities do not interfere with Watermaster's use of the Monitoring Facilities. Alcoa shall notify Watermaster 30 days prior to the desired monitoring event, and Watermaster staff shall accompany Alcoa staff or their consultant during the monitoring event.

6. Watermaster takes ownership of the Monitoring Facilities on an AS IS, WHERE IS basis with no warranties of any kind regarding the condition, suitability for any purpose, or any other kind of warranty. Furthermore, Alcoa hereby transfers to Watermaster any rights it may have in the Monitoring Facilities but makes no warranty regarding its ownership or title to the Monitoring Facilities. In order to transfer the wells, the terms of the Certificate of Insurance will also have to be transferred over to the state.

7. All necessary activities and costs related to the maintenance of the access rights and to the maintenance of the integrity and effectiveness of the wellbores will be borne by the transferee.

8. Watermaster shall not accept any responsibility for liabilities associated with the Monitoring Facilities that accrued prior to Watermaster accepting possession of the Monitoring Facilities. Alcoa shall INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS Watermaster for any claims or liabilities arising from any action or inaction by Alcoa relating to the Monitoring Facilities. Watermaster shall INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS Alcoa and its affiliates for any claims or liabilities arising from any action or inaction by Watermaster relating to the Monitoring Facilities.

Kenneth Manning, CEO
Chino Basin Watermaster

Date

Alcoa

Date



CHINO BASIN WATERMASTER

III. REPORTS / UPDATES

C. INLAND EMPIRE UTILITIES AGENCY

3. Monthly Water Use Report
4. State and Federal Legislative Reports
5. Community Outreach/Public Relations Report
6. IEUA Monthly Water Newsletter



CHINO BASIN WATERMASTER

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

August 19, 2010

AGENDA

INTERAGENCY WATER MANAGER'S REPORT

Chino Basin Watermaster

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Discussion Items:

- MWD Update
 - Proposed Storage Agreement - oral
 - DYY Third Call Year - oral
 - MWD WSAP Second Allocation Year - oral
- Peace II SEIR Schedule - oral

Written Items:

- Monthly Water Use Report
- State and Federal Legislative Reports
- Community Outreach/Public Relations Report
- IEUA Monthly Water Newsletter

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IEUA Monthly Water Use Report – August 2010

The purpose of this report is to track IEUA and its member agencies water use on a monthly basis. Over the next 12 months, tracking water use will be essential to complying with the Drought Allocation Plan, Dry Year Yield Program and Tier I/Tier II limit.

Below is a summary of current water use and programs that IEUA and its member agencies are participating in. Attached are several tables and graphs representing overall water use and imported water purchases.

IN FY 2009/10, IEUA MEMBER AGENCIES REDUCED WATER USE BY MORE THAN 20,000 AF COMPARED TO WHAT WAS PROJECTED!!!

Imported Water Deliveries

For the month of July, IEUA purchased 8,015 acre feet (AF) of Tier I water, of which 2,294 AF was DYY certifications. This gives IEUA a total of 26,181 AF purchased in calendar year 2010.

Dry Year Yield (DYY) Program

Three months into the third consecutive DYY call, participating agencies have certified 3,336 AF, of which IEUA member agencies certified 2,294 AF.

Recycled Water Program

During the month of June, IEUA sold 2,441 AF (1,451 AF = direct sales, 990 AF = recharge). As of June 2010, IEUA has connected 32,434 AF of recycled water demand. IEUA is implementing a 3-Year Business Plan that will increase recycled water connected

capacity to 50,000 AFY by 2010.

Chino Desalter Authority (CDA)

For the month of July, the two desalters produced 2,177 AF of water (of which 1,238 AF was delivered to IEUA retail agencies). The current production capacity is 24,600 AFY, and it is scheduled to be expanded to approximately 40,000 AFY by 2014, with the implementation of CDA Phase III.

Groundwater Recharge Program

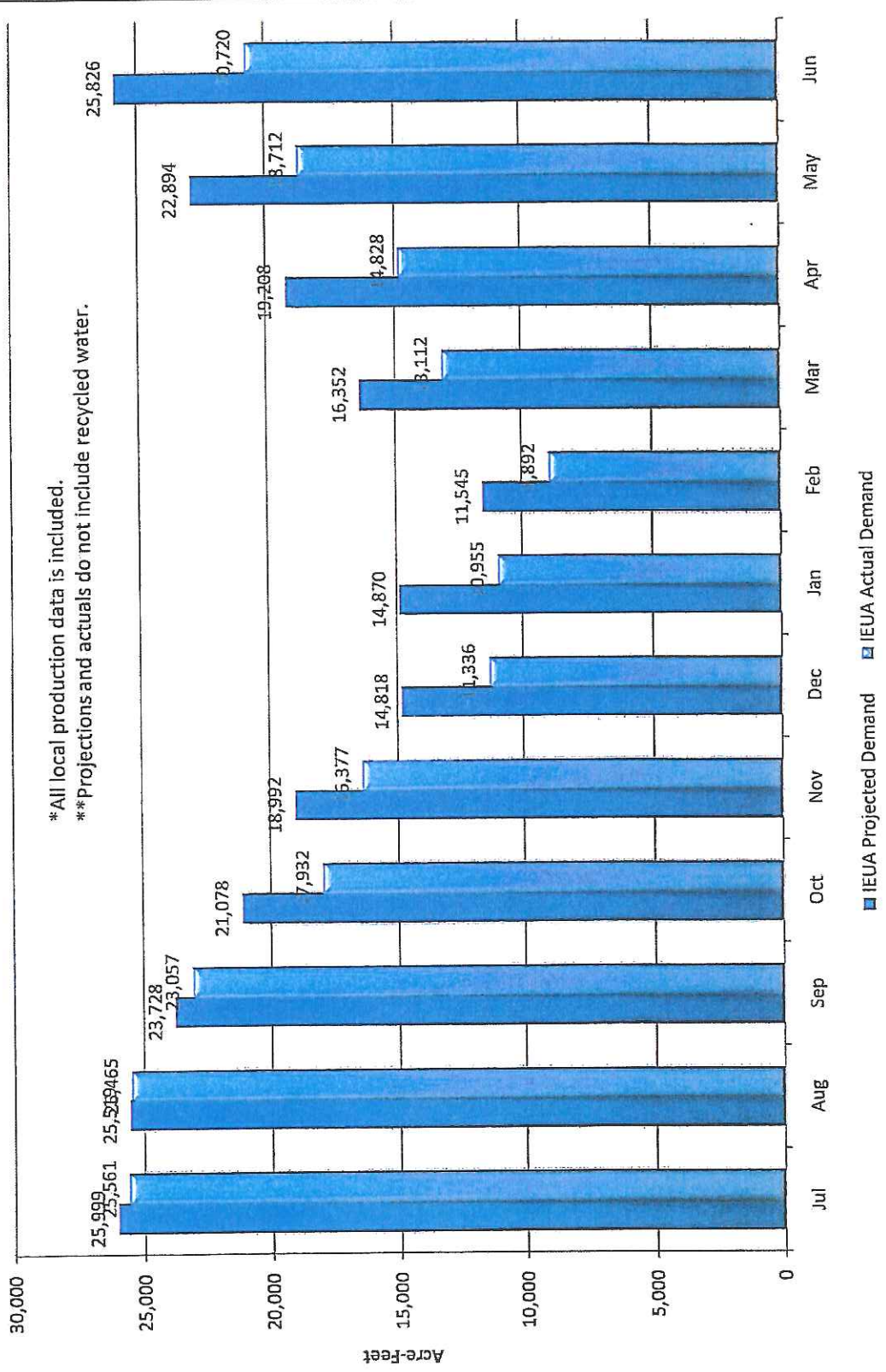
In June 2010, IEUA recharged 3,271 AF of water (990 AF of recycled water, 2,176 of imported water and 105 AF of stormwater).

Attachments

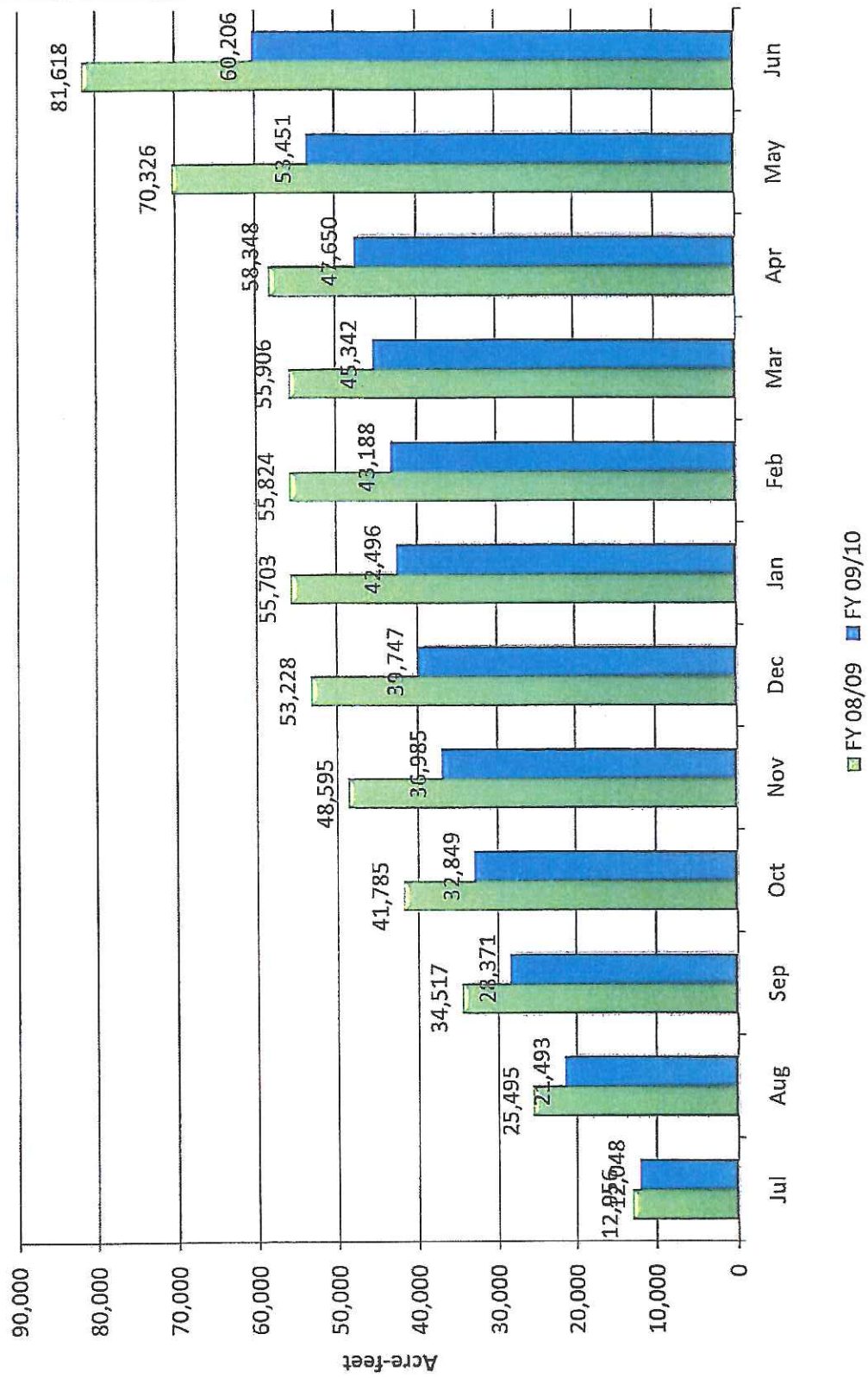
- Attachment 1 – IEUA Projected Demand vs Actual Demand (Thru May) (Graph)
- Attachment 2 – IEUA Cumulative Full Service Imported Water Deliveries & Dry Year Yield (Graph)
- Attachment 3 – IEUA Cumulative Full Service Imported Water Deliveries & Dry Year Yield (Graph)
- Attachment 4 – WFA Cumulative Full Service Imported Water Deliveries & Dry Year Yield (Graph)
- Attachment 5 – WFA Projected Demand vs Actual Demand (Thru May) (Graph)
- Attachment 6 – CVWD Cumulative Full Service Imported Water Deliveries & Dry Year Yield (Graph)
- Attachment 7 – CVWD Projected Demand vs Actual Demand (Thru May) (Graph)
- Attachment 8 – FWC Cumulative Full Service Imported Water Deliveries (Graph)
- Attachment 9 – FWC Projected Demand vs Actual Demand (Thru April) (Graph)
- Attachment 10 – SAWCO Projected Demand vs Actual Demand (Thru June) (Graph)
- Attachment 11 – IEUA Imported Water Sales (Table)

Attachment 1

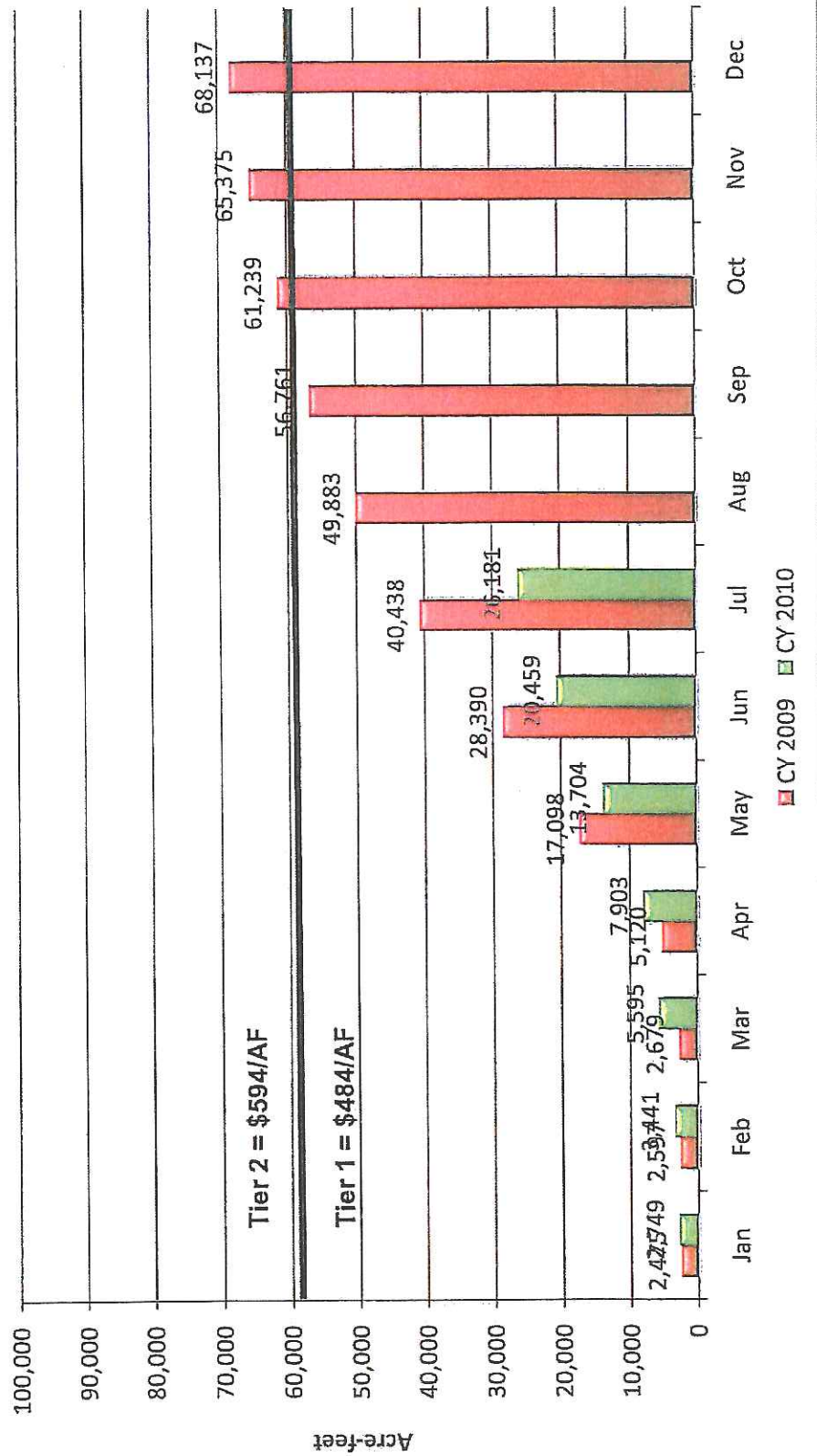
IEUA Projected Demands vs Actual Demands (thru June 2010)*



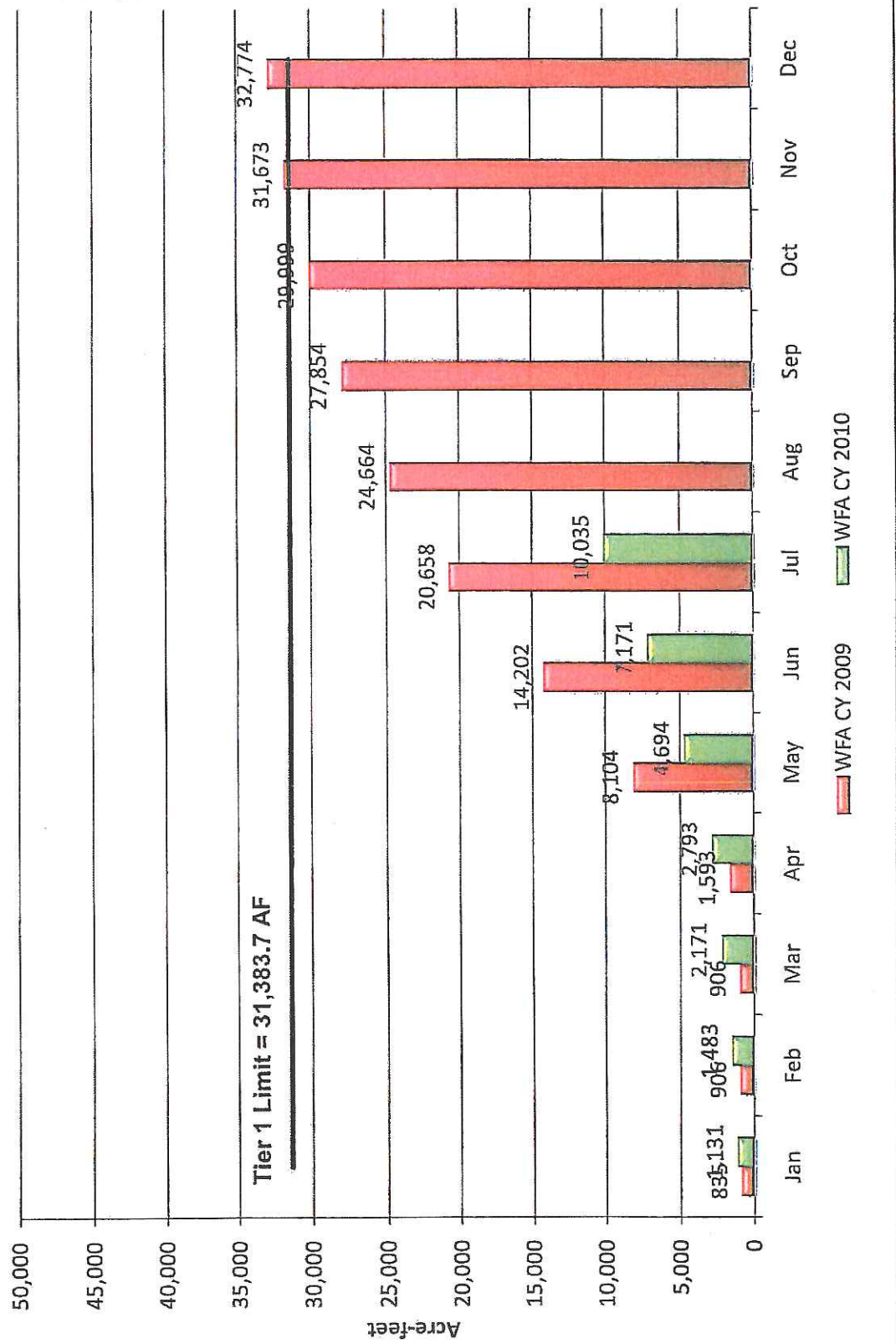
Attachment 2 IEUA Cumulative Full Service Imported Water Deliveries & Dry Year Yield



Attachment 3 IEUA Cumulative Full Service Imported Water Deliveries & Dry Year Yield

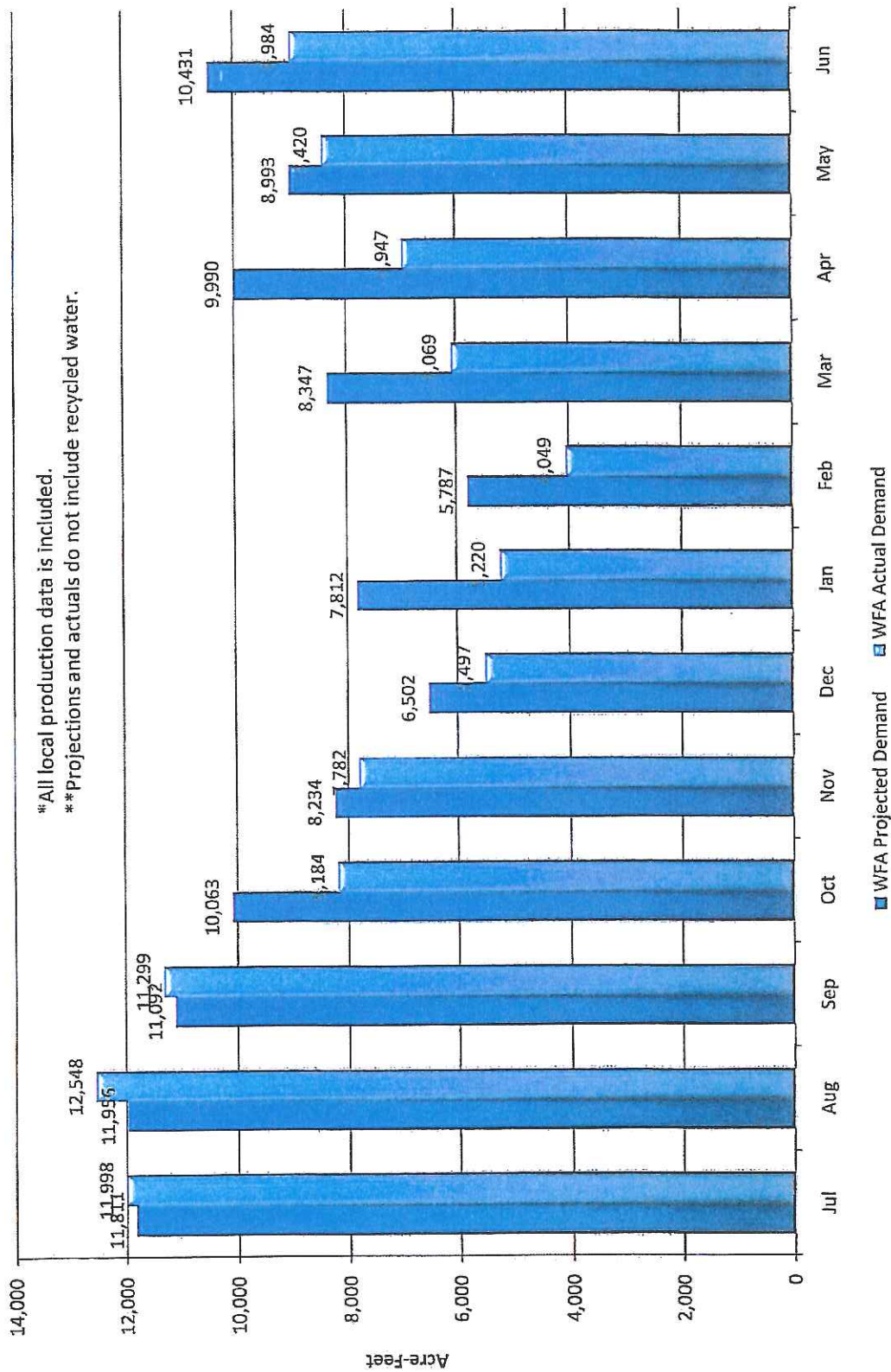


Attachment 4 WFA Cumulative Full Service Imported Water Deliveries & Dry Year Yield

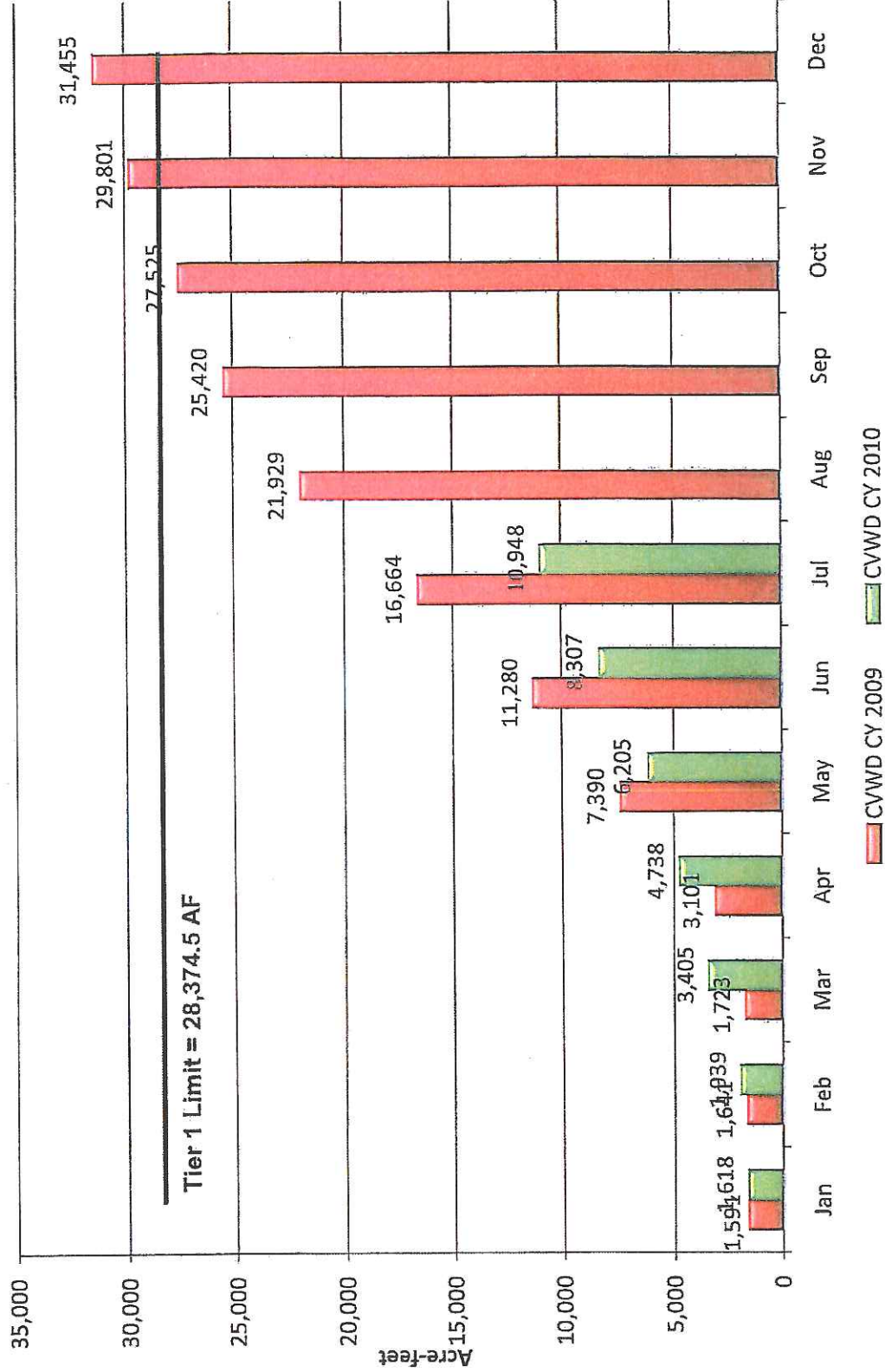


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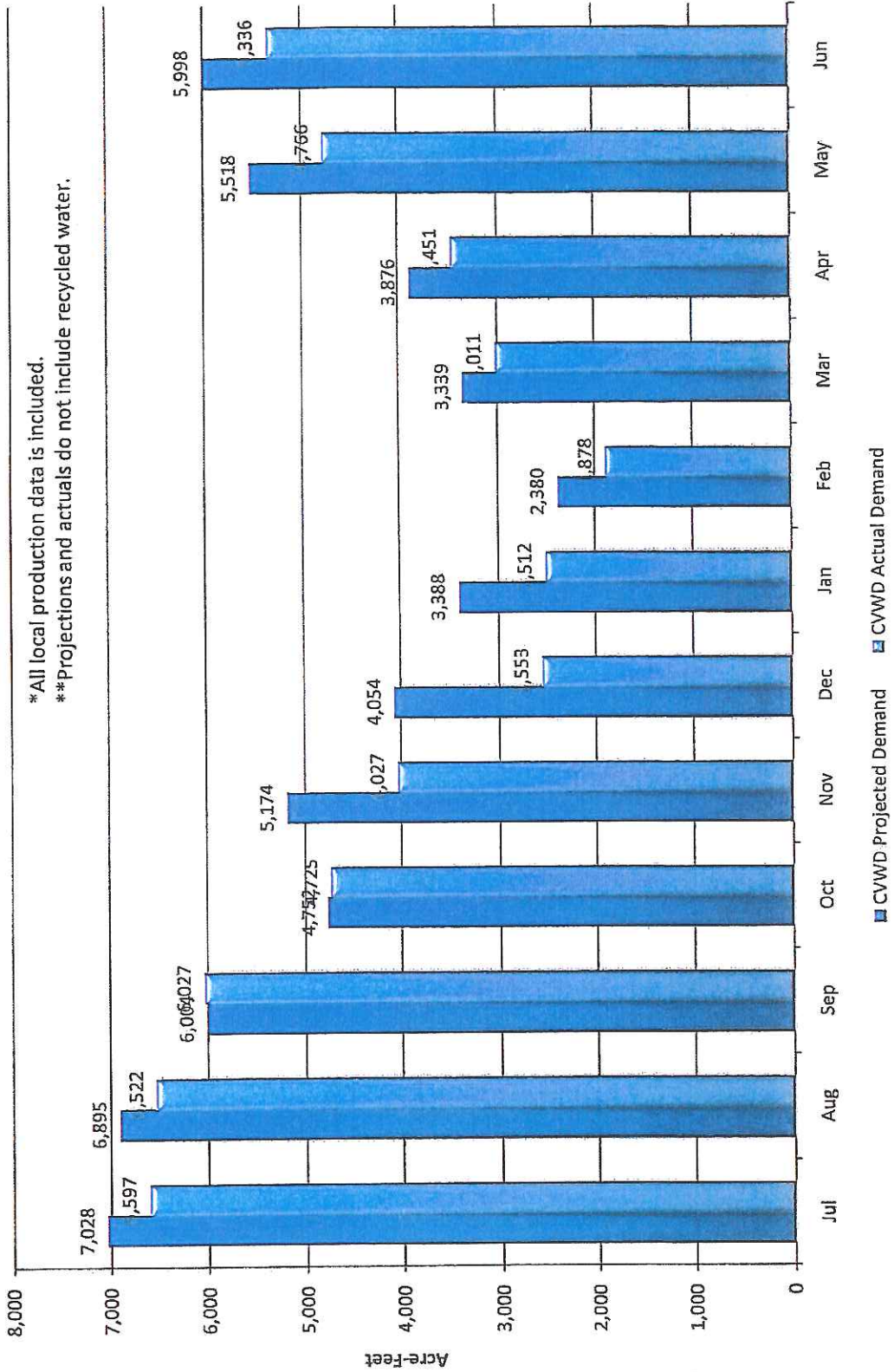
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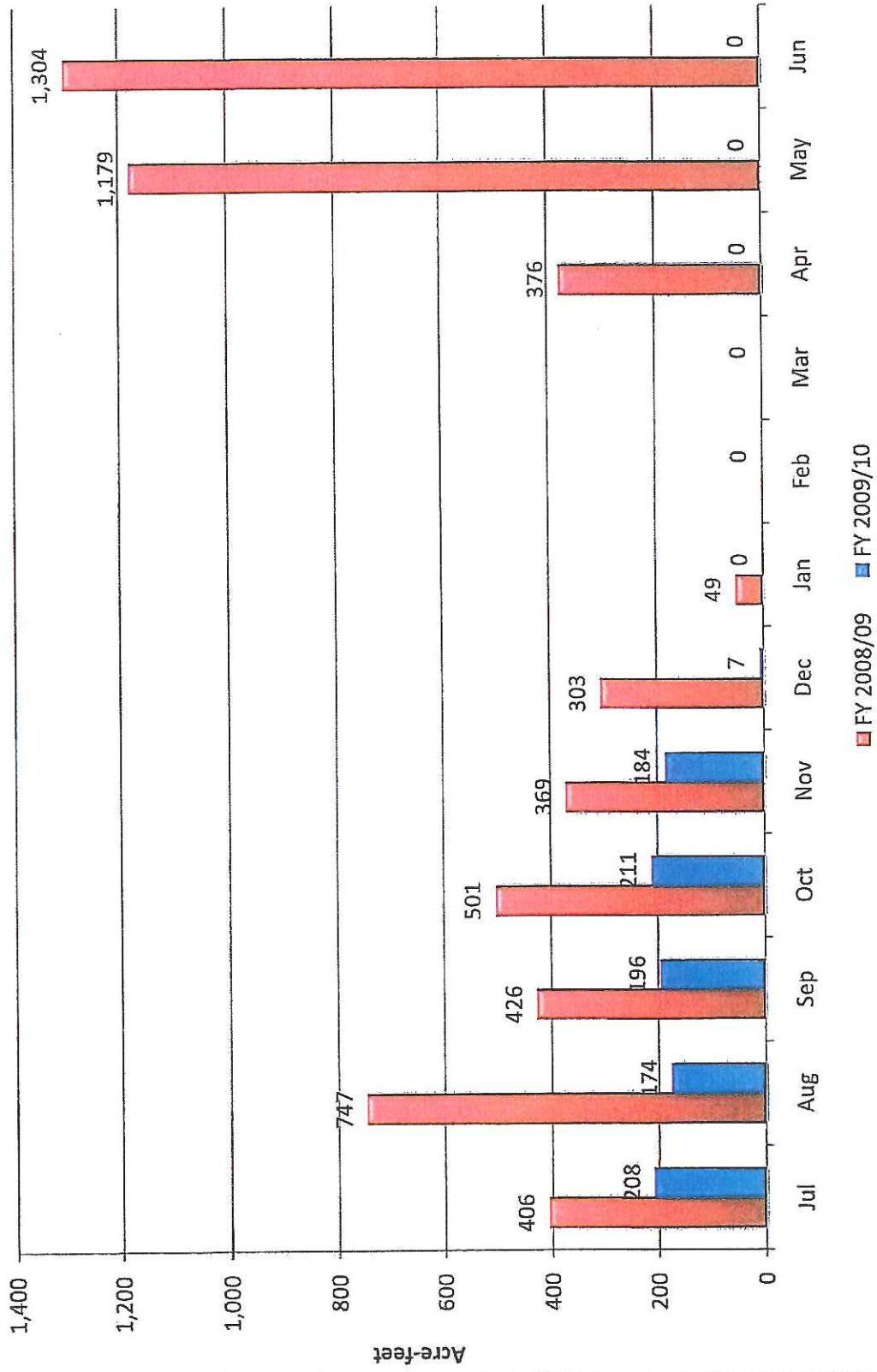
Attachment 6 CVWD Cumulative Full Service Imported Water Deliveries & Dry Year Yield



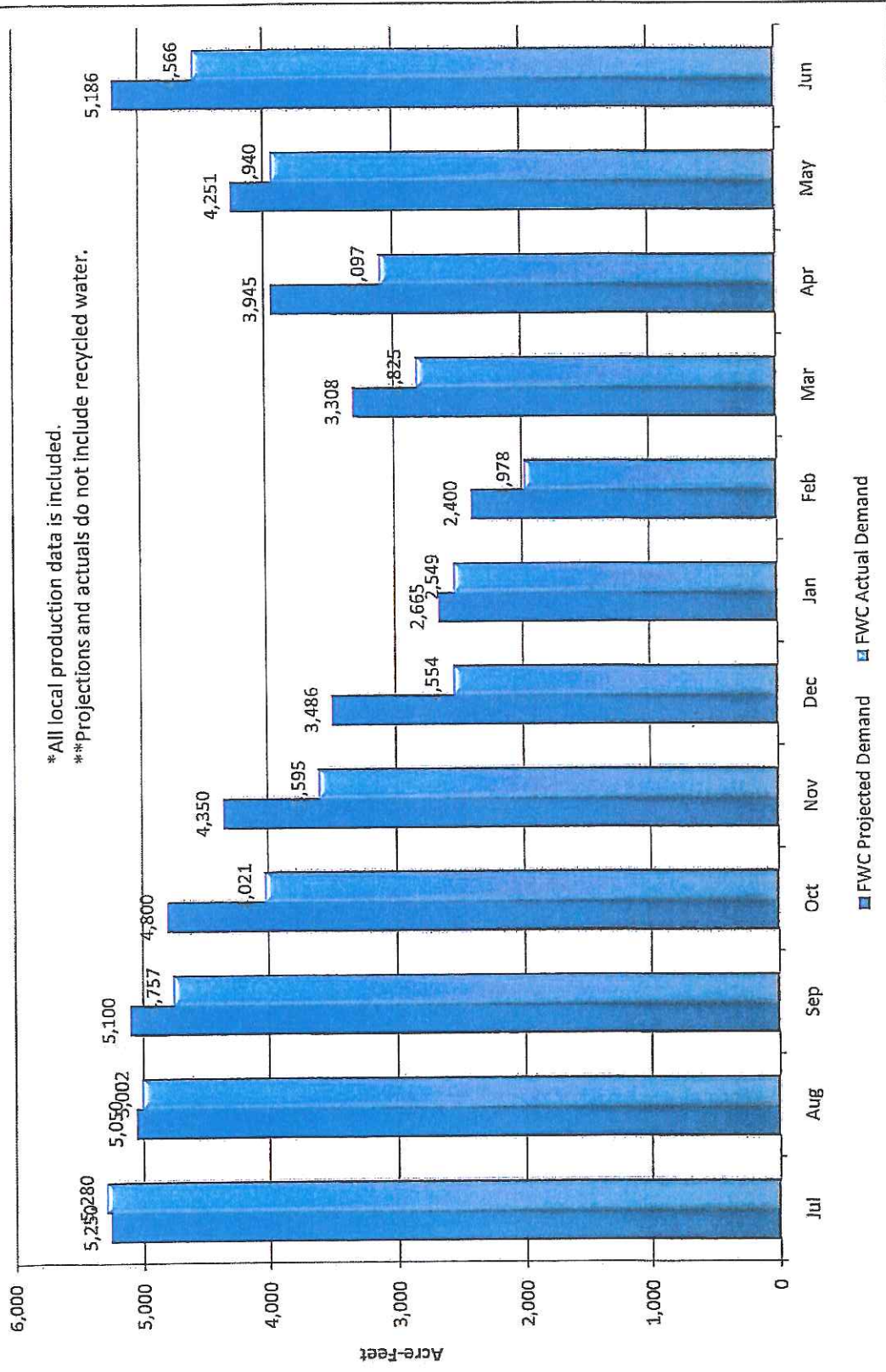
Attachment 7 CVWD Projected Demands vs Actual Demands (thru June 2010)*



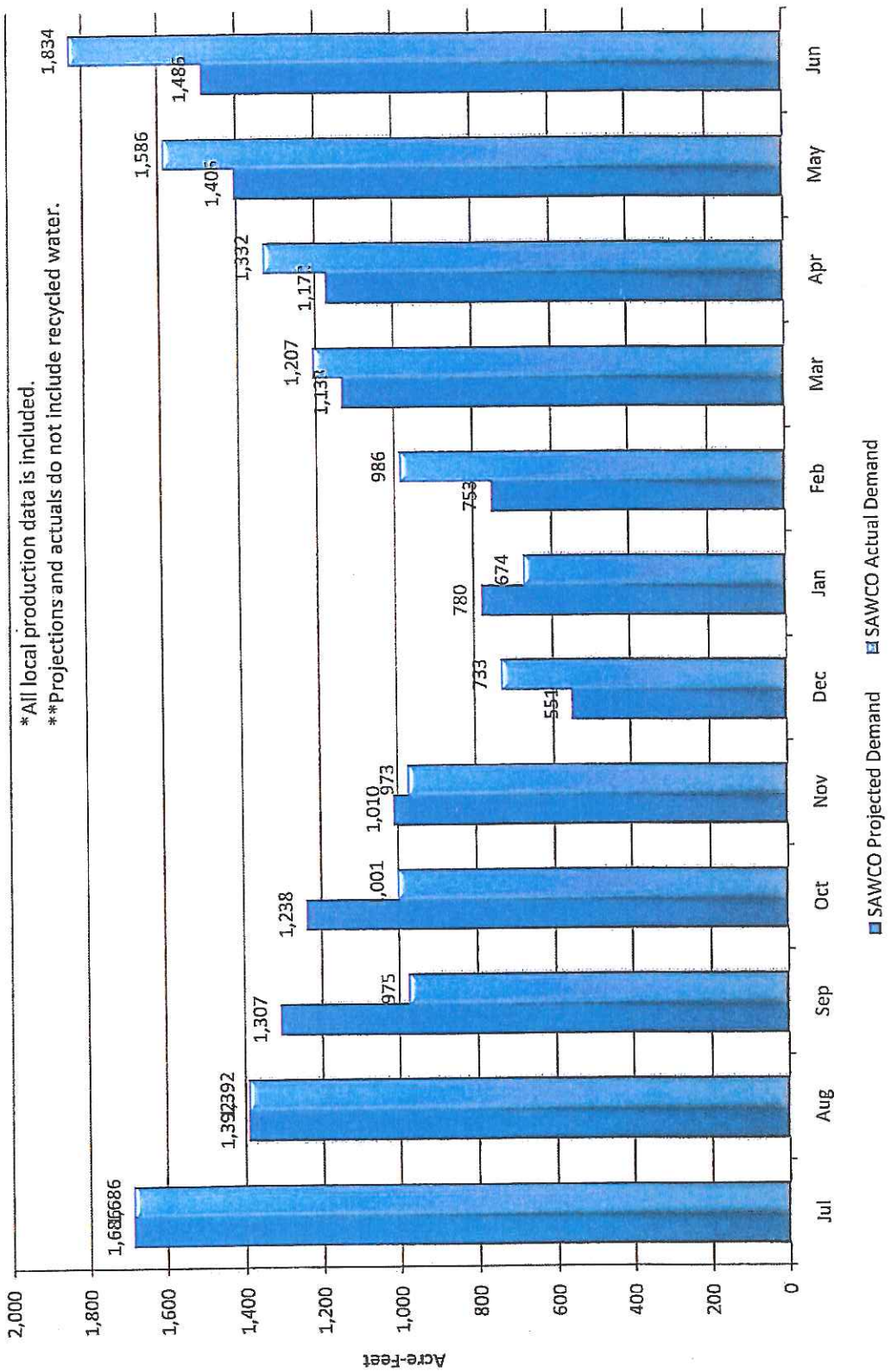
Attachment 8 FWC Monthly Full Service Imported Water Deliveries



Attachment 9 FWC Projected Demands vs Actual Demands (thru June 2010)*



Attachment 10 SAWCO Projected Demands vs Actual Demands (thru June 2010)*



Attachement 11
Inland Empire Utilities Agency Imported Water Sales

2008 Imported Water Sales	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	TOTAL
Water Facilities Authority													
Direct Deliveries	2,333	1,282	2,555	3,088	1,332	1,682	2,730	3,450	2,913	2,836	1,444	1,060	26,705
Dry Year Yield					1,438	4,008	4,214	2,686	3,156	1,255	911	892	18,560
Sub-Total	2,333	1,282	2,555	3,088	2,770	5,690	6,944	6,136	6,069	4,091	2,356	1,952	45,265
Cucamonga Valley Water District													
Direct Deliveries	1,297	947	2,189	2,883	2,988	3,046	3,074	3,129	2,857	2,741	2,182	1,213	28,546
Dry Year Yield					1,603	2,016	2,532	2,527	0	44	1,499	1,131	11,352
Sub-Total	1,297	947	2,189	2,883	4,591	5,062	5,606	5,656	2,857	2,785	3,681	2,344	39,898
Fontana Water Company													
Direct Deliveries	0	0	0	0	0	15	406	747	426	501	369	303	2,767
Sub-Total	0	0	0	0	0	15	406	747	426	501	369	303	2,767
Inland Empire Utilities Agency													
Direct Deliveries	3,631	2,229	4,744	5,971	4,320	4,743	6,210	7,326	6,196	6,078	3,995	2,576	58,018
Dry Year Yield	0	0	0	0	3,041	6,024	6,746	5,213	3,156	1,299	2,410	2,023	29,912
TOTAL	3,631	2,229	4,744	5,971	7,360	10,767	12,956	12,539	9,352	7,377	6,406	4,599	87,930

2009 Imported Water Sales	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	TOTAL
Water Facilities Authority													
Direct Deliveries	312	0	0	687	844	660	1,868	2,184	2,414	1,493	1,111	913	12,486
Dry Year Yield	522	71	0	0	5,667	5,438	4,588	1,822	776	653	563	188	20,287
Sub-Total	834	71	0	687	6,511	6,098	6,456	4,006	3,190	2,146	1,674	1,101	32,773
Cucamonga Valley Water District													
Direct Deliveries	1,591	50	82	1,378	1,635	1,535	2,728	2,608	2,460	2,105	2,276	1,654	20,101
Dry Year Yield	0	0	0	0	2,654	2,355	0	2,657	1,032	0	2,656		11,354
Sub-Total	1,591	50	82	1,378	4,289	3,890	2,728	5,265	3,492	2,105	4,932	1,654	31,455
Fontana Water Company													
Direct Deliveries	49	0	0	376	1,179	1,304	208	174	196	211	184	7	3,888
Sub-Total	49	0	0	376	1,179	1,304	208	174	196	211	184	7	3,888
Chino Basin Watermaster													
Replenishment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	3	0	20
Sub-Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	3	0	20
Inland Empire Utilities Agency													
Direct Deliveries	1,952	50	82	2,441	3,658	3,499	4,804	4,966	5,069	3,808	3,570	2,574	36,475
Dry Year Yield	522	71	0	0	8,321	7,793	4,588	4,479	1,808	653	3,219	188	31,641
Replenishment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	3	0	20
TOTAL	2,474	121	82	2,441	11,978	11,292	9,392	9,445	6,877	4,479	6,792	2,762	68,136

2010 Imported Water Sales	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	TOTAL
Water Facilities Authority													
Direct Deliveries	1,131	352	688	622	770	1,314	2,864						7,741
Dry Year Yield					1,131	1,163							2,294
Sub-Total	1,131	352	688	622	1,901	2,477	2,864	0	0	0	0	0	10,035
Cucamonga Valley Water District													
Direct Deliveries	1,618	321	1,466	1,333	1,468	2,102	2,641						10,948
Dry Year Yield													0
Sub-Total	1,618	321	1,466	1,333	1,468	2,102	2,641	0	0	0	0	0	10,948
Fontana Water Company													
Direct Deliveries	0	0	0	0	0	0	216						216
Sub-Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	216	0	0	0	0	0	216
Chino Basin Watermaster													
Replenishment	0	7	0	366	2,433	2,176	0						4,981
Sub-Total	0	7	0	366	2,433	2,176	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,981
Inland Empire Utilities Agency													
Direct Deliveries	2,749	673	2,154	1,954	2,238	3,416	5,722	0	0	0	0	0	18,905
Dry Year Yield	0	0	0	0	1,131	1,163	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,294
Replenishment	0	7	0	366	2,433	2,176	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,981
TOTAL	2,749	680	2,154	2,320	5,801	6,755	5,722	0	0	0	0	0	26,180

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Date: August 18, 2010
To: The Honorable Board of Directors
Through: Public, Legislative Affairs, and Water Resources Committee (08/11/10)
From: Thomas A. Love
Chief Executive Officer/General Manager
Submitted by: Martha Davis
Executive Manager of Policy Development
Subject: July Legislative Report from Agricultural Resources

RECOMMENDATION

This is an informational item for the Board of Directors to receive and file.

BACKGROUND

Dave Weiman provides a monthly report on his federal activities on behalf of IEUA.

PRIOR BOARD ACTION

None.

IMPACT ON BUDGET

None.

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July 28, 2010

Legislative Report

TO: Thomas Love
General Manager, Inland Empire Utility Agency

FR: David M. Weiman
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LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVE, IEUA

SU: Legislative Report, July 2010

Highlights:

- *Energy Legislation, Opportunity for Renewable Funding*
- *Appropriations*
- *The Napolitano 1 MAF Plan for California Water – Status*
- *Drought Conditions/Water Supply*
- *News and Notes*
- *IEUA Working Partners*

Energy Legislation – Opportunity for Renewable Funding/Address Policy Issues. Last month, I reported that:

“Energy-Climate legislation can be summed up easily. It’s on. It’s off. It’s on. It’s off. It’s on. It’s off. On almost a daily basis, legislation under the banner of “energy” and/or “climate change” is on the calendar and ready for legislative action and then, later in the day, it’s declared “dead, not happening.” And, if it’s “on” the question becomes “what” version of what bill or bills is/will be

considered. That changes almost as frequently. And, even if a bill(s) begins to move, whether or not it can be enacted is still another question which is unknown at this time. Rather than focus on if a bill will move – or when – IEUA is, with ACWA, MWD, WateReuse, CASA and many others, attempting to draft various provisions which can be advanced whenever a bill moves – regardless of other factors.

It's 30 days later, and this remains even more accurate. There is, however, progress to report. First, process. The House has produced a new bill. It will be considered on July 30, just before the House leaves for the August recess. They're already acted on climate change (Waxman-Markey). Thus, if passed the House will have two bills – Waxman-Markey on climate and Rahall-Oberstar on Gulf oil response. Waxman-Markey has a provision, drafted and advanced by Rep. Jay Inslee (D-WA) (Inslee, FYI, serves on both the Energy and Commerce Committee AND Rahall's Natural Resources Committee). He crafted an amendment on "feed-in tariffs" that was incorporated into Waxman-Markey, which passed the House and is pending in the Senate (as part of the larger climate bill).

Two issues emerge. First, is the provision satisfactory or does it require "improvements?" Answer: yes. Second, will Waxman-Markey be part of the energy bill conference? Answer: Uncertain, but leaning NO. We have a solution – and likely no access to it procedurally. IEUA will be meeting with Inslee's staff and others on August 1 to review language.

The problem is relatively simple – but is born of an exceedingly complex programmatic situation. IEUA and other public agencies are being mandated to incorporate renewables based on Federal and State. However, it turns out that IOUs (Investor Owned Utilities such as PG&E) will receive a "market rate" for the green power. IEUA and other public agencies receive, by Federal statutory directive – a submarket rate for the same type of power. The difference is substantial – 2.5 times less. That disparity becomes a functional barrier to building renewables. This involves mandates in the Federal Power Act, rulings by FERC (even contemporary rulings).

IEUA is learning that public agencies in Vermont, Oregon and other states are looking up and also complaining. The Waxman-Markey language is designed to allow public utilities to have unrestricted access to market rates (in other words, remove the artificial cap that suppresses what IEUA and others can receive).

As of right now (and this is subject to change), the Senate bill will not address this issue and therefore the House bill will not be conferenced. However, a group of senators have just gone to Majority Leader Reid and declared that they have 60 votes (to break a filibuster). Therefore, this issue is not dead, but remains in play. Additionally, the White House has asked the Congress to complete work on climate change in a lame duck, and that presents a second procedural opportunity.

The legislative process is complicated. Unless corrected, regardless of legislative vehicle, public

agencies will be discriminated against by law – allowing investor-owned utilities to receive far more for the same green power produced locally. Martha Davis has been coordinating an effort, both in the State and here in Washington to address and reconcile this issue.

The Napolitano Plan – 1 Million Acre Feet of New Water. Chairwoman Napolitano continues to advance this plan and approach to investing in water solutions. The Subcommittee is aware that the Governor has pulled the bond for 2010, and considers it a new justification for her approach. Additionally, the Subcommittee was addressed by NOAA and the Climate Prediction Center. Preliminary indications have emerged – drought conditions may be returning. Another justification for her proposal. Chairwoman Napolitano is committed to making this happen, and continues to work on it.

Drought Conditions and Water Supplies. Southern California, according to the Drought Monitor, is drought free. No levels of drought conditions are on display. Low levels of drought are reappearing on the Colorado River. Moderate conditions are appearing in eastern part of Northern California. The big issue is on the horizon – will drought conditions reappear this Fall and Winter. Preliminary conditions suggest it might be the case, but will remain unknown for several months. I hasten to point out that Washington DC has had it's hottest July on record (but senior management advised me not to complain).

IEUA Continues to Work With Various Partners. On an on-going basis in Washington, IEUA continues to work with:

- a. Metropolitan Water District of Southern California (MWD)
- b. Milk Producer's Council (MPC)
- c. Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority (SAWPA)
- d. Water Environment Federation (WEF)
- e. Association of California Water Agencies (ACWA)
- f. WateReuse Association
- g. CALStart
- h. Orange County Water District (OCWD)
- i. Cucamonga Valley Water District (CVWD)
- j. Western Municipal Water District
- k. Chino Basin Watermaster
- l. Western Urban Water Coalition
- m. National Water Resources Association

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Date: August 18, 2010
To: The Honorable Board of Directors
Through: Public, Legislative Affairs, and Water Resources Committee (08/11/10)
From: Thomas A. Love
Chief Executive Officer/General Manager
Submitted by: Martha Davis
Executive Manager of Policy Development
Subject: July Legislative Report from Innovative Federal Strategies, LLC

RECOMMENDATION

This is an informational item for the Board of Directors to receive and file.

BACKGROUND

Letitia White provides a monthly report on their federal activities on behalf of IEUA.

PRIOR BOARD ACTION

None.

IMPACT ON BUDGET

None.

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MEMORANDUM

To: Tom Love and Martha Davis, IEUA
From: Letitia White and Heather Hennessey
Date: July 30, 2010

Re: July Monthly Legislative Update

The Congress picked up the pace during the month of July with forward motion on several pieces of major legislation that Democratic leaders were unable to move during June. Congress sent the President the following bills: financial reform legislation, legislation to extend unemployment insurance benefits and the fiscal year 2010 Supplemental Appropriations bill. It is important to note that the final version of the Supplemental was “clean” and only provided funding for shortfall in the Iraq and Afghanistan wars and some additional FEMA disaster relief funding. It did not include any extra domestic funding for teacher salaries, police or firefighters that had doomed earlier versions of the supplemental bill because they triggered deficit concerns.

A number of other major bills that leaders hoped to pass in July did not advance through the Senate and to the President before the August recess. For example, a small business bill which would create a \$30 billion small-business lending fund, offer about \$12 billion in tax breaks and enhance federal programs designed to assist small companies passed the House but could not break through the filibuster in the Senate. Another priority, legislation to extend a variety of expiring tax breaks, could not make it through on the Senate side either.

As of today, the House begins the extended August recess. They will not return to Washington until the week of September 13th, after which only three weeks of legislative work remain before they recess again prior to the November elections. Meanwhile, the Senate will be in session next week. They must confirm Supreme Court nominee Elena Kagan in order for her to be in office before the Court begins a new term after Labor Day. The Senate may also use next week to attempt to pass oil spill legislation, the lagging small business bill or additional domestic spending. But each of those measures pose a host of problems for Senate leadership, and the Senators will certainly want to join their House counterparts in recess as quickly as they can.

Assistance, Quality and Affordability Act Passes the House

In mid-May, we notified you about the Assistance, Quality and Affordability Act of 2010, which had been introduced by Congressmen Waxman and Markey as an amendment to the Safe Drinking Water Act. Earlier this week, the non-controversial bill passed the House floor under an expedited vote. However, it will now join the huge backlog of legislation pending in the Senate, where it faces an uncertain future in the fall.

The bill aims to provide technical assistance to small public water systems for help in achieving and maintaining compliance with federal drinking water laws and regulations. It also would

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steer additional State Revolving Fund monies to disadvantaged communities. We are encouraged by this recognition of the mounting burden that water agencies face in complying with federal mandates. The legislation makes a distinction between the compliance needed for pipes used for potable water, and lessens the restrictions on lead, solder and flux for pipes which are used exclusively for nonpotable water. It also contains some provisions for testing of endocrine disruptors and mandates Davis-Bacon prevailing wage rules for all projects funded through the State Revolving Fund.

FY 2011 Appropriations

House and Senate Appropriations Committees made progress on their twelve bills. At this point, the full House Appropriations Committee has marked up two bills - - Military Construction-Veterans Affairs and Transportation-Housing and Urban Development. These two bills have also passed the full House. All of the other appropriations bills, with the exception of Legislative Branch Appropriations, have been marked up at the House Subcommittee level. With a couple of notable exceptions, Republican earmarks are absent from all of the bills.

While the full Senate chamber has not passed any of the FY11 bills off of the Senate floor, the full Senate Appropriations Committee has marked up the following nine bills: Agriculture, Commerce-Justice-Science, Energy and Water, Homeland Security, Military Construction/Veterans Affairs, Labor-Health and Human Service-Education, Foreign Operations, Financial Services and Transportation-Housing and Urban Development. Only Defense and Legislative Branch remain.

So far, we have only seen summaries of the House and Senate versions of the Energy and Water Appropriations bills rather than the actual bill text. As soon as the committees release additional information, we will send you an analysis of the spending provisions in each version.

Despite the progress, the majority of the fiscal year 2012 bills will not be ready by October 1st, the start of the 2011 fiscal year. House and Senate leaders will have to move a continuing resolution (CR) and will likely have it go from October 1st through mid-November.

Politics

Speaking of November, political tensions on Capitol Hill remained very high this month and will continue to escalate until after the November elections. House Republicans are very hopeful that November will bring a change in House leadership. Republican's hopes were further buoyed this month by the President's own press secretary who announced that House Republicans have a chance of success. In addition, this month a special ethics subcommittee charged Representative Charlie Rangel (D-NY), a senior member of the Democratic Party, with thirteen counts of violating House rules, including conduct reflecting discreditably on the chamber. Congressman Rangel will face a rare, public ethic trial in September. Republicans are planning to use the August recess to attack Democrats' images even further to achieve success at the polls. Democratic leaders are giving their Members positive talking points to use in defense of their agenda and to tout success despite bad economic forecasts. Both sides are gearing up for a busy couple of months before the elections!

As always, we will continue to keep you posted!



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RECOMMENDATION

This is an informational item for the Board of Directors to receive and file.

BACKGROUND

Michael Boccadoro provides a monthly report on the Dolphin Group's activities on behalf of the Chino Basin/Optimum Basin Management Program Coalition.

PRIOR BOARD ACTION

None.

IMPACT ON BUDGET

None.

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July 30, 2010

To: Inland Empire Utilities Agency
Chino Basin Coalition

From: Michael Boccadoro
President

RE: July Status Report



Please find attached the status report from The Dolphin Group for the month of July 2010.

During the July legislative recess, the budget crisis in Sacramento remains the core topic of interest and speculation. However, legislative leaders continue to posture along party ideology and a solution to the \$19 billion deficit remains far off.

With an approval rating of only 22% (a level matched only by the person he replaced in the 2003 recall election: Gray Davis), and just six months remaining in office, the Governor's ability to navigate the ongoing budget crisis may be diminished. The Governor has insisted that institutional changes to the budget process need to be implemented for him to agree to and sign a budget deal, such as reforming the public employee pension system. On the other hand, Democratic leadership has been reluctant to endorse significant budget cuts, and Republicans appear unified against any tax increases.

Further complicating matters is the upcoming November election, where both parties are hoping to pick up seats. Democrats in marginal seats are particularly concerned about any budget vote that may be perceived as increasing taxes or angering their union allies.

The state is now nearly one month into the new fiscal year with no budget. As the delays continue, the effects of any programmatic budget cuts are also diminished as they would likely only apply prospectively for the current fiscal year.

Current estimates show that California will run low of money by mid-September, and again be forced to issue IOUs in the absence of a budget. The conventional wisdom is that pressure from the media and the upcoming election will not begin until this point. However, there is little optimism that the crisis will be resolved quickly, with some estimating the stalemate could go past the November 2010 election. Governor Schwarzenegger has been quoted as saying that without pension reform, the budget may have to wait for the next governor.

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ENERGY/REGULATORY

Proposition 23 Tops Ballot Interest

With the \$11 billion water bond, Proposition 19, likely to be pulled from the November ballot, Proposition 23 has been highlighted as the key initiative to watch this fall.

Proposition 23 would suspend the implementation of significant portions of AB 32 (Nuñez – 2006) the “Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006.” The affected provisions of this law could not be implemented until unemployment levels fall below 5.5% for four straight quarters, a feat which California has only achieved once in the last two decades.

The measure is shaping up as a major battle between business and tax advocates, which support the suspension, and liberal and environmental groups, who have championed the legislation. In the wake of the recent failure of the Federal Government to implement national climate change legislation, both sides perceive this initiative as a referendum on GHG issues in general.

In the meantime, the California Air Resources Board (CARB) remains busy developing the rules for implementation of AB 32. In fact, there was much recent media attention paid to the fact that CARB recently hired nearly 150 new employees to implement the law, despite a years-long budget crisis.

SB 32 Implementation Remains Stalled

Nearly seven months after becoming California law, the CPUC, despite indications to the contrary, continue to drag their feet on beginning the implementation of SB 32 (Negrete-McLeod D-Chino). In order to address this, a series of meetings have been scheduled for early August with key CPUC personnel to impress upon them the importance of SB 32. DGI will be attending most of these meetings on behalf of IEUA, in conjunction with members of other groups who are supportive of feed-in tariffs.

On a related note, DGI and IEUA staff had numerous discussions in July with CPUC staff with respect to addressing any federal issues with the development of an appropriately-priced feed-in tariff. The discussions were fruitful in terms of determining potential federal legislative language that will broaden the authority of the CPUC to establish these prices. Unfortunately, the failure of Congress to act on a comprehensive energy package may postpone the ability to pursue these clarifications in the short term.

STATE BUDGET CRISIS

It has been nearly a month that the State of California has gone without a budget, but few seem to notice or care.

With a \$19 billion budget shortfall and almost zero progress in terms of addressing it, the fact that California is again without a budget agreement has gotten very little media attention thus far. Late budgets are nothing new to California, but this year may be one for the record books.

In the last few years, legislative leaders and the Governor have been able to paste together budgets that have increased some taxes, cut some programs, and otherwise papered over previous deficits. However, it appears that bag of tricks may be getting empty.

With the temporary taxes approved last year set to expire soon, and little indication of a recovering economy, the options for identifying new revenues are running thin. The Republican caucuses of both houses have been clear that they will not vote for any tax increases (including repealing tax breaks approved in last year's budget deal).

Any budget proposal, as well as any specific tax increase, requires a 2/3 approval of both houses of the Legislature, which requires at least a handful of Republican votes. Complicating this math is the fact that in the Senate, two moderate Republican seats are now vacant. Abel Maldonado (R-San Luis Obispo) was appointed Lieutenant Governor, and David Cox (R-Fair Oaks) passed away in July. Both senators had voted for previous budgets and their absence will make it much harder to achieve the supermajority threshold for any budget.

On the Democratic side, there are a number of targeted moderate Democrats who will be reluctant to approve of any budget deal that would include tax increases. In and around the greater Sacramento area, there are at least two such Democrats facing strong challenges from Republicans on the November ballot.

Additionally, the respective leaders of the Democratic caucuses, Senate President Pro Tem Darryl Steinberg (D-Sacramento) and new Assembly Speaker John Perez (D-Los Angeles) have been slow to agree on a strategy to cut costs and balance the budget. However, in August both Democrats presented a broad, but rather vague, plan to span the budget shortfall. There is some borrowing included in the plan, as well as the long-debated oil-severance tax, which could add several billion a year to the state's coffers.

On the final front, Governor Schwarzenegger is sitting on his last few months in office, and strongly desires lasting reform to the budget process. With little to lose politically, he appears prepared to hold out for significant budget reforms to be adopted as part of deal, with his major concern to establish a two-tiered public employee retirement program to address the rising concern of unfunded commitments to the pension program.

Few in Sacramento are optimistic that this budget crisis will be resolved in the short term. As the state is again slated to run out of ready cash in September, it is not anticipated that much

progress will be made before this point. Additionally, the next month's schedule will occupy the legislature's interest with other matters, as they will be focused on passing their own legislation before the August 31 deadline to submit new laws to the Governor.

When and how legislative leaders and the Governor will resolve this budget crisis is unknown. While the state has been down this road in the past, it is generally accepted that the prospects for an agreement this year are as grim as ever before.

WILL THERE BE A WATER BOND?

Most supporters of Proposition 19, the \$11.2 billion water bond approved by the Legislature last year, have endorsed the concept of postponing a vote on the proposal until 2012. The Governor, Senate President Pro Tem Steinberg and the Association of California Water Agencies (ACWA) have all supported delaying the vote.

While public polling shows a plurality of Californian's would support the initiative, the support is not at a level high-enough to assure approval in November. There are few prospects for significant funding for a statewide campaign, and there is growing concern that the size of the bond, coupled with California's continuing struggling economy, could also depress support.

But delaying the vote is easier said than done.

Legislators opposed to the bond, including conservative Republicans and liberal Democrats, would likely vote to keep the bond on the ballot in the hope that it will be defeated. Additionally, some who support the bond are worried that if delayed, the language of the bond could be bogged down in another legislative battle that could significantly alter the delicately negotiated language in the proposition.

Neither the Senate nor the Assembly has committed to a vote to delay the bond, but it is anticipated that the 2/3 vote to postpone the measure would have bigger problems in the Assembly.

The Legislature will have to act in the first few weeks of August to move Proposition 19 off the ballot.

LEGISLATURE GEARS UP FOR AUGUST BATTLES

Despite the budget crisis, the vast majority of legislators enjoyed a recess in July. However, August promises to be a very busy month for all. All legislation must be submitted to the Governor by August 31, so the next few weeks will be a very busy time in Sacramento as Senators and Assemblymembers work to get their legislation approved.

Anxious to focus on their reelection campaigns, legislators will return on August 2 for a grueling month of hearings and floor debates, as hundreds of measures remain alive in the legislative process. And, as always, August is the time when major last-minute deals are cut, and the prospects for any bill can change in a matter of hours.

After the legislature submits their legislation to the Governor, he will have 30 days (until September 30) to sign or veto each measure.

The key measure on the energy side is SB 722 (Simitian D-Palo Alto) which will raise the renewables portfolio standard (RPS) to 33%, and make other conforming changes that will address renewable energy credits (RECs). This measure will be the hot topic in the energy world as it is further refined in August.

CA AB 300	<p>AUTHOR: Caballero [D] TITLE: Subdivisions: Water Supply LAST AMEND: 06/30/2009 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee SUMMARY: Requires a public water system, or, if none exists, a local agency, to review and verify for accuracy a housing subdivider's water savings projections attributable to voluntary demand management measures. Specified assessment requirements. Authorizes the public water system to collect specified related fees. Requires any city, county, or system preparing an assessment to reduce projected water demand for the project to an amount below the current requirements. Relates to water conservation program funding. VOTES: 04/15/2009 Assembly Local Government Committee P 7-0 04/28/2009 Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee P 11-0 05/20/2009 Assembly Appropriations Committee P 15-0 05/28/2009 Assembly Assembly Floor P 73-0 06/17/2009 Senate Local Government Committee P 5-0</p>
CA AB 1594	<p>AUTHOR: Huber [D] TITLE: Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta: Peripheral Canal LAST AMEND: 04/15/2010 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee SUMMARY: Prohibits the construction of a peripheral canal that conveys water from a diversion point in the Sacramento River to a location south of the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta, unless expressly authorized by the Legislature. Requires the Legislative Analyst's Office to complete an economic feasibility analysis prior to the enactment of a statute authorizing the construction of a peripheral canal. Prohibits such canal from diminishing or negatively affecting the water supplies or rights in the watershed.</p>
CA AB 1664	<p>AUTHOR: Swanson [D] TITLE: Metropolitan Water District Act</p>

LAST AMEND: 04/05/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Local Government Committee
SUMMARY:

Amends the Metropolitan Water District Act which provides for the creation of metropolitan water districts, governed by a board of directors composed of at least one appointed representative of each member public agency. Requires that such representative be authorized to represent the appointing agency at all times. Prohibits the member agency from directing or instructing a board member to vote in a particular manner with respect to any question, order, resolution, or ordinance before the board.

CA AB 1676

AUTHOR: Fuentes [D]
TITLE: Elected Officials: Residency Requirements
LAST AMEND: 06/24/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires that a person elected to a public office for a county, city, or school district maintain his or her place of domicile within the jurisdiction within which voters are qualified to vote for the office during the term of office. Requires a person in violation to immediately forfeit his or her office and disqualifies the person from holding elected office for a specified time period. Provides that such provisions would apply to all persons holding such office. Provides civil and criminal penalties.

VOTES:

04/20/2010	Assembly Elections and Redistricting Committee	P 7-0
05/28/2010	Assembly Appropriations Committee	P 17-0
06/03/2010	Assembly Assembly Floor	P 72-2
06/29/2010	Senate Elections, Reapportionment and Constitutional Amendments Committee	P 4-0

CA AB 1677

AUTHOR: Caballero [D]
TITLE: Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta
LAST AMEND: 06/10/2010
DISPOSITION: Enacted
LOCATION: Chaptered
SUMMARY:

Designates the Secretary of Commerce as the new appointing entity for membership on the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Conservancy board. Makes a technical correction in the Johnston-Baker-Andal-Boatwright Delta Protection Act of 1992 that creates the Delta Protection Commission to prepare and adopt a comprehensive long-term resource management plan for specified areas within the Delta.

VOTES:

04/13/2010	Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee	P 13-0
04/22/2010	Assembly Assembly Floor	P 74-0
06/09/2010	Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee	P 7-0
06/17/2010	Senate Senate Floor	P 33-0
06/21/2010	Assembly Assembly Floor	P 75-0

CA AB 1774

AUTHOR: Saldana [D]
TITLE: Recycled Water: State Agency Landscape Irrigation
LAST AMEND: 05/28/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
SUMMARY:

States legislative findings and declarations that the use of potable domestic water for the irrigation of landscaping generally is a waste or an unreasonable use of water if recycled water is available for such use. Authorizes a public agency, including local public agencies, to require a state agency whose property is located within the jurisdiction of the public agency to use recycled water for landscape irrigation or the property of that state agency if certain requirements are met.

VOTES:

03/23/2010 Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee P 12-0
05/28/2010 Assembly Appropriations Committee P 17-0
06/02/2010 Assembly Assembly Floor P 76-0

CA AB 1788

AUTHOR: Yamada [D]
TITLE: Water Development Projects: State Financial Assistance
LAST AMEND: 07/15/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Appropriations Committee
HEARING: 08/02/2010 10:00 am
SUMMARY:

Relates to flood control projects. Relates to the Central Valley Flood Protection Board. Authorizes the state to pay a up to a specified percentage of nonfederal costs for flood control projects upon the recommendation of the Department of Water Resources or the board if it is determined that the project will increase the level of flood protection for disadvantaged communities.

VOTES:

03/23/2010 Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee P 12-0
05/28/2010 Assembly Appropriations Committee P 17-0
06/01/2010 Assembly Assembly Floor P 77-0
06/29/2010 Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee P 9-0

CA AB 1793

AUTHOR: Saldana [D]
TITLE: Common Interest Developments: Artificial Turf
LAST AMEND: 04/20/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
FILE: 110
LOCATION: Senate Third Reading File
SUMMARY:

Provides for creation and regulation of common interest developments. Provides for use of low-water-using plants as a group with a local water-efficient landscaper ordinance or water conservation measure. Provides that a provision governing documents of a common interest development would be void and unenforceable if it prohibits the use of artificial turf or any other synthetic surface that resembles grass. Provides that the association can use rules and

regulations in existing governing documents.

VOTES:

04/14/2010 Assembly Housing and Community Development Committee P 7-0
04/22/2010 Assembly Assembly Floor P 69-1
06/15/2010 Senate Transportation and Housing Committee P 5-3

CA AB 1797

AUTHOR: Berryhill B [R]
TITLE: Water Resources Development System: Delta Plan
LAST AMEND: 04/07/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the Department of Water Resources to undertake an expedited evaluation and feasibility study with regard to the implementation of a specified Delta Corridors Plan as part of the State Water Resources Development System, a study of specified impacts and benefits of the plan and to include in the study an assessment of a specified fish demonstration project, and to include with any recommendations the construction of specified facilities. Provides funds for the study from a specified bond act.

VOTES:

03/23/2010 Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee F 4-3
04/13/2010 Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee P 7-5

CA AB 1834

AUTHOR: Solorio [D]
TITLE: Rainwater Capture Act of 2010
LAST AMEND: 07/15/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Appropriations Committee
HEARING: 08/02/2010 10:00 am
SUMMARY:

Enacts the Rainwater Capture Act of 2010. Authorizes a landowner to install, maintain, and operate a rainwater capture system meeting specified requirements. Requires the Water Resources Control Board to initiate a process to develop recommendations for state and local agencies to encourage and facilitate the voluntary installation and use of such systems for nonpotable uses and place them on its Internet Web site. Relates to building code recommendations. Authorizes related landscape contractor contracts.

VOTES:

04/13/2010 Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee P 13-0
05/28/2010 Assembly Appropriations Committee P 17-0
06/02/2010 Assembly Assembly Floor P 74-0
06/22/2010 Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee P 6-1
06/28/2010 Senate Environmental Quality Committee P 7-0

CA AB 1886

AUTHOR: Yamada [D]
TITLE: Water Use: Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Watershed
LAST AMEND: 03/17/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the Department of Water Resources, in preparing and updating the California Water Plan, to include a report on the progress toward meeting the goals for conservation, development, and use of the water resources of the state by reducing reliance on the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta in meeting the state's future water supply needs.

VOTES:

03/23/2010 Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife P 9-2
Committee

CA AB 1929

AUTHOR: Hall [D]
TITLE: Invasive Aquatic Species: Mussels
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Provides that an operator of water delivery and storage facilities, who has prepared, initiated and is in compliance with a plan to control and eradicate dreissenid mussels would not be subject to any civil or criminal liability for the introduction of dreissenid mussel species as a result of operations of those facilities.

VOTES:

03/23/2010 Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife P 12-0
Committee
04/06/2010 Assembly Judiciary Committee P 9-0
04/14/2010 Assembly Appropriations Committee P 15-0
04/22/2010 Assembly Assembly Floor P 74-0
06/29/2010 Senate Natural Resources and Water P 9-0
Committee

CA AB 1947

AUTHOR: Fong [D]
TITLE: Solar Energy
LAST AMEND: 06/17/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
FILE: 190
LOCATION: Senate Third Reading File
SUMMARY:

Authorizes a local publicly owned electric utility to adopt, implement, and finance a solar initiative program exempt from offset and same-premises program requirements, where residential and business consumers offset part or all of their electricity demand with electricity generated by a solar energy system not located on the premises of the consumer, if the program meets certain requirements.

VOTES:

04/05/2010 Assembly Utilities and Commerce P 8-6
Committee
06/02/2010 Assembly Assembly Floor P 50-24
06/29/2010 Senate Energy, Utilities and P 6-2
Communications Committee

CA AB 1954

AUTHOR: Skinner [D]
TITLE: Electrical Transmission: Renewable Energy Resources

LAST AMEND: 07/15/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Appropriations Committee
HEARING: 08/02/2010 10:00 am
SUMMARY:

Relates to the Public Utilities Commission. Provides an application by an electrical corporation for a certificate of public convenience and necessity for new transmission facilities is necessary to the provision of electric service if the commission finds that the facility is necessary to facilitate achievement of the renewables portfolio standard. Authorizes the commission to approve the recovery of retail rates of certain transmission facilities costs. Relates to renewable energy credits.

VOTES:

04/05/2010	Assembly Utilities and Commerce Committee	P 14-0
04/19/2010	Assembly Natural Resources Committee	P 9-0
05/05/2010	Assembly Appropriations Committee	P 17-0
05/13/2010	Assembly Assembly Floor	P 76-0
06/29/2010	Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications Committee	P 9-0

CA AB 1955

AUTHOR: De La Torre [D]
TITLE: Public Officers: Incompatible Offices.
LAST AMEND: 06/23/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Local Government Committee
SUMMARY:

Amends existing law that prohibits a public officer including an appointed or elected member of a governmental board, commission, committee, or other body, from simultaneously holding two incompatible public offices. Provides examples of situations when two public offices are incompatible. Specifies when a member holds an office that may exercise powers over another office.

VOTES:

04/21/2010	Assembly Local Government Committee	P 8-0
04/29/2010	Assembly Assembly Floor	P 72-0
06/30/2010	Senate Local Government Committee	F 1-3

CA AB 1975

AUTHOR: Fong [D]
TITLE: Water Charges and Meters: Multiunit Residential
LAST AMEND: 06/28/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires, contingent upon the adoption of specified building standards, that architectural plans for individual dwelling units in multiunit structures for which the permit application is submitted to include the installation of either a water meter or a submeter for water supplied into each unit. Requires owners ensure that the submeters meet specified requirements. Prohibits the assessing or collecting of related fees. Requires the development of building standards. Requires a related task force.

VOTES:

04/13/2010	Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee	P 13-0
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05/28/2010 Assembly Appropriations Committee P 12-2
 06/03/2010 Assembly Assembly Floor P 59-13
 06/29/2010 Senate Natural Resources and Water P 6-3
 Committee

CA AB 2003

AUTHOR: Mendoza [D]
TITLE: Legislative Bodies: Contracts and Appointments
LAST AMEND: 04/20/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Local Government Committee
SUMMARY:

Provides that any contract entered into or appointment made by a legislative body of a local agency during the period after close of the polls on election day for an election involving that legislative body and before a new member of the legislative body is sworn in to take office shall not take effect until the legislative body, which includes the newly elected member, has reviewed and approved the contract or appointment. Provides an exception.

CA AB 2014

AUTHOR: Torrico [D]
TITLE: Income Taxes: Credits: Energy Efficient Homes
LAST AMEND: 05/18/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Amends the Personal Income Tax Law to allow a credit in a specified amount for bringing a qualified principal residence into compliance with the recommendations for energy efficiency made by an energy audit, that complies with the regulations in Phase II of the State Home Energy Rating System Program, of the qualified principal residence.

VOTES:

05/03/2010 Assembly Natural Resources Committee P 7-0
 05/10/2010 Assembly Revenue and Taxation Committee P 9-0

CA AB 2037

AUTHOR: Perez V [D]
TITLE: Electricity: Air Pollution
LAST AMEND: 07/15/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Prohibits a load-serving entity or local publicly owned electric utility from entering into, and would prohibit the Public Utilities Commission from approving for an electrical corporation, a long-term financial commitment with or for a new electrical generation facility that meets specified criteria, as determined by local air pollution control and air quality management districts.

VOTES:

04/05/2010 Assembly Utilities and Commerce P 10-4
 Committee
 04/19/2010 Assembly Natural Resources Committee P 6-3
 04/28/2010 Assembly Appropriations Committee P 10-5
 05/10/2010 Assembly Assembly Floor P 44-26
 06/15/2010 Senate Energy, Utilities and P 7-2
 Communications Committee
 06/28/2010 Senate Environmental Quality Committee P 5-2

CA AB 2049 **AUTHOR:** Arambula [I]
TITLE: Transfers Of Water: Agricultural Use To Municipal Use
LAST AMEND: 05/28/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:
Prohibits the Department of Water Resources with respect to a contractual entitlement to water from the State Water Project, and the State Water Resources Control Board, with respect to any other transfer of water or water rights, from approving the transfer of surface water or water rights from agricultural use to municipal use for a specified period, unless the user provides an evaluation of the economic, social, and environmental effects of the transfer.
VOTES:

04/13/2010	Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee	P 8-4
05/28/2010	Assembly Appropriations Committee	P 12-5
06/02/2010	Assembly Assembly Floor	F 38-31
06/03/2010	Assembly Assembly Floor	F 35-33

CA AB 2063 **AUTHOR:** Huffman [D]
TITLE: Fish: Chinook and Coho Salmon
LAST AMEND: 06/14/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:
Amends the Salmon, Steelhead Trout, and Anadromous Fisheries Protection Act. Adds legislative findings and declarations. Proclaims a legislative goal of restoring Chinook and Coho salmon populations to sustainable levels, sufficient to support viable recreational, commercial, and tribal fisheries, within a decade. State the intent of the Legislature that utilization of the best available science in determining conservation planning. Designates the Chinook salmon as the official state anadromous fish.
VOTES:

03/23/2010	Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee	P 12-0
04/14/2010	Assembly Appropriations Committee	P 15-0
04/22/2010	Assembly Assembly Floor	P 74-0
06/09/2010	Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee	P 5-2
06/22/2010	Senate Governmental Organization Committee	P 7-0

CA AB 2092 **AUTHOR:** Huffman [D]
TITLE: Delta Plan: Financing
LAST AMEND: 06/28/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:
Requires the Delta Stewardship Council to develop a long-term finance plan to pay for the costs of implementing the Delta Plan. Prohibits the council from adopting new fees for these purposes unless authorized by statute. Authorizes the council to seek to obtain early funding contributions from entities that may

benefit from implementation of the plan and to track those contributions to provide credit against future funding requirements.

VOTES:

04/13/2010 Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee P 8-3
05/12/2010 Assembly Appropriations Committee P 11-5
06/02/2010 Assembly Assembly Floor P 47-26
06/22/2010 Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee P 5-3

CA AB 2182

AUTHOR: Huffman [D]
TITLE: Contractual Assessments: Onsite and Septic Improvements
LAST AMEND: 06/02/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
FILE: 24
LOCATION: Senate Second Reading File
SUMMARY:

Amends existing law that authorizes a public agency to designate an area within which officials and property owners may enter into contractual assessments to finance distributed generation renewable energy sources. Includes assessments to finance onsite sewer and septic improvements to convert residential, commercial, industrial, agricultural, or other real property from an onsite septic system to community sewer collection service and to modify, replace, or upgrade onsite sewer and septic improvements.

VOTES:

04/28/2010 Assembly Local Government Committee P 8-1
05/06/2010 Assembly Assembly Floor P 65-6
06/30/2010 Senate Local Government Committee P 4-1

CA AB 2231

AUTHOR: Perez V [D]
TITLE: Energy: Renewable Energy Action Team
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
SUMMARY:

Convenes the Renewable Energy Action Team to develop and adopt the Desert Renewable Energy Conservation Plan to identify renewable energy zones based on renewable energy development potential and environmental, wildlife, and conservation criteria. Requires the commission to prepare a master environmental impact report or a program environmental impact report that encompasses all of the renewable energy resources that may be developed in the renewable energy zones identified in the plan.

CA AB 2256

AUTHOR: Huffman [D]
TITLE: Product Labeling: Flushable Products
LAST AMEND: 06/01/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Environmental Quality Committee
SUMMARY:

Prohibits a person from packaging or labeling a consumer product for distribution or sale in the State if that product is contained in a package, or has an affixed label, that states that the product is flushable, sewer and septic safe, or other like term or phrase unless the product meets specified criteria. Requires such persons to maintain, in written form, documentation of the

testing substantiating the validity of the claim. Exempts certain retailers and wholesalers from these provisions.

VOTES:

04/20/2010	Assembly Business, Professions and Consumer Protection Committee	P 6-3
05/12/2010	Assembly Appropriations Committee	P 11-5
06/03/2010	Assembly Assembly Floor	P 46-27
06/21/2010	Senate Business, Professions & Economic Development Committee	F 3-3
06/28/2010	Senate Business, Professions & Economic Development Committee	P 5-2

CA AB 2296

AUTHOR: Saldana [D]
TITLE: Energy: Solar Energy Systems
LAST AMEND: 04/27/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications Committee
SUMMARY:

Amends existing law which requires the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission, in consultation with specified entities, to establish eligibility criteria for solar energy systems receiving ratepayer funded incentives including, among other things, that the solar energy system be located on the same premises of the end-use consumer where the consumer's own electricity demand is located. Expands the eligibility to include a solar energy system located on a near-site location.

VOTES:

04/19/2010	Assembly Utilities and Commerce Committee	P 9-3
05/12/2010	Assembly Appropriations Committee	P 11-4
05/20/2010	Assembly Assembly Floor	P 44-23

CA AB 2304

AUTHOR: Huffman [D]
TITLE: Groundwater Management Plans: Components
LAST AMEND: 06/15/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Second Reading File
SUMMARY:

Requires a local agency, upon a written request, to provide a copy of a proposed groundwater management plan to an interested person. Requires the agency to provide each interested person with a specified notice prior to the commencement of a second public hearing to determine whether to adopt the plan. Authorizes such person to contact the Department of Water Resources regarding the plan. Adds to the list of components that are to be included in the plan for specified funding purposes a recharge areas map.

VOTES:

04/27/2010	Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee	P 7-3
05/05/2010	Assembly Local Government Committee	P 6-3
06/02/2010	Assembly Assembly Floor	P 49-27
06/22/2010	Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee	P 5-3

CA AB 2336

AUTHOR: Fuller [R]

TITLE: Delta Stewardship Council
LAST AMEND: 05/17/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the Delta Stewardship Council, in developing and adopting the Delta Plan, to direct the Delta Independent Science Board to conduct an assessment of certain stressors and populations of native fish species in the delta, the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers, and the tributaries to those rivers below the rim dams of the central valley, and recommend changes in statute and actions by state agencies to remedy the situation in as timely a manner as possible.

VOTES:

04/13/2010 Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee P 10-1
05/05/2010 Assembly Appropriations Committee P 16-0
05/20/2010 Assembly Assembly Floor P 64-5

CA AB 2378

AUTHOR: Tran [R]
TITLE: Energy: Renewable Energy Program
LAST AMEND: 05/11/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
FILE: 103
LOCATION: Senate Third Reading File
SUMMARY:

Amends existing law that establishes the renewable energy resources program that is administered by the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission to increase the amount of electricity generated from eligible renewable resources per year and defines various terms including in-state renewable electricity generation facility. Amends that definition to include a facility that uses a combination of specified renewable resource technologies.

VOTES:

05/03/2010 Assembly Utilities and Commerce Committee P 8-2
05/13/2010 Assembly Assembly Floor P 69-0
06/15/2010 Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications Committee P 7-2

CA AB 2409

AUTHOR: Nestande [R]
TITLE: Urban Water Suppliers: Water Shortage Contingency
LAST AMEND: 06/15/2010
DISPOSITION: Enacted
LOCATION: Chaptered
SUMMARY:

Requires an urban water supplier, commencing with the urban water management plan update due on a specified date, for purposes of developing a water shortage contingency analysis, to analyze and define water features that are artificially supplied with water, including ponds, lakes, waterfalls, and fountains, separately from swimming pools and spas.

VOTES:

04/13/2010 Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee P 13-0

04/22/2010	Assembly Assembly Floor	P 74-0
06/09/2010	Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee	P 7-0
06/17/2010	Senate Senate Floor	P 33-0
06/21/2010	Assembly Assembly Floor	P 76-0

CA AB 2514

AUTHOR: Skinner [D]
TITLE: Energy Storage Systems
LAST AMEND: 07/15/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Senate Appropriations Committee
HEARING: 08/02/2010 10:00 am
SUMMARY:

Requires the Public Utilities Commission to open a proceeding to determine appropriate targets for each load-serving entity to procure viable and cost-effective storage system and to adopt an appropriate related target for each entity. Requires publicly owned electric utility board to open the same proceeding and adopt a 2nd target to be achieved. Requires each load serving entity and local publicly owned electric utility to report certain information to the commission or the Energy Commission.

VOTES:

04/19/2010	Assembly Utilities and Commerce Committee	F 7-6
04/22/2010	Assembly Natural Resources Committee	P 6-3
04/22/2010	Assembly Utilities and Commerce Committee	P 8-6
05/28/2010	Assembly Appropriations Committee	P 12-5
06/03/2010	Assembly Assembly Floor	P 41-28
06/29/2010	Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications Committee	P 8-2

CA AB 2561

AUTHOR: Villines [R]
TITLE: Energy: Energy Commission and Department
LAST AMEND: 06/17/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
FILE: 36
LOCATION: Senate Second Reading File
SUMMARY:

Transfers various energy related powers, duties, responsibilities, obligations, liabilities, and jurisdiction to, from, and between specified existing and newly created energy planning and conservation agencies and boards. Repeals the Katz Safe Schoolbus Clean Fuel Efficiency Demonstration Program, the Small Business Energy Efficient Refrigeration Program, the State Solar Medallion Passive Design Competition and the Consumer Power and Conservation Financing Authority Act.

VOTES:

04/05/2010	Assembly Utilities and Commerce Committee	P 14-0
04/19/2010	Assembly Natural Resources Committee	P 9-0
05/28/2010	Assembly Appropriations Committee	P 17-0
06/02/2010	Assembly Assembly Floor	P 73-1
06/29/2010	Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications Committee	P 6-3

CA AB 2583

AUTHOR: Hall [D]
TITLE: Water Treatment: Hazardous Materials
LAST AMEND: 04/22/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the state Emergency Management Agency to adopt regulations to require a public water system or wastewater treatment plant that is a release stationary source and is required to prepare and submit a risk management plan to consider the use of safer technologies by the system or plant in the plan.

VOTES:

04/20/2010 Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic P 6-1
Materials Committee

CA AB 2669

AUTHOR: Perez V [D]
TITLE: Safe Drinking Water Revolving Fund: Grants
LAST AMEND: 06/17/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Amends existing law that established the Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund to provide grants and loans to provide for the design and construction of projects for public water systems that will enable suppliers to meet safe drinking water standards. Adds environmental documentation to the costs of a single project that the Department of Public Health is required to determine by an assessment of affordability relating to such grants or loans.

VOTES:

04/13/2010 Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic P 7-2
Materials Committee
05/28/2010 Assembly Appropriations Committee P 12-0
06/03/2010 Assembly Assembly Floor P 52-24
06/28/2010 Senate Environmental Quality Committee P 7-0

CA AB 2679

AUTHOR: Eng [D]
TITLE: Public Buildings: Energy and Water: Consumption
LAST AMEND: 04/28/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires all state public buildings to conform to a specified compliance schedule to achieve reductions in energy and water consumption and to maintain specified water and energy reduction levels and all new buildings to have zero energy consumption or be grid neutral by a specified date. Requires each public entity operating a building to provide the Department of General Services an onsite assessment. Requires applicable public entities to adopt and implement processes in the Green Building Action Plan.

VOTES:

04/13/2010 Assembly Business, Professions and P 7-4
Consumer Protection Committee
04/19/2010 Assembly Natural Resources Committee P 6-3

CA AB 2693

AUTHOR: Blumenfield [D]
TITLE: Local Government Renewable Energy Self-Generation
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Utilities and Commerce Committee
SUMMARY:

Amends existing law which states the Public Utilities Commission has regulatory authority over public utilities, including electrical corporations, and that authorizes a local government to receive a bill credit to a designated benefiting account for electricity exported to the electrical grid by an eligible renewable generating facility. Revises the definition of a local government to include a joint powers authority or agency.

CA SB 565

AUTHOR: Pavley [D]
TITLE: Water Resources
LAST AMEND: 05/20/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
FILE: 26
LOCATION: Assembly Second Reading File
SUMMARY:

Relates to the exemption from the payment of fees for official services of the State Water Resources Board by the state, city, county, or district, state board water rights investigations and proceedings, the fine for water trespassing, the filing of a statement of water diversion and use with the state board, the civil penalties for violating a cease and desist order of the state board for unauthorized use of water, a schedule of penalties for small farm water violations.

VOTES:

04/14/2009	Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee	P 7-3
04/27/2009	Senate Environmental Quality Committee	P 5-2
05/28/2009	Senate Appropriations Committee	P 7-5
06/03/2009	Senate Senate Floor	P 21-13
06/29/2010	Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee	P 7-6

CA SB 722

AUTHOR: Simitian [D]
TITLE: Utilities: Renewable Energy Resources
LAST AMEND: 06/22/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
FILE: 51
LOCATION: Assembly Second Reading File
SUMMARY:

Relates to an increase in the amount of electricity generated from renewable sources using a phased in schedule and procurement standard, permitting a retail seller to delay compliance, annual compliance reports, methodology for the market price of electricity, publicly owned electric utility compliance with the renewables portfolio standard, implementation of a standard compliance accounting system, new transmission facilities certification, and integration of sources into the grid.

VOTES:

04/20/2009	Senate Environmental Quality Committee	P 6-1
05/05/2009	Senate Judiciary Committee	P 3-0
05/14/2009	Senate Senate Floor	P 21-15

06/22/2009 Assembly Natural Resources Committee P 5-3
 06/30/2009 Assembly Judiciary Committee P 7-3
 06/24/2010 Assembly Utilities and Commerce P 9-2
 Committee
 06/30/2010 Assembly Natural Resources Committee P 5-3

CA SB 808

AUTHOR: Wolk [D]
TITLE: Delta Levee Maintenance
LAST AMEND: 01/25/2010
DISPOSITION: Enacted
LOCATION: Chaptered
SUMMARY:

Relates to reimbursement to eligible local agencies for costs incurred in connection with the maintenance or improvement of levees in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta. Provides for a decrease in the reimbursement rate after a specified date. Extends the operation of a provision of existing law that authorizes the allocation of funds in the form of an advance in a specified amount that does not exceed a certain percentage of the estimated state share.

VOTES:

01/12/2010 Senate Natural Resources and Water P 9-0
 Committee
 01/21/2010 Senate Appropriations Committee P 9-0
 01/28/2010 Senate Senate Floor P 35-0
 04/27/2010 Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife P 11-0
 Committee
 05/19/2010 Assembly Appropriations Committee P 16-0
 05/24/2010 Assembly Assembly Floor P 71-0

CA SB 894

AUTHOR: Local Government Cmt
TITLE: Local Government Omnibus Act of 2010
LAST AMEND: 06/07/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Assembly Appropriations Committee
HEARING: 08/04/2010 9:00 am
SUMMARY:

Relates to school district development mediation, funding state mandates, city and county boundaries, issuing local notes, special district office holders, city council members, school property lease or transfer, redevelopment of land, air control district appointees, mosquito abatement, domestic or drinking water reservoirs, contract change orders by the Los Angeles County Flood Control District, county construction contracts, water district regulations via the Internet, and reclamation districts.

VOTES:

04/19/2010 Senate Local Government Committee P 5-0
 05/10/2010 Senate Senate Floor P 30-0
 06/30/2010 Assembly Local Government Committee P 9-0

CA SB 918

AUTHOR: Pavley [D]
TITLE: Water Recycling
LAST AMEND: 06/01/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Assembly Appropriations Committee
HEARING: 08/04/2010 9:00 am

SUMMARY:

Requires the State Department of Public Health to develop and adopt uniform water recycling criteria for indirect potable water reuse for groundwater recharge, and develop and adopt uniform water recycling criteria for surface water augmentation, under a certain condition. Requires the department to investigate developing uniform water recycling criteria for such reuse. Requires funds from violations of water quality requirements for use in developing and adopting water recycling criteria.

VOTES:

03/24/2010	Senate Health Committee	P 6-3
04/19/2010	Senate Environmental Quality Committee	P 6-0
05/02/2010	Senate Appropriations Committee	P 7-3
05/27/2010	Senate Appropriations Committee	P 7-3
06/02/2010	Senate Senate Floor	P 24-12
06/15/2010	Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee	P 7-0
06/29/2010	Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee	P 10-2

CA SB 991

AUTHOR: Wolk [D]
TITLE: Flood Control
LAST AMEND: 04/07/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
FILE: 28
LOCATION: Assembly Second Reading File
SUMMARY:

Appropriates, with regard to bond funds under the Disaster Preparedness and Flood Prevention Bond Act of 2006, a specified amount of funds to the Department of Water Resources for flood protection projects that improve the sustainability of the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta.

VOTES:

04/13/2010	Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee	P 6-3
05/02/2010	Senate Appropriations Committee	P 8-2
05/27/2010	Senate Appropriations Committee	P 7-3
06/02/2010	Senate Senate Floor	P 21-14
06/29/2010	Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee	P 8-4

CA SB 1006

AUTHOR: Pavley [D]
TITLE: Natural Resources: Climate Change
LAST AMEND: 06/21/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Assembly Appropriations Committee
HEARING: 08/04/2010 9:00 am
SUMMARY:

Requires the Strategic Growth Council to take certain actions with regard to coordinating programs to address climate change impacts. Requires the council to additionally provide, fund, and distribute information to local governments and regional agencies regarding climate change strategies, projects, and activities. Requires the council to manage and award financial assistance to specified local entities for those activities.

VOTES:

04/13/2010 Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee P 6-3
 04/19/2010 Senate Environmental Quality Committee P 4-2
 05/02/2010 Senate Appropriations Committee P 7-3
 05/27/2010 Senate Appropriations Committee P 7-3
 06/02/2010 Senate Senate Floor P 22-14
 06/28/2010 Assembly Local Government Committee P 6-3
 06/28/2010 Assembly Natural Resources Committee P 5-3

CA SB 1033

AUTHOR: Wright [D]
TITLE: Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006: Allowances
LAST AMEND: 04/26/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the State Air Resources Board, if market-based compliance mechanisms are adopted that include the distribution of allowances, which are defined under existing law as authorizations to emit greenhouse gas emissions, to sell or otherwise distribute an allowance only to a regulated entity subject to the greenhouse gas emission limit to which that allowance applies. Authorizes a regulated entity to sell or trade an allowance only to another regulated entity.

VOTES:

04/19/2010 Senate Environmental Quality Committee P 5-1
 05/24/2010 Senate Senate Floor P 32-1

CA SB 1107

AUTHOR: Kehoe [D]
TITLE: Water Quality: Interceptor and Trap Grease
LAST AMEND: 05/24/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Assembly Agriculture Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the State Water Resources Board to develop, adopt, and implement regulations that include specified requirements, for a manifest system to track the transportation of interceptor and trap grease. Requires the imposition of a fee to cover the costs involved. Creates a related fund for the fee moneys. Makes a violation of these provisions a circumstance with which the registration certificate for the transport of inedible kitchen grease may be revoked.

VOTES:

04/06/2010 Senate Food and Agriculture Committee P 3-1
 04/19/2010 Senate Environmental Quality Committee P 4-2
 05/03/2010 Senate Appropriations Committee P 7-3
 06/01/2010 Senate Senate Floor P 22-13
 06/15/2010 Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee P 6-3

CA SB 1153

AUTHOR: Hancock [D]
TITLE: Energy: Sustainable Energy Zone
LAST AMEND: 04/27/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Authorizes the Energy Commission to designate a sustainable energy zone suitable for the construction or operation of renewable energy projects and

designated transmission corridors. Requires the Energy Commission to identify zones where projects can be built that are consistent with the strategic plan for the state's electric transmission grid. Requires the Energy Commission to report to the legislature regarding the designation of sustainable energy zones. Deletes provisions regarding greenhouse gases.

VOTES:

04/20/2010 Senate Energy, Utilities and P 8-2
Communications Committee

CA SB 1173

AUTHOR: Wolk [D]
TITLE: Recycled Water
LAST AMEND: 06/10/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Assembly Appropriations Committee
HEARING: 08/04/2010 9:00 am
SUMMARY:

Defines raw water under the Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act. Declares the use of raw or potable domestic water for nonpotable municipal or industrial uses, irrigation of landscaping, floor trap priming, cooling towers, and air-conditioning devices is a waste or unreasonable use of water if recycled water is available. Prohibits a person or public agency from using raw or potable water that is suitable for nonpotable municipal or industrial uses if suitable recycled water is available.

VOTES:

03/23/2010 Senate Natural Resources and Water P 5-3
Committee
04/19/2010 Senate Environmental Quality Committee P 4-2
05/03/2010 Senate Appropriations Committee P 6-3
05/27/2010 Senate Senate Floor P 22-11
06/15/2010 Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife P 7-4
Committee
06/29/2010 Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic P 6-3
Materials Committee

CA SB 1198

AUTHOR: Huff [R]
TITLE: Energy: Energy Resources Conservation and Development
LAST AMEND: 06/30/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Assembly Appropriations Committee
HEARING: 08/04/2010 9:00 am
SUMMARY:

Amends existing law that requires the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission to set standards for minimum levels of operating efficiency for products. Provides that the television product labeling regulations adopted by the commission would not be effective until a specified date, if the U.S. Federal Trade Commission labeling rule for those products is not effective on or before a specified date. Provides those regulations would remain in effect until a final rule becomes effective.

VOTES:

04/20/2010 Senate Energy, Utilities and P 6-4
Communications Committee
05/10/2010 Senate Appropriations Committee F 5-4
05/17/2010 Senate Appropriations Committee P 6-4

06/01/2010 Senate Senate Floor P 24-9
 06/21/2010 Assembly Utilities and Commerce P 12-1
 Committee
 06/28/2010 Assembly Natural Resources Committee P 7-0

CA SB 1241

AUTHOR: Wolk [D]
TITLE: Greenhouse Gas Emissions Reduction: Agriculture
LAST AMEND: 04/22/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the Secretary of Food and Agriculture and the Department of Food and Agriculture to establish and convene the state Agricultural Climate Benefits Advisory Committee to advise the state Air Resources Board on strategies to support agricultural activities that reduce global warming impacts that may negatively impact agriculture and the rest of the state.

VOTES:

04/06/2010 Senate Food and Agriculture Committee P 3-1
 04/19/2010 Senate Environmental Quality Committee P 4-2

CA SB 1247

AUTHOR: Dutton [R]
TITLE: Renewable Energy Resources: Hydroelectric Facilities
LAST AMEND: 06/30/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:

Relates to the State Renewables Portfolio Standard Program that provides that the incremental increase in the amount of electricity generated from a hydroelectric generation facility as a result of efficiency improvements at the facility is electricity from an eligible renewable energy resource if certain conditions are met. Adopts an alternative to a specified requirement regarding hydroelectric facilities under the program for the Rock Creek Powerhouse hydroelectric generation facility.

VOTES:

06/15/2010 Senate Energy, Utilities and P 6-0
 Communications Committee
 07/01/2010 Senate Senate Floor P 34-0

CA SB 1284

AUTHOR: Ducheny [D]
TITLE: Water Quality
LAST AMEND: 06/23/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Assembly Appropriations Committee
HEARING: 08/04/2010 9:00 am
SUMMARY:

Amends the mandatory waste discharge requirements in accordance with the federal Clean Water Act and the state Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act. Provides that a failure to file a discharge monitoring report is not a serious waste discharge violation if the discharger submits a specified statement. Specifies penalty assessment requirements. Relates to a effluent limitation time schedule for compliance by waste dischargers.

VOTES:

04/19/2010 Senate Environmental Quality Committee P 7-0

05/02/2010 Senate Appropriations Committee P 10-0
 05/27/2010 Senate Appropriations Committee P 10-0
 06/03/2010 Senate Senate Floor P 31-0
 06/15/2010 Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee P 9-0
 06/29/2010 Assembly Judiciary Committee P 10-0

CA SB 1334

AUTHOR: Wolk [D]
TITLE: Natural Community Conservation Plans
LAST AMEND: 05/10/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
COMMITTEE: Assembly Appropriations Committee
HEARING: 08/04/2010 9:00 am
SUMMARY:

Amends the Natural Community Conservation Planning Act that authorizes the Department of Fish and Game to enter into agreements for the purpose of preparing a natural community conservation plan, in cooperation with a local agency and requires the department to approve a plan after making specified findings. Includes in the required finding that the plan has been developed consistent with the planning agreement process an additional finding of cooperation with a local agency that has permit authority.

VOTES:

04/13/2010 Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee P 5-3
 06/02/2010 Senate Senate Floor P 23-12
 06/21/2010 Assembly Natural Resources Committee P 5-2
 06/29/2010 Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee P 9-4

CA SB 1367

AUTHOR: Wyland [R]
TITLE: Renewable Energy: Procurement Attainment Date
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications Committee
SUMMARY:

Relates to the Portfolio Standard Program. Extends the target date for a retail seller to procure 20 percent of its retail sales from eligible renewable energy resources.

CA SB 1446

AUTHOR: Correa [D]
TITLE: Endangered and Threatened Species: Habitat Mitigation
LAST AMEND: 04/20/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
FILE: A-5
LOCATION: Senate Inactive File
SUMMARY:

Amends existing law regarding incidental take permits. Amends the Endangered Species Act. Provides for exemptions to current prohibitions on the incidental taking of endangered species animals as certified situations. Makes several statements of legislative intent, relating to the establishment of alternatives for financial assurances under the act for public agencies that would ensure those agencies full fund their obligations on an ongoing basis for habitat mitigation and the monitoring thereof.

VOTES:

04/13/2010 Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee P 8-0

CA SB 1465 **AUTHOR:** Lowenthal A [D]
TITLE: Energy: Microturbines
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications Committee
SUMMARY:

Amends the Waste Heat and Carbon Emissions Reduction Act. Requires an electrical corporation to purchase excess electricity from a customer of an electrical corporation that uses a microturbine with a generating capacity of not more than one megawatt that runs off waste or standard gas associated with the extraction of oil or gas and has a time-of-use meter capable of registering the flow of electricity in 2 directions.

CA SB 1469 **AUTHOR:** Simitian [D]
TITLE: Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta: Water Plan: Water Quality
LAST AMEND: 04/14/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee
SUMMARY:

Requires the State Water Resources Control Board to identify all parties that benefit from waters originating in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta watershed and whose activities impact the watershed. Requires the board to develop a process for determining the degree of responsibility attributable to each of the identified parties for physical and environmental impacts. Requires the State Department of Water Resources to identify certain factors regarding the State Water Plan over the next 30 years.

VOTES:

04/13/2010 Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee P 6-3

CA SB 1478 **AUTHOR:** Nat Resour & Water Cmt
TITLE: Water conservation: urban water management
LAST AMEND: 06/14/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
FILE: 182
LOCATION: Assembly Third Reading File
SUMMARY:

Grants the extension for adoption of an urban water management plan that is due in 2010 to an urban wholesale water supplier to permit coordination between an urban wholesale water supplier and urban retail water suppliers. Revises the requirements that apply to an urban retail water supplier that supplies water to a specified military installation by requiring the supplier to consider the water conservation of the installation for the purpose of preparing an implementation plan.

VOTES:

04/13/2010 Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee P 9-0

04/22/2010 Senate Senate Floor P 33-0

06/29/2010 Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee P 12-0

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Subject: Public Outreach and Communications

RECOMMENDATION

This is an informational item for the Board of Directors to receive and file.

BACKGROUND

Calendar of Events

August 2010

- August 3, Sustainable Landscape Workshop, Event Center
- August 6, Tour of RP-5 for Japanese delegation via UC Riverside
- August 12, County of San Bernardino Water Conference, Ontario Convention Center
- August 24, SCAP meeting, Event Center
- August 25, Frontier Project LEED Platinum Celebration, 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

September 2010

- September 1, IEUA Picnic, Event Room, 11:30 a.m.
- September 8, Montclair Day at the LA Fair
- September 9, Upland Day at the LA Fair
- September 17, Chino Day at the LA Fair
- September 24, Chino Hills Day at the LA Fair
- September 29, Ontario Day at the LA Fair
- September 30, Rancho Cucamonga Day at the LA Fair

October 2010

- October 1, Fontana Day at the LA Fair
- October 7, SCWC Annual Dinner at Pacific Palms Hotel
- October 14, Retirement Dinner for Director Anderson, Chaffey College Chino Community Center at College Park
- October 16, Frontier Project Green Tie Gala
- October 23, Regional Water Conservation/Landscape Fair, Chino Basin Water Conservation District

November 2010

- November 13, Cal State San Bernardino Water Resource Institute annual dinner

Outreach/Educational Inland Valley Daily Bulletin Newspaper Campaign

The monthly tips on ways to help conserve water continue to appear in our local newspapers each month.

Water Conservation Outreach

IEUA is continuing to work with conservation partners to plan the Regional Conservation message. The slogan is *Saving Water...It's the Right Thing to Do*. The movie theatre campaign will begin appearing at the end of May and run through the end of September.

Regional Conservation Outreach Campaign

- Ongoing monthly ¼-page ads in the Inland Valley Daily Bulletin, Champion Newspaper, Fontana Herald News, La Opinion, and Inland Empire Magazine.
- Ongoing water wise gardening classes.

Educational Updates

- IEUA has received a grant to incorporate an educational video on the Santa Ana Watershed and distribute the video to schools and the community to inform them of elements of the watershed: background, history, issues, solutions, etc.
- MWD announced that Solar Cup 2011 and the Student Art Contest will be continued in the new fiscal year budget.
- WEWAC has begun marketing for the next Project WET Workshop that will be taking place in October.

PRIOR BOARD ACTION

None.

IMPACT ON BUDGET

The above mentioned activities are budgeted in the FY 2009/10 Administrative Service Fund, Public Information Services budget.

IEUA MONTHLY WATER NEWSLETTER

JULY 2010 (REPORTING JUNE 2010 DATA)

Highlights

- **MWD's Board May Amend The Water Supply Allocation Plan** - If approved, the changes to the WSAP would increase IEUA's allocation in FY 2010/11. (Page 1)
- **DWR Increases State Water Project Allocation to 50%** - With an above average rainfall this year, DWR has increased the SWP allocation to 50%. (Page 1)
- **IEUA, CBWM & the Retail Agencies Continue to Replenish MZ1** - IEUA, CBWM & the Retail Agencies purchased just over 5,000 AF of imported water for replenishment purposes during FY 2009/10. (Page 1)

Water Supply & Drought Update

At the July Board meeting, MWD's Board of Directors will decide if they want to approve proposed changes to the Water Supply Allocation Plan (WSAP). These changes are a result of 6-months of discussions with MWD and their Member Agencies. The proposed changes would increase the MWD allocation by approximately 33,000 AF (which would be split amongst MWD Member Agencies). IEUA's allocation is anticipated to increase by approximately 1,000 AF.

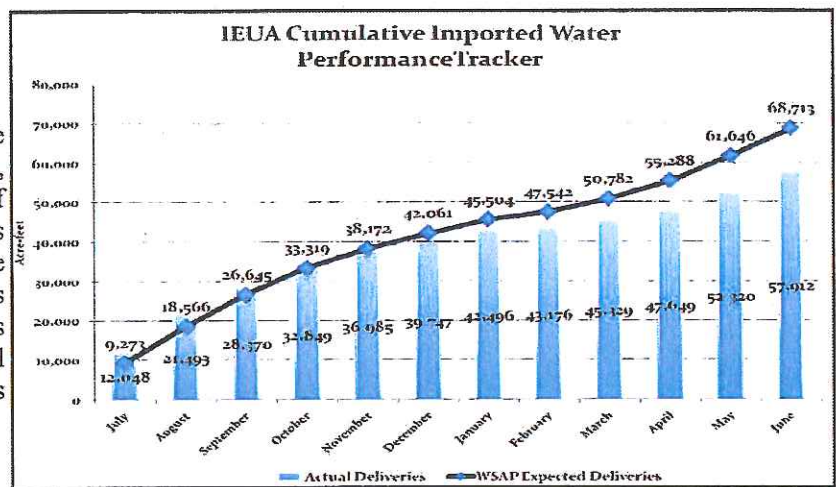


With the Sierra snowpack's water content above average, the Department of Water Resources (DWR) increased its SWP allocation to 50%. This is significantly higher than last years ending allocation of 35%.

IEUA, Watermaster and their member agencies have done an excellent job of complying with MWD's first year of allocation. During FY 2010/11 over 5,000 AF of imported water was recharged in Chino Basin Management Zone 1.

MWD's WSAP Update

During the first year of performance under the MWD Water Supply Allocation Plan, IEUA's service area received delivery of 57,912 AF, which is 16% under the Plan's limit of 68,713 AF. This does include the recent replenishment purchases, but does not include all expected DYY certifications for the third "call" year (May 2010—April 2011). For comparison, the MWD region is 13% under the Plan's expected deliveries.



IEUA Water Supply Programs

Imported Water Deliveries

For FY 2009/10, IEUA and its member agencies have purchased 57,912 AF. Compared to last year at this point, IEUA and its member agencies had purchases of 81,618 AF. This includes all replenishment deliveries, but does not include expected DYY certifications for the third "call" year.

Dry Year Yield (DYY) Program

MWD has made a third consecutive call on the DYY Program. This call is considered a partial call because there is only 17,200 AF left in the storage account. The remaining water in the storage account will be split amongst the DYY participants based on a pre-defined "pro-rata" methodology. Most of the DYY participants plan to certify as much as possible during the months of May and June to avoid the second WSAP allocation, which begins on July 1, 2010.

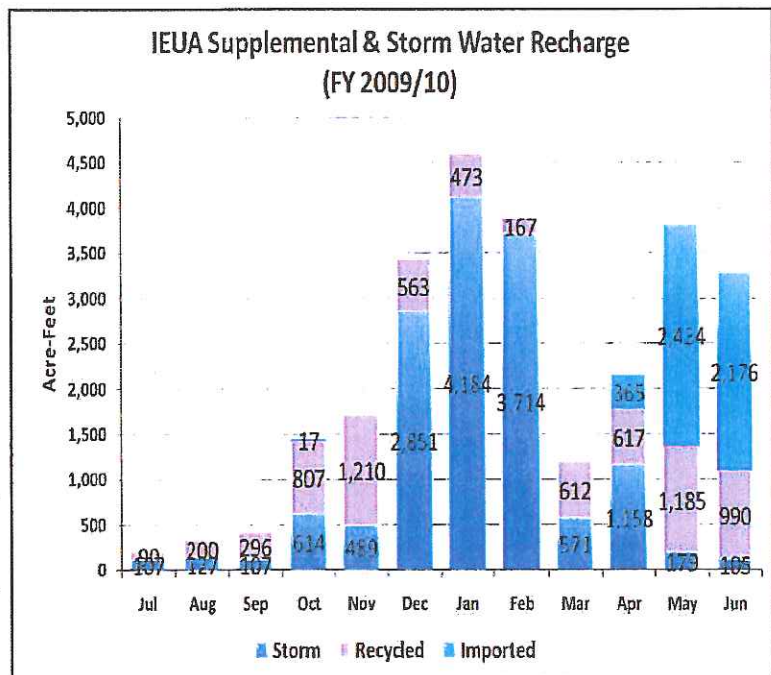
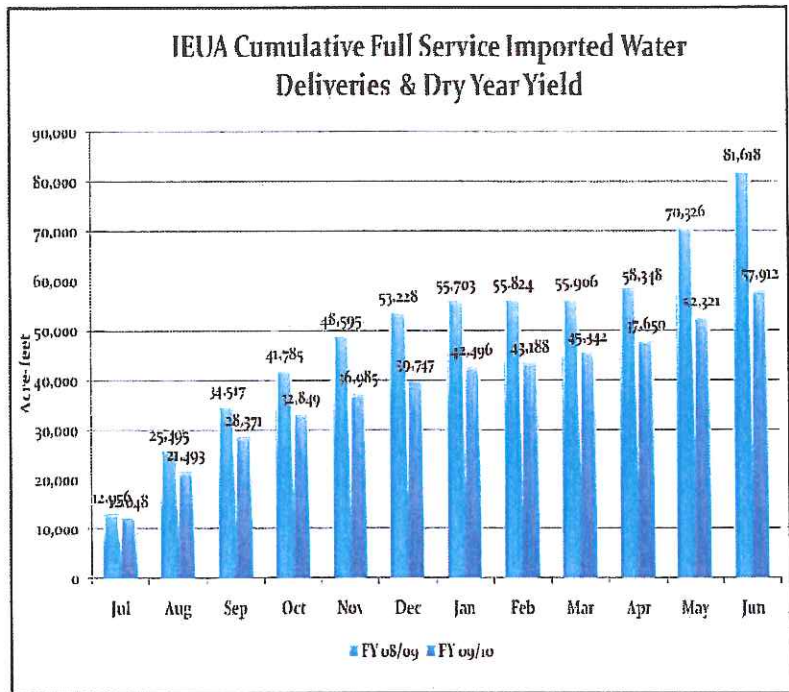
DYY participants may have the opportunity to "put" water into the DYY storage account this coming fiscal year, as MWD's State Water Project allocation increased to 50% giving them surplus water.

Chino Desalter Authority (CDA)

For the month of June, the two desalters produced 2,065 AF of water (of which 1,160 AF was delivered to IEUA retail agencies). The contracted entitlement is 24,600 AFY (but actual production is 25,000 to 26,000 AFY) and is scheduled for expansion to approximately 40,000 AFY by 2014, with the implementation of CDA Phase III.

Groundwater Recharge Program

As a result of recent rainfall during the month of June, 105 AF of storm water was captured. In addition, 990 AF of recycled water was recharged and 2,176 AF of imported water was recharged.

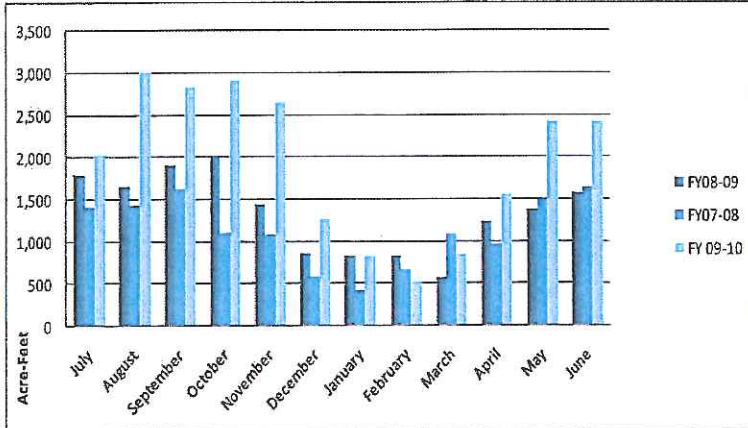


IEUA Water Supply Programs (Continued)

Northeast Area Construction



1630 Pipeline Segment A



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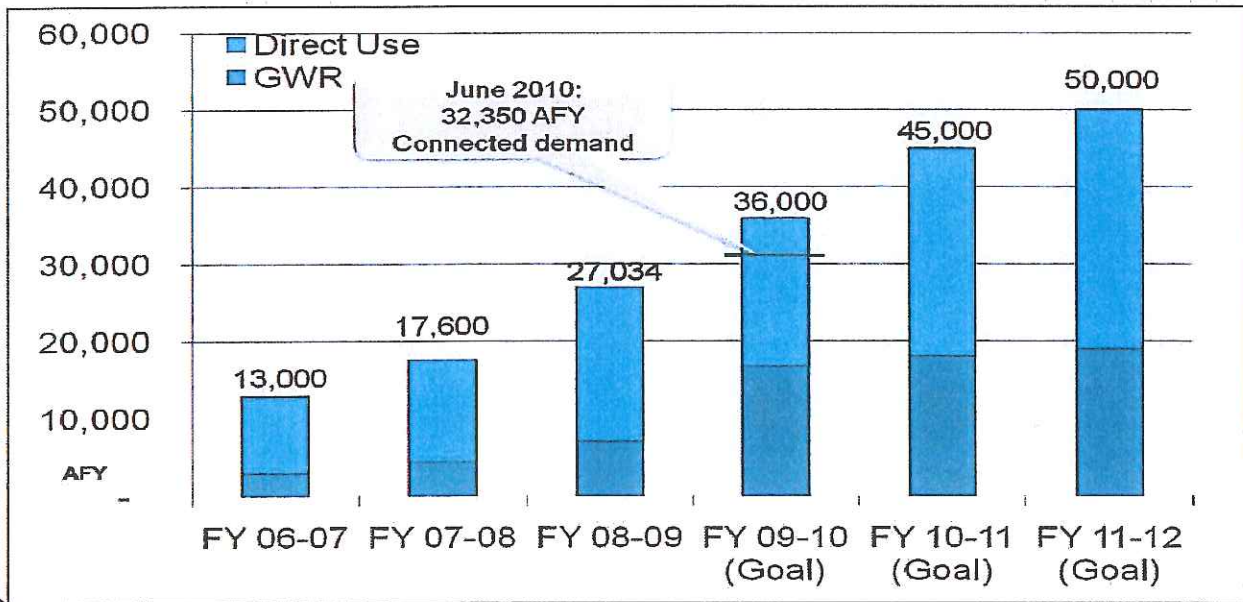
JUNE 2010 ESTIMATES

Recharge: 990 AF

Direct Sales: 1,500 AF

Total Usage: 2,420 AF

RECYCLED WATER CONNECTED DEMAND



Conservation Program News

IEUA Regional Long-Term Water Use Efficiency Business Plan

The “draft” plan was released to the member agencies on June 9 for a 30-day review and comment period. Final edits will be made to the plan during the month of July with the final document being submitted to IEUA’s Board on August 18 for approval.

MWD Conservation Programs

In June, MWD communicated that several board members requested staff to evaluate an opt-in/opt-out approach to the Conservation Credits Program (CCP). The CCP is funded through the Water Stewardship Rate. The Water Stewardship Rate also funds Local Resources Programs (recycled water, desalination, groundwater recovery), advertising and some staff time. An opt-in/opt-out approach would affect other elements in the water delivery system, such as capacity, wheeling, and reliability. The letter, scheduled to be presented to the Board in August, will evaluate the foundational benefits of the program and the potential impacts if the approach changes from regional to agency-by-agency basis.

MWD Conservation Programs—Rebates

New Weekly Report: A new report has been developed to track the overall \$19.1 million MWD FY 2010/11 conservation budget. Each program within a budget category will be tracked each week, including the Regionwide Commercial, and Residential rebate funding activity, MWD-Funded/Member Agency Administered funding, Existing Contracts (ECP and WSPP), and Agricultural Conservation. The report will be e-mailed weekly on Tuesdays to all member agencies. The graphs show each week what is committed and what has been processed.

MWD Water Use Efficiency IRP Activities

MWD staff reconvened the WUE IRP process in June to work with member agencies on developing the long-term water conservation strategy for incorporation into MWD’s full IRP. Two workshops were held in June with four more planned for July, August, and September. The draft plan is tentatively scheduled to be presented on August 11 with the final draft completed and reviewed on September 16. The full IRP is expected to adopted by the Board by December 2010.



MWD Community Partnering Program

The Community Partnering Program re-launched on July 1 offering sponsorships of up to \$2,000 to non-profit community organizations, educational institutions, public agencies, and professional associations for short and long-term water-related projects, events and activities.

SBX 77 (Steinburg) - 20 X 2020 Implementation: DWR Urban Stakeholders Committee

The third Urban Stakeholders Committee (USC) was held on June 22 at IEUA to review the nine “draft” technical methodologies that have been developed by DWR for the implementation of 20 X 2020. The second series of public workshops are scheduled for August 5th and 6th in Southern California and Sacramento to allow members of the public to review and comment on the work. The next USC Meeting is scheduled for July 28 in Sacramento.



CHINO BASIN WATERMASTER

IV. INFORMATION

1. Cash Disbursements for July 2010 as of July 28, 2010



CHINO BASIN WATERMASTER
Cash Disbursements for the Period
July 1 - 28, 2010

For Informational Purposes Only

Type	Date	Num	Name	Memo	Account	Paid Amount
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14306	BOWCOCK, ROBERT		1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	6/02 Dr. Mathis Mtg		6/02/10 Dr. Mathis Meeting	6311 · Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/16 Personnel Comm		6/16/10 Personnel Committee Meeting	6311 · Board Member Compensation	125.00
TOTAL						250.00
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14307	CAMACHO, MICHAEL		1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	6/02 Administrative Mtg		6/02/10 Administrative Meeting	6311 · Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/03 Appro Pool Mtg		6/03/10 Appropriative Pool Meeting	6311 · Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/08 Dr. Mathis Mtg		6/08/10 Dr. Mathis Meeting	6311 · Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/04 CDA Mtg		6/04/10 CDA Meeting	6311 · Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		6/10/10 Ag Pool Meeting	6311 · Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/17 DYY Mtg		6/17/10 Dry Year Yield Meeting	6311 · Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/17 Advisory Comm		6/17/10 Advisory Committee Meeting	6311 · Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/25 CDA Mtg		6/25/10 CDA Meeting	6311 · Board Member Compensation	125.00
TOTAL						1,000.00
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14308	CITISTREET		1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
General Journal	06/12/2010	06/12/2010	CITISTREET	Payroll and Taxes for 05/30/10-06/12/10 Staff's 457 Retirement Deduction Payment	2000 · Accountis Payable	2,318.34
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14309	DE BOOM, NATHAN		1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	4/08 Ag Pool Mtg		4/08/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 · Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	5/13 Ag Pool Mtg		AG Pool Member Meeting Compensation	8470 · Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		5/13/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 · Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		AG Pool Member Meeting Compensation	8470 · Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		6/10/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 · Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		AG Pool Member Meeting Compensation	8470 · Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
TOTAL						375.00
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14310	DURRINGTON, GLEN		1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	4/08 Ag Pool Mtg		4/08/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 · Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	4/21 Ag Pool Mtg		Ag Pool Member Compensation	8470 · Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010	5/13 Ag Pool Mtg		4/21/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 · Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		Ag Pool Member Compensation	8470 · Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		5/13/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 · Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		Ag Pool Member Compensation	8470 · Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		6/10/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 · Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		Ag Pool Member Compensation	8470 · Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
TOTAL						500.00

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Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14311	FEENSTRA, BOB		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	4/08 Ag Pool Mtg		4/08/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 - Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	4/15 Advisory Comm		4/08/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010	4/21 Ag Pool Mtg		4/15/10 Advisory Committee Meeting	8411 - Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	4/22 Board Mtg		4/15/10 Advisory Committee Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010	5/13 Ag Pool Mtg		4/21/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 - Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	5/20 Advisory Comm		4/21/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010	5/27 Board Mtg		4/22/10 Board Meeting	8411 - Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/08 Dr. Mathis Mtg		5/13/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		5/20/10 Advisory Committee Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/16 Personnel Comm		5/27/10 Board Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/17 Advisory Comm		6/08/10 Dr. Mathis Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/24 Board Mtg		6/10/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	125.00
TOTAL						1,500.00
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14312	GLOBAL PRESENTER.COM		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	51748		51748	6055 - Computer Hardware	3,129.89
				50% deposit-Digital Audio Recorder-Boardroom		3,129.89
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14313	HAUGHEY, TOM		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	6/02 Dr. Mathis Mtg		6/02/10 Dr. Mathis Meeting	6312 - Meeting Expenses	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/24 Board Meeting		6/24/10 Board Meeting	6312 - Meeting Expenses	125.00
TOTAL						250.00
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14314	HETTINGA, PETER		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	4/21 Ag Pool Mtg		Ag Pool Member Compensation	8411 - Compensation	25.00
				4/21/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14315	HUITSING, JOHN		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	4/08 Ag Pool Mtg		4/08/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 - Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	4/21 Ag Pool Mtg		Ag Pool Member Compensation	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010	5/13 Ag Pool Mtg		4/21/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 - Compensation	25.00
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Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		Ag Pool Member Compensation	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		6/10/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 - Compensation	25.00
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Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14316	JAMES JOHNSTON	204	1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	204		Website Monthly Services - June 2010	6053 - Internet Expense	865.00
TOTAL						865.00
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14317	KOOPMAN, GENE		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	4/08 Ag Pool Mtg		4/08/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 - Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	5/13 Ag Pool Mtg		AG Pool Member Meeting Compensation	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		AG Pool Member Meeting Compensation	8411 - Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		AG Pool Member Meeting Compensation	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		AG Pool Member Meeting Compensation	8411 - Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		AG Pool Member Meeting Compensation	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
TOTAL						375.00
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14318	KUHN, BOB		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	6/08 Dr. Mathis Mtg		6/08/10 Dr. Mathis Meeting	6311 - Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/16 Personnel Comm		6/16/10 Personnel Committee Meeting	6311 - Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/24 Board Mtg		6/24/10 Board Meeting	6311 - Board Member Compensation	125.00
TOTAL						375.00
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14319	PIERSON, JEFFREY		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	4/08 Ag Pool Mtg		4/08/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 - Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	4/15 Advisory Comm		4/08/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010	4/21 Ag Pool Mtg		4/15/10 Advisory Committee Meeting	8411 - Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	4/22 Board Mtg		4/15/10 Advisory Committee Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010	5/13 Ag Pool Mtg		4/21/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 - Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	5/20 Advisory Comm		4/21/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010	5/27 Board Mtg		4/22/10 Board Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	125.00
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Bill	06/30/2010	6/24 Board Mtg		5/20/10 Advisory Committee Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/24 Board Mtg		5/27/10 Board Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/24 Board Mtg		6/17/10 Advisory Committee Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/24 Board Mtg		6/24/10 Board Meeting	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	125.00
TOTAL						1,125.00
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14320	PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM	Payor #3493	1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
General Journal	06/12/2010	06/12/2010	PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM	CalPers for Payroll For 05/30/10-06/12/10	2000 - Accounts Payable	6,773.27
TOTAL						6,773.27
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14321	STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BD	SWRCB Settlement Order No. 8-2010-0031	1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
TOTAL						6,773.27

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Bill	07/01/2010			50% Payment of SWRCB Settlement Order	6909 - OBMP Other Expenses	62,175.00
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14322	VANDEN HEUVEL, GEOFFREY	6311	1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	6/08 Dr. Mathis Mtg		6/08/10 Dr. Mathis Meeting	6311 - Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/04 CDA Mtg		6/04/10 CDA Meeting	6311 - Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/10 Ag Pool Mtg		6/10/10 Ag Pool Meeting	6311 - Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/11 CDA Mtg		6/11/10 CDA Meeting	6311 - Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/24 Board Mtg		6/24/10 Board Meeting	6311 - Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/25 CDA Mtg		6/25/10 CDA Meeting	6311 - Board Member Compensation	125.00
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14323	VANDEN HEUVEL, ROB		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	4/08 Ag Pool Mtg		4/08/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 - Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010	5/13 Ag Pool Mtg		Ag Pool Member Compensation	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010			5/13/10 Ag Pool Meeting	8411 - Compensation	25.00
Bill	06/30/2010			Ag Pool Member Compensation	8470 - Ag Meeting Attend -Special	100.00
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14324	VILLEGAS, VICTORIA E.		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010			6/18/10 Hearing Transcript	6909.4 - Printing	90.00
Bill	06/30/2010			Court Reporter - 6/18/10 Hearing Transcript		90.00
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14325	W.C. DISCOUNT MOBILE AUTO DETAILING		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010			Truck washing service	6177 - Vehicle Repairs & Maintenance	100.00
Bill	06/30/2010			truck washing 4 trucks		100.00
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14326	WHITEHEAD, MICHAEL		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	6/02 Dr. Mathis Mtg		6/02/10 Dr. Mathis Meeting	6311 - Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/16 Personnel Comm		6/16/10 Personnel Committee Meeting	6311 - Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/24 Board Mtg		6/24/10 Board Meeting	6311 - Board Member Compensation	125.00
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14327	WILLIS, KENNETH		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	6/08 Dr. Mathis Mtg		6/08/10 Dr. Mathis Meeting	6311 - Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/16 Personnel Comm		6/16/10 Personnel Committee Meeting	6311 - Board Member Compensation	125.00
Bill	06/30/2010	6/24 Board Mtg		6/24/10 Board Meeting	6311 - Board Member Compensation	125.00
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14328	COMPUTER NETWORK		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	78870		78870	6055 - Computer Hardware	2,982.34
Bill	06/30/2010			drums, fuser, labor for HP 9500 printer		

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TOTAL						2,982.34
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14329	COMPUTER NETWORK	Firewall for network replacement workstation	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 6055 · Computer Hardware	2,718.75
Bill	06/30/2010	78855			6055 · Computer Hardware	1,359.38
Bill	06/30/2010	78866				4,078.13
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/01/2010	14330	COMPUTER NETWORK	Virtual Server	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 1840 · Capital Assets	7,938.75
Bill	06/30/2010	78850		24 Port Rackmount Switch	6055 · Computer Hardware	255.56
Bill	06/30/2010	78856		Hard Drive	1840 · Capital Assets	6,943.69
Bill	06/30/2010	78854		Supermicro Storage Server	1840 · Capital Assets	7,933.31
TOTAL						23,071.31
General Journal	07/01/2010	07/01/2010	Payroll and Taxes for 06/13/10-06/26/10	Payroll and Taxes for 06/13/10-06/26/10	1014 · Bank of America P/R Ckg	10,762.48
				Payroll Taxes for 06/13/10-06/26/10	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	10,762.48
				Direct Deposit for 06/13/10-06/26/10	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	34,504.28
				Manual Check for 06/13/10-06/26/10	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	629.67
TOTAL						45,896.43
General Journal	07/01/2010	07/01/2010	Correct Payroll/Taxes For 06/13/10-06/26/10	Correct Payroll/Taxes For 06/13/10-06/26/10	1014 · Bank of America P/R Ckg	-287.33
				Correct Payroll Taxes For 06/13/10-06/26/10	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	-287.33
				Correct Payroll Taxes For 06/13/10-06/26/10	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	-503.15
TOTAL						-790.48
General Journal	07/10/2010	07/10/2010	Payroll and Taxes for 06/27/10-07/10/10	Payroll and Taxes for 06/27/10-07/10/10	1014 · Bank of America P/R Ckg	7,202.79
				Payroll Taxes for 06/27/10-07/10/10	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	7,202.79
				Direct Deposits for 06/27/10-07/10/10	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	25,779.61
TOTAL						32,982.40
Bill Pmt -Check	07/12/2010	14331	STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BD	SEP admin fee	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	500.00
Bill	07/09/2010			50% of Admin Fee for SWRCB Settlement	6909 · OBMP Other Expenses	500.00
TOTAL						1,000.00
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14332	BANC OF AMERICA LEASING	011556249	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	3,215.74
Bill	07/14/2010	011556249		Minolta lease - billing period 07/01/10-07/31/10	6043.1 · Ricoh Lease Fee	3,215.74
TOTAL						6,431.48
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14333	BANK OF AMERICA	4024-4200-0193-9341	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	82.41
Bill	06/30/2010	4024420001939341		miscellaneous office supplies-headphones, mouse supplies for Board mtg	6031.7 · Other Office Supplies 6312 · Meeting Expenses	523.64

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Type	Date	Num	Name	Memo	Account	Paid Amount
Bill	07/14/2010	4024420001939341		savings club fast track replenishment	6031.7 · Other Office Supplies 6174 · Transportation	12.00 30.00 648.05
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14334	CALIFORNIA GROUNDWATER COALITION	2010 Membership Dues	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 6111 · Membership Dues	9,500.00 9,500.00
Bill	07/14/2010	2010		Membership Dues		
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14335	CITISTREET	Payroll and Taxes for 06/13/10-06/26/10	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 2000 · Accounts Payable	1,829.87 1,829.87
General Journal	06/26/2010	06/26/2010	CITISTREET	Staff's 457 retirement deduction payment		
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14336	ESRI	VOID	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14337	GUARANTEED JANITORIAL SERVICE, INC.	service - June 2010	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 6024 · Building Repair & Maintenance	865.00 865.00
Bill	06/30/2010	28049		service - July 2010	6024 · Building Repair & Maintenance	1,730.00
Bill	07/12/2010	28062				
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14338	HSBC BUSINESS SOLUTIONS	7003-7309-1000-2744	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 6031.7 · Other Office Supplies	731.33 731.33
Bill	06/30/2010	7003730910002744		miscellaneous office supplies		
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14339	LOS ANGELES TIMES	9821161016	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 6112 · Subscriptions/Publications	27.12 135.63
Bill	06/30/2010	010006926943		From 05/31/10-06/30/10	6112 · Subscriptions/Publications	162.75
Bill	07/14/2010	010006926943		From 07/01/10-12/06/10		
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14340	MCCALL'S METER SALES & SERVICE	19424	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 7102.7 · In-line Meters	3,674.93 3,674.93
Bill	06/28/2010	19424		19424 - in-Line meters		
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14341	MIJAC ALARM	285237	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 6026 · Security services	141.00 141.00
Bill	07/12/2010	285237		commercial building monitoring 7/01/10-9/30/10		
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14342	PAYCHEX	Payroll processing for June 2010	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 6012 · Payroll Services	219.27 133.18
Bill	06/30/2010	2010070100		Payroll processing for July 2010	6012 · Payroll Services	352.45
Bill	07/13/2010	2010070100				
TOTAL						

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Type	Date	Num	Name	Memo	Account	Paid Amount
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14343	PREMIERE GLOBAL SERVICES		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	03206865		03206865 CDA calls - 5/28, 6/04, 6/09, 6/11, 6/15, 6/16, 6/18, 7306 - PE3&5-Other Expense 6/02 San Bernardino County call Peace II SEIR calls - 6/03 and 6/10 6/03 Non Ag Pool Mtg call Regional Board ACL calls - 6/08 6/23 Pool Agenda Review call 6/23 Pool Agenda Review call 6/23 Pool Agenda Review call monthly fee	9909.1 - OBMP Meetings 9909.1 - OBMP Meetings 8512 - Meeting Expense 9909.1 - OBMP Meetings 8312 - Meeting Expenses 8412 - Meeting Expenses 8512 - Meeting Expense 6022 - Telephone	1,021.55 102.35 230.43 191.93 104.03 10.89 10.87 10.87 9.95 <u>1,692.87</u>
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14344	REID & HELLYER		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	170410		170410 Ag Legal services for June 2010 Ag Legal services for June 2010 Ag Legal services for June 2010	8467 - Ag Legal & Technical Services 8471 - Ag Pool Expense 8467.1 - Frank B. & Associates	8,496.50 2,271.50 550.00 <u>11,318.00</u>
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14345	SAFEGUARD DENTAL & VISION		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	07/01/2010	3206099		320699 Dental & Vision - July 2010	60182.2 - Dental & Vision Ins	7.91 <u>7.91</u>
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14346	STAPLES BUSINESS ADVANTAGE		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	8015837855		miscellaneous office supplies - manilla folders, tone miscellaneous office supplies - copy paper	6031.7 - Other Office Supplies 6031.1 - Copy Paper	866.55 303.78 <u>1,170.33</u>
Bill	07/14/2010	8015891218				
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14347	THE STANDARD INSURANCE COMPANY		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	07/12/2010	160-513170-00006		160-513170-00006 Dental & Vision - July 2010	60182.2 - Dental & Vision Ins	313.12 <u>313.12</u>
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14348	UNION 76		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	300-732-989		300-732-989 Fuel for June 2010	6175 - Vehicle Fuel	78.27 <u>78.27</u>
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14349	UNITED PARCEL SERVICE		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	2x81x0		2x81x0 miscellaneous correspondence	6042 - Postage - General	356.02 <u>356.02</u>
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14350	VERIZON		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	07/19/2010	14350				

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Type	Date	Num	Name	Memo	Account	Paid Amount
Bill	06/30/2010	012519116950792103		Monthly telephone service	6022 · Telephone	439.88
Bill	06/30/2010	012561121521714508		DSL Modem charge for June 2010	7405 · PE4-Other Expense	160.80
Bill	07/14/2010	012561121521714508		DSL Modem charge for July 2010	7405 · PE4-Other Expense	160.80
TOTAL						761.48
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14351	WESTERN DENTAL SERVICES, INC.	002483	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	28.06
Bill	07/14/2010	002483		Dental premium for August 2010	60182.2 · Dental & Vision Ins	28.06
TOTAL						28.06
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14352	YUKON DISPOSAL SERVICE	08-K2 213849	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	142.88
Bill	07/14/2010	08-K2 213849		Service for July 2010	6024 · Building Repair & Maintenance	142.88
TOTAL						142.88
Bill Pmt -Check	07/19/2010	14353	ESRI	Quote 25420552	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	2,818.14
Bill	06/30/2010			ESRI annual software maintenance	6054 · Computer Software	2,818.14
TOTAL						2,818.14
Bill Pmt -Check	07/21/2010	14354	CUCAMONGA VALLEY WATER DISTRICT	Lease due August 1, 2010	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	5,792.00
Bill	07/19/2010			Lease due August 1, 2010	1422 · Prepaid Rent	5,792.00
TOTAL						5,792.00
Bill Pmt -Check	07/21/2010	14355	FIRST AMERICAN REAL ESTATE SOLUTIONS	20477461	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	62.50
Bill	06/30/2010	20477461		Grdwtr Qual-Computer Svc	7103.7 · Grdwtr Qual-Computer Svc	62.50
Bill				Prod Monitor-Computer	7101.4 · Prod Monitor-Computer	62.50
TOTAL						125.00
Bill Pmt -Check	07/21/2010	14356	JOHN J. SCHATZ	Legal services for Approp. Pool	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	36,667.40
Bill	06/30/2010				8367 · Legal Service	36,667.40
TOTAL						36,667.40
Bill Pmt -Check	07/21/2010	14357	MCI	Monthly website/internet connection service	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	1,235.80
Bill	07/19/2010	08163122			6053 · Internet Expense	1,235.80
TOTAL						1,235.80
Bill Pmt -Check	07/21/2010	14358	PHILADELPHIA INSURANCE COMPANY	78842363	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	3,986.00
Bill	07/01/2010	78842363		for annual umbrella policy	6085 · Business Insurance Package	3,986.00
TOTAL						3,986.00
Bill Pmt -Check	07/21/2010	14359	PITNEY BOWES CREDIT CORPORATION	6684246	1012 · Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	551.37
Bill	07/19/2010	6684246		Lease period July 30, 2010 - October 30, 2010	6044 · Postage Meter Lease	551.37
TOTAL						551.37

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Type	Date	Num	Name	Memo	Account	Paid Amount
Bill Pmt -Check	07/21/2010	14360	STAULA, MARY L	Retiree monthly medical premium	1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 60182.4 - Retiree Medical	136.61
Bill	07/14/2010					136.61
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/21/2010	14361	VERIZON WIRELESS	0885137249 monthly service	1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 6022 - Telephone	601.40
Bill	06/30/2010	0885127249				601.40
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/21/2010	14362	W.C. DISCOUNT MOBILE AUTO DETAILING	Truck washing service truck washing 4 trucks	1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 6177 - Vehicle Repairs & Maintenance	100.00
Bill	07/14/2010					100.00
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/21/2010	14363	PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM	Payor #3493 Calpers for 06/13/10-06/26/10	1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 2000 - Accounts Payable	6,773.27
General Journal	06/26/2010	06/26/2010				6,773.27
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/22/2010	14364	CALPERS	1741 Medical premiums for August 2010	1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 60182.1 - Medical Insurance	4,011.90
Bill	07/21/2010	1741				4,011.90
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/22/2010	14365	CITISTREET	Payroll and Taxes for 06/27/10-07/10/10 Staff 457 deductions for 06/27/10-07/10/10	1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 2000 - Accounts Payable	1,829.87
General Journal	07/19/2010	07/16/2010				1,829.87
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/22/2010	14366	PRE-PAID LEGAL SERVICES, INC.	111802 July 2010	1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 60194 - Other Employee Insurance	77.70
Bill	07/21/2010	111802				77.70
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/22/2010	14367	PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM	Payor #3493 Calpers for 06/27/10-07/10/10	1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 2000 - Accounts Payable	6,901.69
General Journal	07/10/2010	07/10/2010				6,901.69
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/22/2010	14368	PUMP CHECK	3889 3889 - In-Line - Calib & Testing	1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 7102.8 - In-Line - Calib & Test	190.00
Bill	07/09/2010	3889				190.00
TOTAL						
Bill Pmt -Check	07/22/2010	14369	STANDARD INSURANCE CO.	Policy # 00-640888-0009 Monthl Life & Disab.Ins Benefits	1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg 60191 - Life & Disab.Ins Benefits	509.05
Bill	07/21/2010	006408880009				509.05
TOTAL						

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Type	Date	Num	Name	Memo	Account	Paid Amount
Bill Pmt -Check	07/28/2010	14370	INLAND EMPIRE UTILITIES AGENCY	VOID:	1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill Pmt -Check	07/28/2010	14371	INLAND EMPIRE UTILITIES AGENCY		1012 - Bank of America Gen'l Ckg	
Bill	06/30/2010	90005878		MWDOC OC-59 OCWD 2,433.10 X \$2	5011 - Replenishment Water	4,866.20
Bill	06/30/2010	90005928		Untreated Replenishment Water 2,175.50 X \$496	5011 - Replenishment Water	1,079,048.00
Bill	06/30/2010	90005928		OCWD Wheeling Surcharge 2,175.50 X \$2	5011 - Replenishment Water	4,351.00
Bill	06/30/2010	90005928		Readiness to Serve 419 X \$0.765	5011 - Replenishment Water	320.54
Bill	07/01/2010	90005895		2010/2011 Recharge Improvement Debt Pymt	7690 - Recharge Improvement Debt Pymt	585,161.50
Bill	07/01/2010	90005916		1st Quarter payment - Comp Rech-O&M	7206 - Comp Rech-O&M	171,156.01
TOTAL						1,844,905.25
Total Disbursements:						2,147,354.14



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IV. INFORMATION

2. OBMP Staff Status Report 2010-1: January to June 2010



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Highlighted Activities

- The Chino Basin Facilities Improvement Project (CBFIP) Phase II, a joint effort of Watermaster, the Chino Basin Water Conservation District (CBWCD), Inland Empire Utilities Agency (IEUA), and the San Bernardino County Flood Control District (SBCFCD) to increase the annual recharge of storm, imported, and recycled water and to reduce long-term maintenance costs, was completed in May 2010.
- The Recharge Master Plan (RMP) was completed in June. Several workshops were held during this period. Numerous comments were received and responses were incorporated into the final report. The final report was submitted to the Court on July 1, 2010. The plan fully addressed all the requirements of the Court and the projected replenishment needs of the Watermaster.
- The Peace II Subsequent Environmental Impact Report (SEIR) was circulated for public review in May 2010. Several meetings were held to review the comments received. The impacts and mitigation measures were discussed during these meetings. A draft of the report is due out in August.
- On June 18, 2010, the Court ruled in favor of Watermaster on the paragraph 31 motion filed by Overlying Non-Ag pool.
- On April 19, 2010, the Regional Water Quality Control Board issued an Administrative Civil Liability Complaint (ACL) to Watermaster and Inland Empire Utilities Agency for not adhering to the adopted schedule for hydraulic control.
- Watermaster purchased 5,000 acre-feet (AF) of imported water from MWD and successfully recharged it in the MZ-1 basins during this reporting period.



New San Sevaine Basin No. 5 Conservation Berm

Important Court hearings and orders

- MARCH 16—NOTICE OF MOTION AND MOTION BY NON-AGRICULTURAL POOL COMMITTEE
- APRIL 12—WATERMASTER'S OPPOSITION TO PARAGRAPH 31 MOTION
- APRIL 19—APPROPRIATIVE POOL OPPOSITION TO THE MOTION BY THE NON-AG
- APRIL 26—AG POOL'S RESPONSE TO PARAGRAPH 31 MOTION
- JUNE 18—DECISION PARAGRAPH 31 RULING AND ORDER

Program Element 1: Develop and Implement a Comprehensive Monitoring Program

Groundwater Level Monitoring

Watermaster initiated a comprehensive monitoring program as part of the implementation of the OBMP. The current groundwater level monitoring program is comprised of about 700 wells. At about 500 of these wells, water levels are measured by well owners, which include municipal water agencies, the California Department of Toxic Substance Control (DTSC), the County of San Bernardino, and various private consulting firms. The measurement frequency is typically about once per month. Watermaster collects these water level data twice per year. The remaining 200 wells are private wells or dedicated monitoring wells that are mainly located in the southern portion of the Chino Basin. Watermaster staff measures water levels at these wells using manual methods once per month or with pressure transducers that record water levels once every 15 minutes. The wells in the monitoring

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program within the southern portion of the basin were preferentially selected to assist in Watermaster's monitoring programs for hydraulic control, land subsidence, and desalter impacts to private well owners. The remaining wells are monitored in support of the triennial recomputation of ambient water quality in the Chino-North management zone. The water level data are checked by Watermaster staff and uploaded to a centralized relational database.

Groundwater Quality Monitoring

Watermaster initiated a comprehensive monitoring program as part of the implementation of the OBMP. The groundwater quality monitoring program consists of the following four components:

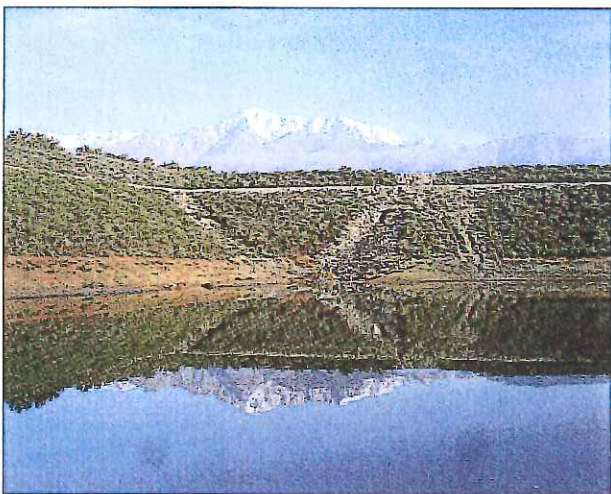
1. An Annual Key Well Water Quality Monitoring Program consisting of 120 wells which are mostly privately owned agricultural wells in the southern portion of Chino Basin that are otherwise not included in an established sampling program. Twenty of these wells are sampled every year; the remaining wells are sampled every three years. The wells sampled annually are for the continuous monitoring of areas of concern associated with the southern edge of the OIA VOC plume, the southern region of the Chino Airport Plume, and the Kaiser Steel Plume which includes the two multi-port MZ3 monitoring wells. Data obtained for the Key Well Quality Monitoring Program are used for the triennial ambient water quality analysis, hydraulic control assessment, the Biennial State of the Basin Report, and to assess the overall health of the basin.
2. Annual sampling at nine HCMP multi-port monitoring wells strategically placed between the Chino Basin Desalter well fields and the Santa Ana River. Results of the annual sampling are used to analyze the effect of desalter pumping over time by comparing water quality of the native groundwater and the Santa Ana River.
3. Monthly sampling at four near-river wells to characterize the Santa Ana River's influence to nearby groundwater. These shallow monitoring wells along the Santa Ana River consist of two former United States Geologic Survey (USGS) National Water Quality Assessment Program (NAWQA) wells (Archibald 1 and Archibald 2), and two wells (well 9 and well 11) owned by the Santa Ana River Water Company (SARWC).
4. A cooperative basin-wide data collection effort known as the Chino Basin Data Collection (CBDC) program which relies on municipal producers and other government agencies to supply groundwater quality data on a cooperative basis. These sources include the appropriators, Department of Toxic Substance Control (DTSC), Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB), US Geological Survey (USGS), the Counties, and other cooperators. All water quality data are routinely collected, QA/QC'd, and loaded into Watermaster's relational database.

Groundwater-Production Monitoring

All active wells (except for minimum user wells) are now metered. Watermaster reads the agricultural production data from the meters on a quarterly basis and enters these data into Watermaster's relational database.

Surface Water Monitoring

Water Quality and Quantity in Recharge Basins. Watermaster measures the quantity and quality of storm and supplemental water entering the recharge basins. Pressure transducers or staff gauges are used to



Lower Day Basin after a storm

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measure water levels during recharge operations. In addition to these quantity measurements, imported water quality data for State Water Project water are obtained from the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California (MWDSC) and recycled water quality data for the RP-1 and RP-4 treatment plant effluents are obtained from IEUA. Watermaster monitors the storm water quality in the eight major channels (San Antonio, West Cucamonga, Cucamonga, Deer Creek, Day Creek, San Sevaine, West Fontana, and DeClez), usually after each major storm event. Combining the measured flow data with the respective water qualities enables the calculation of the blended water quality in each recharge basin, the "new yield" to the Chino Basin, and the adequate dilution of recycled water.

Surface Water Monitoring in the Santa Ana River (SAR). Watermaster measures the discharge of the River and selected water quality parameters to determine those reaches of the SAR that are gaining flow from the Chino Basin and/or, conversely, those reaches that are losing flow into the Chino Basin. These bi-weekly flow and water quality measurements are combined with discharge data from permanent USGS and Orange County Water District (OCWD) stream gauges and discharge data from publicly owned treatment works (POTWs). These data are used along with groundwater modeling to assess the extent of hydraulic control.

HCMP Annual Report

In January 2004, the RWQCB amended the Water Quality Control Plan (Basin Plan) for the Santa Ana River Basin to incorporate an updated total dissolved solids (TDS) and nitrogen (N) management plan. The Basin Plan Amendment includes both "antidegradation" and "maximum benefit" objectives for TDS and nitrate-nitrogen for the Chino and Cucamonga groundwater management zones. The application of the "maximum benefit" objectives relies on Watermaster and IEUA's implementation of a specific program of projects and requirements, which are an integral part of the OBMP. On April 15, 2005, the RWQCB adopted resolution R8-2005-0064; thus approving the Surface Water Monitoring Program and Groundwater Monitoring Program in support of maximum benefit commitments in the Chino and Cucamonga Basins.

Pursuant to the Basin Plan and the Watermaster/IEUA permit to recharge recycled water, Watermaster and IEUA have conducted groundwater and surface water monitoring programs since 2004. During this reporting period, Watermaster measured 377 manual water levels at private wells throughout the Chino Basin, conducted two quarterly downloads at the 125 wells containing pressure transducers, collected 90 groundwater quality samples, and 221 surface water quality samples. Quarterly Surface Water Monitoring Program Reports that summarize data collection efforts were submitted to the RWQCB in July and October of 2009. The Chino Basin Maximum Benefit Monitoring Program 2009 Annual Report was submitted to the RWQCB on April 15, 2010.

Chino Basin Groundwater Recharge Program

IEUA, Watermaster, CBWCD, and the SBCFCD jointly sponsor the Chino Basin Groundwater Recharge Program. This is a comprehensive water supply program to enhance water supply reliability and improve the groundwater quality in local drinking water wells throughout the Chino Basin by increasing the recharge of storm water, imported water, and recycled water.



HCMP Stream Gaging & Sampling

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The recharge program is regulated under RWQCB Order No. R8-2007-0039 and Monitoring and Reporting Program No. R8-2007-0039.

Recharge Activities. On-going recycled water recharge occurred in the Brooks, 8th Street, Hickory, Turner, RP-3, and Ely Basins this reporting period.

Monitoring Activities. Watermaster and IEUA collect weekly water quality samples from basins that are actively recharging recycled water and from lysimeters installed within those basins. During this reporting period, approximately 271 basin and lysimeter samples were collected and two recycled water samples were collected for alternative monitoring plans that include the application of a correction factor for Soil-Aquifer Treatment determined from each basin's start-up period. Monitoring wells located down-gradient of the recharge basins were sampled quarterly at a minimum, however, some monitoring wells were sampled more frequently during the reporting period for a total of 108 samples.

Construction Activities. Lysimeters and monitoring wells associated with the 7th and 8th Street Basins were installed in the first half of Fiscal Year (FY) 2007/08. There have been no further construction activities since that time.

Reporting. Watermaster and IEUA completed the following required reports concerning the recharge program during the reporting period:

- 2Q-2009 Quarterly Report, submitted to the RWQCB – August 2009
- 3Q-2009 Quarterly Report, submitted to the RWQCB – November 2009
- 4Q- 2009 Quarterly Report, submitted to the RWQCB – February 2010
- 1Q- 2010 Quarterly Report, submitted to the RWQCB – May 2010

Land Surface Monitoring

The MZ-1 Subsidence Management Plan (MZ-1 Plan) was approved by Watermaster in October 2007, and was approved by the Court in November 2007 which ordered its implementation (see Program Element 4: Develop and Implement a Comprehensive Groundwater Management Plan for Management Zone 1). The MZ-1 Plan calls for a number of activities with the goal of minimizing or completely abating the future occurrence of land subsidence and ground fissuring in Chino Basin. Some of these activities include:

- Continuing the scope and frequency of monitoring within the so-called Managed Area (southwest MZ-1) that was conducted during the period when the MZ-1 Plan was being developed.
- Expanding the monitoring of the aquifer system and land subsidence into other areas of MZ-1 and Chino Basin where the data indicate concern for future subsidence and ground fissuring.
- Monitoring of horizontal strain across the historical fissure zone.
- Further evaluating the potential contribution of pumping in the central and northern portions of MZ-1 on groundwater conditions in the central and southern portions of MZ-1.
- Conducting additional testing and monitoring to refine the Guidance Criteria.



MZ-1 Monument Construction & Surveying

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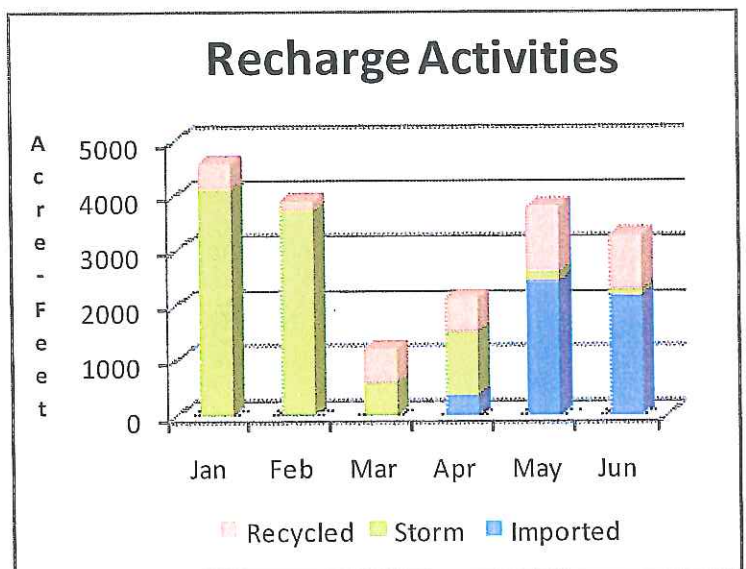
- Developing alternative pumping plans for the MZ-1 producers that are impacted by the MZ-1 Plan.
- Constructing and testing a lower-cost extensometer facility at Ayala Park.
- Evaluating and comparing ground-level surveying and Interferometric Synthetic Aperture Radar (InSAR), and recommending future monitoring protocols for both techniques.
- Conducting an ASR (aquifer injection and recovery) feasibility study at a production well owned by the City of Chino Hills within the Managed Area.
- Providing for recovery of groundwater levels.

With regard to monitoring and testing, Watermaster began or continued the implementation of some of these activities called for in the MZ-1 Plan. During this reporting period these activities included:

- The continuation of detailed water-level monitoring at wells within the Managed Area and at wells in central MZ-1. Replacement of water-level-recording transducers at wells where these transducers have failed after about seven years of reliable service.
- Continuation of monitoring and maintenance at the Ayala Park Extensometer Facility. This includes monitoring at the newly installed lower-cost pair of cable extensometers within two piezometers at Ayala Park to test this technology for possible application in other parts of the Basin.
- Developed a new testing and monitoring program within and east of the Managed Area with the goals of (1) refining the Guidance Criteria, (2) confirming the existence of the Riley Barrier, (3) testing the feasibility of injection in the Managed Area, (4) better understanding the potential for subsidence and fissuring east of the Managed Area, and (5) evaluating the affect of pumping and drawdown on the fissure zone.
- Collected InSAR data from radar satellites during all six months of the reporting period, which will be analyzed for land surface displacement in early 2011.
- Installed new survey monuments across the historical zone of ground fissuring in the spring of 2010. Collected vertical and horizontal strain data across the historical zone of ground fissuring during spring of 2010, which will be used to locate high-resolution, horizontal strain measuring devices.

Program Element 2: Develop and Implement a Comprehensive Recharge Program

The theoretical average stormwater recharge capacity of the Chino Basin Facilities Improvement Program (CBFIP) facilities is about 14,000 acre-ft/yr and the theoretical supplemental water recharge capacity is 99,000 acre-ft/yr. Stormwater recharge in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010 was about 14,100 acre-ft. Because of the drought and Delta environmental issues, the MWDSC has been unable to provide replenishment water to southern California since May 1, 2007. Recycled and imported water recharge in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010 were about 7,200 acre-ft and 5,000 acre-ft, respectively. The IEUA and the Watermaster recharge permit was amended in fiscal year 2009-10 to allow for underflow dilution and extended the dilution period from a running 60 months to a running 120 months. The significance of this permit amendment was to reduce the amount of imported and storm waters required for dilution. IEUA projects that dilution requirements will likely be met through 2019-20, 20



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even if no imported water were available for dilution.

The cumulative unmet replenishment obligation was about 4,368 acre-ft on June 30, 2010. The total amount of supplemental water recharged in MZ1 since 2005 was over 52,000 acre-ft exceeding the average annual requirement of 6,500 acre-ft.

Progress on the Recharge Master Plan update continued during the reporting period. Several workshops were held during this period including two workshops that covered the contents of the entire report. Numerous comments were received on the Recharge Master Plan Update draft report; every comment was responded to and was included in the final report. The final 2010 Recharge Master Plan Update report was completed in early June 2010 and was submitted to the Court in late June 2010. The recharge master plan fully addressed all the requirements of the Court and the projected replenishment requirements of the Watermaster. The focus of Watermaster's October 2010 Strategic Planning retreat will be the implementation of the Recharge Master Plan.

Program Element 3: Develop and Implement Water Supply Plan for the Impaired Areas of the Basin; and Program Element 5: Develop and Implement Regional Supplemental Water Program

Construction of the Chino I Desalter Expansion and the Chino II Desalter facilities was completed in February 2006. As currently configured, the Chino I Desalter provides 2.6 million gallons per day (MGD) of treated (air stripping for VOC removal) water from Wells Nos. 1-4, 4.9 MGD of treated (ion exchange for nitrate removal) water from Well Nos. 5-15, and 6.7 MGD of treated (reverse osmosis for nitrate and TDS removal) water from Wells Nos. 5-15 for a total of 14.2 MGD (15,900 AFY). The Chino II Desalter provides 4.0 MGD of ion exchange treated water and 6.0 MGD of reverse osmosis treated water from eight additional wells for a total of 10.0 MGD (11,200 AFY).

During the reporting period, negotiations continued between the Chino Desalter Authority (CDA) and Western Municipal Water District (WMWD) to allow WMWD to join the CDA and to expand the Chino II Desalter by 10.5 MGD (11,800 AFY). The CDA approved WMWD membership in November 2008. Planning and engineering investigations related to the expansion are ongoing. Watermaster worked with the CDA parties to produce a realistic schedule approved by the RWQCB in June. Raw water will be drawn from existing CDA II wells, and possible additional new wells, if needed. In addition, a new Chino Creek Desalter Well Field, required for the hydraulic control commitment associated with Maximum Benefit, will provide additional raw water to the Chino I Desalter, enabling some existing wells to direct production to the expanded Chino II Desalter facility, if approved by the Chino Basin Desalter Authority.

Program Element 4: Develop and Implement a Comprehensive Groundwater Management Plan for Management Zone 1 and Management Zone 3

MZ-1 Management Plan

Because of the historical occurrence of pumping-induced land subsidence and ground fissuring in southwestern Chino Basin (southern MZ-1), the OBMP called for the development and implementation of an Interim Management Plan (IMP) for MZ-1 that would:

- Minimize subsidence and fissuring in the short-term,
- Collect information necessary to understand the extent, rate, and mechanisms of subsidence and fissuring, and
- Formulate a management plan to reduce to tolerable levels or abate future subsidence and fissuring.

From 2001-2005, Watermaster developed, coordinated, and conducted an Interim Monitoring Program (IMP) under the guidance of the MZ - 1 Technical Committee, which is composed of representatives from all major MZ-1 producers and their technical consultants. The IMP was an aquifer-system and land subsidence investigation focused in the southwestern region of MZ-1 that would support the development of a long-term management plan to minimize and abate subsidence and fissuring (MZ-1 Plan). The IMP involved the construction of highly-sophisticated

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monitoring facilities, such as deep borehole extensometers and piezometers, the monitoring of land surface displacements through traditional ground-level surveys and remote-sensing techniques, the detailed monitoring of the aquifer system with water-level-recording transducers installed at an array of production and monitoring wells, and the purposeful stressing of the aquifer system through multiple controlled pumping tests.

The investigation methods, results, and conclusions are described in detail in the MZ-1 Summary Report, dated February 2006. The investigation provided enough information for Watermaster to develop Guidance Criteria for the MZ-1 producers in the investigation area that, if followed, would minimize the potential for subsidence and fissuring during the completion of the MZ-1 Plan. The Guidance Criteria included a listing of Managed Wells and their owners subject to the criteria, a map of the so-called Managed Area, and an initial threshold water level (Guidance Level) of 245 feet below the top of the PA-7 well casing. The MZ-1 Summary Report and the Guidance Criteria were adopted by the Watermaster Board in May 2006. The Guidance Criteria formed the basis for the MZ-1 Plan, which was approved by Watermaster in October 2007. The Court approved the MZ-1 Plan in November 2007 and ordered its implementation.

During this reporting period, Watermaster continued implementation of the MZ-1 Plan. Drawdown at the PA-7 piezometer did not fall below the Guidance Level during the reporting period, and very little, if any permanent compaction was recorded at the Ayala Park Extensometer. The ongoing monitoring program called for by the MZ-1 Plan continues to be implemented. Review and revision of the monitoring program for FY 2010-11 was agreed upon by the MZ-1 Technical Committee during this reporting period, and these changes were included in the Watermaster budget for FY 2010-11.

Program Element 6: Develop and Implement Cooperative Programs with the Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region (Regional Board) and Other Agencies to Improve Basin Management; and Program Element 7: Develop and Implement a Salt Management Program

Ontario International Airport

Watermaster continued to negotiate with the potentially responsible parties (PRPs) associated with the Ontario International Airport (OIA). The PRPs have formed a group called ABGL (Aerojet, Boeing, GE, and Lockheed). Watermaster had several meetings with ABGL and their consultants, counsel, coverage counsel, the US Army Corps of Engineers, US Air Force, the Regional Board, and CDA in order to find common ground for a joint remedy for desalting and plume mitigation. Watermaster provided an updated water level and water quality database to ABGL.

In June 2010, Watermaster collected water quality samples at the 12 OIA monitoring wells as part of a split sampling event between ABGL and CBWM.

Chino Airport

Watermaster continued to negotiate with the County of San Bernardino, Department of Airports (County) in order to find common ground for a joint remedy for desalting and plume mitigation. Watermaster coordinated with the County and exchanged pertinent well, water level, and water quality for wells that the County has installed and for wells that Watermaster samples. Watermaster continued to pursue an alternate well location for one of the County's monitoring wells. This alternate location would still meet the County's needs, while saving Watermaster parties the cost of a new monitoring well for the HCMP.

California Institute for Men

The Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB) determined that volatile organic compounds (VOCs) plume were limited to the area immediately adjacent to and downgradient of the source area, and have not migrated, and are not expected to migrate off CIM's property. In December 2009, RWQCB sent a letter of determination

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of No Further Action (NFA) to CIM. Watermaster continued to coordinate with the State on a memorandum of understanding that would allow Watermaster to continue to monitor a subset of monitoring wells on CIM rather than being decommissioned.

Perchlorate in MZ-3

Watermaster is participating on the Technical Advisory Committee on a study of perchlorate isotopes in the Rialto-Colton and MZ-3 Management Zones. The project is to be funded by the Environmental Security Technology Certification Program (ESTCP), which is a Department of Defense (DoD) program that promotes innovative, cost-effective environmental technologies through demonstration and validation at DoD sites. Watermaster attended a TAC meeting and reviewed the *Well Selection Memorandum: Evaluation of Perchlorate Sources in the Rialto-Colton-Fontana Area Using Chlorine and Oxygen Stable Isotope Ratio Analysis and Depth Dependent Water Quality Data (SERDP Project ER-0942)*.

Crown Coach

Watermaster prepared comments on a technical report by AMEC Geomatrix concerning *"Effectiveness of Remedial Actions, Former Crown Coach Facility, Chino, California, Regional Board Case Number 08300684T."*

Other Water Quality Issues

Watermaster coordinated with GE and their consultants regarding the new injection wells for the GE Flat Iron remediation. Watermaster reviewed the following Regional Water Quality Control Board document: *"Directive to Submit a Work Plan and Conduct an MTBE Investigation at the Mountain Valley Express Facility at 3561 Philadelphia Street in Chino, California, UST Case No. 083604075T."*

Program Element 8: Develop and Implement a Groundwater Storage Management Program; and Program Element 9: Develop and Implement a Storage and Recovery Program

The existing Watermaster/IEUA/MWDSC Dry-Year Yield (DYY) program continued during the reporting period. All DYY program construction projects have been completed and are currently being used for DYY "take", or removal from storage. As of June 30, 2010 there was 13,400 acre-ft in the DYY storage account and this water is projected to be withdrawn during fiscal 2010-11.

In February 2008, the DYY Expansion Project was initiated by IEUA and Watermaster to evaluate increasing the DYY storage account. The purpose of the DYY Expansion Project was to determine the facilities needed to store up to 150,000 AF and to recover up to 50,000 AFY. The expansion project analysis was completed in December 2008. The expansion project evaluated the technical, financial, and institutional frame work for individual projects to move forward. Negotiations to-date related to actual projects and the amount of expansion have not resulted in any planned expansion projects.

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Strong partnership

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A strong local partnership between West Valley Water District and the city of Rialto means clean water, sooner, for our communities.

The agreement adopted this month marks an important milestone in our mutual goal of cleaning up the area's contaminated groundwater. Now that both agencies have approved the agreement, West Valley Water District can move forward in lockstep with the city of Rialto to advance a regional solution for clean, safe and affordable water.

Under the agreement, the West Valley Water District will build and operate a treatment system using \$16 million in state and federal grant funding.

By using Rialto Well No. 6, owned by the city of Rialto, and placing the treatment system at West Valley Water District's headquarters, this project is construction-ready. We can put our grant money to work, provide new jobs and bring the highly contaminated Rialto Well No. 6 back on line in just a few years.

This system will effectively remove perchlorate and TCE contaminants that seeped in to our groundwater from industrial activity that began in the 1940s. This treatment center has been needed for decades and means our residents will once again be able to draw from this needed

water well free of worries about exposure to dangerous chemicals.

Residents of the area deserve access to clean water. It is the responsibility of civic leaders and water purveyors to make every effort to undo what has been done and provide safe, clean water

today and well into the future.

A special thanks needs to go to state Sen. Gloria Negrete-McLeod and her staff for their help on this project.


We have a long road ahead. Our communities face massive challenges removing pollutants and fuels from our groundwater. Through regional partnerships like the one between West Valley Water District and the city of Rialto, we are on the right track to address this challenge.

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Colorado ruling may help Alvarez overturn conviction

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Alvarez

CLAREMONT - Former Three Valleys Municipal Water District board member Xavier Alvarez, who pleaded guilty in July 2008 to falsely saying during his campaign he had won the Medal of Honor, is trying to have his conviction reversed.

A federal judge in Denver ruled July 16 the Stolen Valor Act is "facially unconstitutional" in a criminal case against Rick Strandlof, who reportedly lied about being an Iraq war veteran.

Alvarez's appeal of his conviction under the Stolen Valor Act is pending before the 9th U.S. Circuit Court in the Central District of California.

On Tuesday, Alvarez's public defender, Jonathan Libby, said he was sending the three judges a letter citing the Denver case while he continues to wait for

a decision.

"The court seems interested in both sides of the argument of whether or not the Stolen Valor Act violated the First Amendment. It's unclear to me which way they might come down," Libby said.

U.S. District Judge Robert E. Blackburn, who made the decision in Denver, rejected the prosecution's claims that lying about having military medals reduces their significance.

"This wholly unsubstantiated assertion is, frankly, shocking and, indeed, unintentionally insulting to the profound sacrifices of military personnel the Stolen Valor Act purports to honor," Blackburn wrote. "To suggest that the battlefield heroism of our servicemen and women is motivated in any way, let alone in a compelling way, by considerations of whether a medal may be awarded simply defies my comprehension."

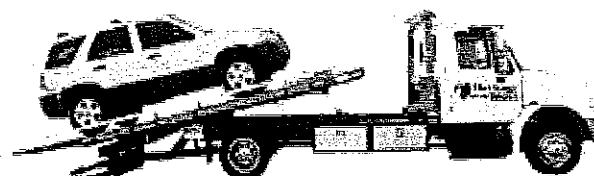
Strandlof, 32, was charged with five misdemeanors related to violating the Stolen Valor Act. He made false claims about receiving military decorations and posed as a wounded Marine captain named Rick Duncan who received

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a Purple Heart and a Silver Star, authorities said.

Tiffany Graham, associate professor of law at the University of La Verne, said anything could happen now regarding Alvarez's case.

"The bottom line with respect to these two cases is they're two separate cases in two different jurisdictions where the judges have the authority to interpret the law in two different ways," Graham said.

If there is a split in the decisions, the Supreme Court could get involved, she said.

From reading news reports on the Denver case, Graham said the words "facially unconstitutional" were "pretty big."

"What you're doing is telling Congress, 'You need to go back to the drawing board'" with the Stolen Valor Act, Graham said.

"It potentially raises a red flag to folks in Congress" about the legalities of the act.

Rep. John Salazar, a Democrat from Manassa, Colo., who introduced the legislation in 2005, said he was upset about the Colorado decision.

"This is an issue of fraud, plain and simple," he wrote in an e-mail. "The Stolen Valor Act has been upheld by other courts, and I am confident this decision will be overturned on appeal."

Libby said he made his final comments to the 9th

Circuit in early November. He said the Denver case statements were "pretty much verbatim" what he had argued before the 9th Circuit.

"I think we're right on the law and the decision from Colorado would seem to suggest we're right on the law," Libby said. "But the three judges from the 9th Circuit will let us know their feelings, so who knows?"

Libby said he did not know when the 9th Circuit would make its decision about Alvarez.

Alvarez was fined \$5,000 and sentenced to three years of probation in the 2008 case. Libby said he had completed his community service, which was required for probation, and he was close to finishing up his probation.

Currently, Alvarez is at Centinela State Prison in Imperial County for defrauding the water district, authorities said. He was forced to resign Oct. 1 because he knowingly registered ex-wife Juanita Ruiz for health benefits with the district from Jan. 24 to Oct. 31, 2007, authorities said. Alvarez was sentenced to five years in prison but prosecutors said he would probably serve half of his sentence.

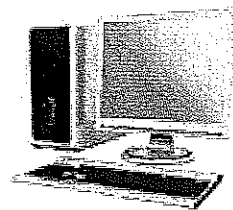
Libby said he was not sure what would happen, if anything, to Alvarez's sentencing if the 2008 case is successfully appealed because the judge would have seen the conviction when handing down punishment.

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Politics and water conservation

The city made great strides with its watering ordinance, but it's about to be undone.

By Emily Green

July 27, 2010

In June 2009, an ordinance limiting lawn and garden watering with sprinklers to two days a week took effect in Los Angeles. Citywide water consumption dropped by more than 20%.

Yet, 13 months later, the ordinance that pushed Los Angeles to the fore of the Western water conservation movement is about to be gutted, having become collateral damage in a roiling brawl over rate hikes and green energy between the City Council and the mayor's office.

On July 6, the City Council sent the utility a neutered version of the lawn ordinance that would allow watering an extra day a week. Last week, browbeaten Department of Water and Power commissioners quietly rubber-stamped it. What is being passed off as a tweak looks more like a death knell for one of the best collective environmental efforts made by the citizens of Los Angeles.

The ordinance was instituted for many reasons — regionwide drought, water delivery cuts to Southern California and common sense on the part of then-DWP General Manager H. David Nahai.

Nahai went after lawns because that's where the water is. Roughly half of the water used in Los Angeles goes outdoors, most of that on turf grass, a plant that needs almost constant life support outside its traditional range in rainy Britain.

But not everyone supported water conservation in our frontyards. San Fernando Valley Councilman Greig Smith argued that the ordinance turned lawns brown, and last September, he began publicly flouting it by watering his own yard more frequently than the law allowed. That stunt was overshadowed by a series of highly publicized water main breaks — one so spectacular that the resulting sinkhole swallowed the front end of a fire truck.

We will never know if the leaks of September 2009 were caused by the fluctuations in pressure from the two-day lawn watering regimen. The DWP has historical charts showing that the rate of bursts was nothing out of the ordinary. But last spring, when a USC engineering group released a report arguing that the leaks were indeed exceptional and that the ordinance caused them, the DWP was too embattled to object.

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The ordinance's godfather, Nahai, was gone as general manager. So was his successor, S. David Freeman. The DWP sent a new draft ordinance to the City Council incorporating a USC recommendation to spread out lawn watering days. Under this, half the city would have watered on Mondays and Thursdays and half on Tuesdays and Fridays.

The City Council sat on the proposed fix until long after the water department could reasonably be expected to publicize any new rule before the hottest days of summer. And when the council finally acted, it rejected the DWP proposal, instead sending back to the utility a plan by Smith to allow watering three days a week. Cowed DWP commissioners rubber-stamped the proposal last week.

On paper, the Smith plan looks better. The original ordinance allowed automated sprinklers to run two days a week for a total of 30 minutes. The Smith plan allows sprinklers to run three days a week for a total of 24 minutes. Less water! More savings!

Smith sold the plan arguing that the original ordinance led to large pressure fluctuations on the two legal watering days. By having half the city watering on three days and the other half on another three days, pressure would be kept more even over six days. Better for pipes!

But the Smith plan will save water only if people who water more days observe the fine print about watering for less time. This will be unenforceable. Who among us times our neighbor's sprinklers?

By contrast, the original ordinance was perfectly tailored to the collective honor system. With such a narrow window for watering, violators were conspicuous. Compliance became a testament of civic pride, a spirit so strong that last year, fewer than 200 fine-carrying citations were issued as Angelenos conserved enough water to supply Long Beach, Santa Monica, Burbank and Beverly Hills combined.

Will lawns be healthier? Council President Eric Garcetti said he supported the Smith plan because his wife "who is a big gardener for a year and a half" told him that "plants die with only two waterings a week."

But Bob Perry, professor emeritus of landscape architecture at Cal Poly Pomona, disagrees. "Watering twice a week for 15 minutes during the cool hours is better than three times at eight minutes," he wrote in response to an e-mail query. "This will result in deeper moisture infiltration into the soil and less water loss due to evaporation."

Will the Smith plan be better for the city's pipes? The DWP engineers who oversee them say no, while a group of academics from USC says yes. The only take-home truth about pipes in this spectacle has been that they were the murder weapon as city politics killed the original ordinance.

As the law behind L.A.'s conservation milestone joins the steadily rising bone pile of DWP general managers to fall foul of the feud between the City Council and the mayor, the scofflaw Smith has been rewarded. A plan that may or may not work to alleviate water main breaks is being implemented by the City Council too late for the DWP to effectively get the message out. Finally, the steadily ruinous notion that summer lawns should be green in Los Angeles is being reinforced by promoters of a new law that won't achieve that — unless you cheat.

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Water bond now on the bubble

Governor wants measure off Nov. ballot

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LOCAL IMPACT

The \$11 billion water bond that could be removed from the November ballot includes:

\$100 million to help increase the size of the San Vicente Reservoir near Lakeside.

\$87 million in grants for San Diego-area water projects.

SACRAMENTO — Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger recently concluded that a proposed \$11 billion water bond he personally nursed for three years will probably flop in November and has called on lawmakers to take the measure off the ballot and put it before voters in 2012 instead.

There's a problem: He had already counted on voter approval of Proposition 18 and set aside \$1 billion of the money in his pending budget for dozens of new water supply and environmental projects that he now must shelve.

Schwarzenegger could have a bigger headache: Lawmakers may balk at taking the measure off the ballot, even those who opposed it in the first place.

Some lawmakers and water agency lobbyists warn the bond may get wrapped up in negotiations over the stalled budget.

The governor must woo enough lawmakers to achieve the two-thirds majority necessary to pass legislation to yank the bond off the ballot — no easy task given traditional backroom bargaining over the budget and big-ticket items like water bonds.

Some lawmakers who didn't get what they wanted when the bond was put on the ballot are expected to demand concessions before they agree to a two-year delay. Others who simply opposed it may not vote to take it off the ballot unless the overall budget is shaped more to their liking, according to the lawmakers and lobbyists.

The deadline is a moving target, but most say a bill has to pass by mid-August to remove Proposition 18 from the ballot.

“They’re going to need to work hard for their votes,” said Assemblyman Jared Huffman, D-San Rafael, who favored parts of the bond package.

Taken to its extreme, the maneuvering could result in something neither opponents and supporters of the bond seem to want: Proposition 18 remaining on the November ballot.

The risk for opponents: Despite the governor’s concern, voters could approve the massive spending plan. A recent Field Poll showed support for Proposition 18, though a majority of voters were unfamiliar with it.

The risk for supporters: The governor’s instincts are right and voter rejection would make it more difficult to pursue a water bond in two years.

Many believe it won’t come to that.

But history has shown that virtually anything can be used as leverage in budget battles and some of the players acknowledge that the water bond would be an inviting target.

“I wouldn’t be surprised at all,” said Assemblyman Bill Berryhill, R-Ceres.

The outcome has fiscal consequences for water suppliers across California, including the San Diego County Water Authority, which is in line for state bond money to help defray its aggressive program to increase local supplies.

The overall \$11 billion bond includes \$100 million to help defray a \$568 million project to more than double the size of San Vicente Reservoir near Lakeside, now in its eighth month of construction. Authority leaders say they are committed with or without state aid.

If bond proceeds fail to materialize, that means a higher costs for local ratepayers.

Local water officials also were looking at a variety of grants in the bond for other supply reliability programs. Up to \$87 million of those grants would be set aside specifically for use in the region.

With the looming postponement, water planners may have to reset priorities.

“This call for delay puts everyone in a state of limbo,” said Dennis Cushman, the water authority’s assistant general manager.

The bond and its accompanying policy directives were hailed as the most significant advancement in California water planning in 50 years when various interests agreed to the deal last year.

Of statewide importance, bond money would help restore the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta, a vital water source on the brink of environmental collapse. Two-thirds of the state’s drinking water, including nearly 20 percent of the San Diego region’s, flows through the delta.

“That is the water authority board’s No. 1 priority,” Cushman said. “The crisis won’t wait. It won’t go away.”

Quite simply, the water bond became a victim of the budget crisis. Schwarzenegger and other supporters agreed that the need to close a \$19.1 billion deficit had to be the priority. They concluded that voters

would be reluctant to approve such massive spending — even for water.

Further, Proposition 18 likely would be opposed by the California Teachers Association and the Sierra Club, who objected to the spending and wanted more focus on conservation.

“If it’s a bad bond in 2010, it’s a bad bond in 2012,” said Jim Metropulos, who represented the Sierra Club in the bond debate.

Finally, the state was coming off a good snow year, temporarily easing drought fears.

“It was a reflection of reality,” said Senate Minority Leader Dennis Hollingsworth, R-Temecula.

Hollingsworth voted for the bond and supports a delay.

Assembly Minority Leader Martin Garrick, R-Solana Beach, also endorsed the delay, noting the state’s bleak cash picture will make more debt a difficult sell. At its peak, the interest payment would be more than \$600 million a year, according to estimates.

Lawmakers who fought against the package say they feel frustrated yet vindicated by the governor’s move. They don’t want to put the same measure on the ballot in 2012.

“If we’re going to pull it, we ought to be able to reopen it and put it on a diet,” Berryhill said. “It’s not like a fine bottle of wine. It doesn’t get better when it’s on the shelf for a couple of years.”

Many business and farm interests have reluctantly lined up behind the governor, choosing not to gamble with so much at stake. Some environmental groups that support the bond agree.

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Inland Empire water agencies rip fish-habitat plan

Andrew Edwards, Staff Writer

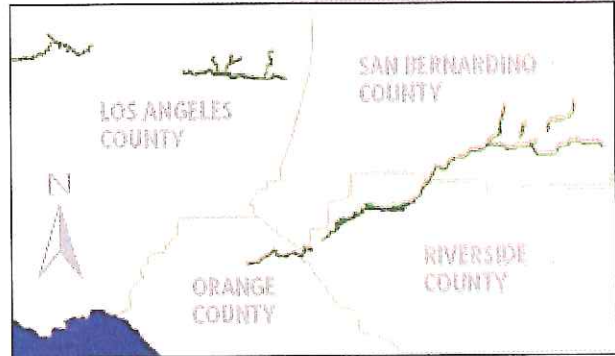
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CORONA - Inland Empire water agencies' representatives demanded changes to a federal proposal to protect a small Santa Ana River fish during a U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service hearing on Wednesday.

The federal government is developing plans to declare parts of the Santa Ana River and other Southern California waterways as critical habitat for the Santa Ana sucker, a fish typically less than 6 inches long that gets its name from the way it eats algae and other food. It is listed as a threatened species.

The most immediate point of disagreement is whether the habitat plan should include areas of the upper Santa Ana River, where the fish does not currently live. There are questions as to whether doing so is necessary to save the

species and whether the habitat plan's restrictions would prevent the Inland Empire from using a vital water source.



The Center for Biological Diversity, which has sued the federal government to protect the Santa Ana sucker, considers the fish to be an important part of the regional ecosystem. The center wants a habitat plan that will restore the fish to areas where it no longer lives, such as the upper Santa Ana River and creeks of the east San Bernardino Valley.

"It's a tiny little fish, and if it's not doing well in the river, you know the whole river is not doing well," said Ileene Anderson, a biologist for the Center for Biological Diversity.

At present, the only place Santa Ana suckers can be found in the river is a two-mile stretch west and northwest of downtown Riverside, Anderson said.

A critical habitat designation would prohibit activity deemed harmful to the habitat itself, thus adding an additional level of protection for the fish above what would otherwise be mandated by the Endangered Species Act. There

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is a wide difference of opinion between the Center for Biological Diversity and water agencies as to what that would mean in practice.

Anderson said during a telephone interview Wednesday the habitat plan would not ban human development, but it would require greater consultation with U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service officials for activities along the Santa Ana River.

Some Inland Empire water officials, however, say plans to restore the fish to upstream waterways is a bad idea. They worry that the habitat proposal could require Inland Empire residents to sacrifice drinking water.

"The potential burdens of the critical habitat designation threaten both the (San Bernardino Valley Water) Conservation District's role in ensuring safe groundwater supplies for its constituents, and the viability of the literally millions of dollars spent, often with consent or specific direction of the Fish and Wildlife Service, to make the Wash Plan a reality," said Melody McDonald, vice president of the conservation district.

McDonald was one of two people who spoke at length during the Wednesday afternoon hearing. The other was Lindsay D. Puckett, an attorney representing Riverside Public Utilities and the Western Municipal Water District, a west Riverside County water provider.

The conservation district's responsibilities include storing Santa Ana River water supplies

underground. It is the lead agency for the Santa Ana River Wash Plan.

The Wash Plan is an attempt to balance mining and natural habitat in the upper Santa Ana River bed near Highland and Redlands. McDonald predicted at the hearing that Fish and Wildlife's habitat proposal could add \$10.3 million to the Wash Plan's mining-related costs over 20 years.

Puckett, however, voiced a much bigger number during her remarks.

The attorney said an economic analysis prepared by Inland Empire economist John Husing predicts area water providers could end up spending \$2.7 billion over 25 years to import Northern California water if the habitat plan makes it impossible to draw water from the Santa Ana River.

Projected water delivery costs also assume that water is available, she said.

The federal government is also considering plans to establish critical habitat zones for the Santa Ana sucker in areas along the San Gabriel River in the Angeles National Forest and in Los Angeles area creeks upstream from Hansen Dam.

Wednesday's scheduled hearings were part of the process required to develop the proposal into something for the rule books. The Fish and Wildlife Service convened afternoon and evening hearings at Ayres Corona Suites West to record

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comments for the official record that will be used to make a final habitat ruling.

A decision is expected by December.

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Water conference especially relevant

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On Aug. 12, hundreds of leaders from throughout our region will gather at the Ontario Convention Center to discuss and learn how to better manage one of our most critical resources - water. This year's San Bernardino County Water Conference will be an especially relevant effort considering the critical looming decision of the proposed \$11 billion water bond on the November ballot.

One need only look approximately 100 miles up Interstate 5 to see what a lack of water can do to the economic conditions in a community. Some Central Valley communities have unemployment rates of up to 40 percent because of the lack of an adequate water supply.

We do not face quite the same pressures in this region as they do in the Central Valley, but our economy is just as vulnerable in several key ways.

New construction has historically been one of the key economic drivers of our regional economy. The construction of new homes and commercial projects employed 134,531 people at its height in February 2006, according to the July 2007 Inland Empire Quarterly Economic Report by

economist John Husing, and the housing and general construction slowdown has caused a massive wave of unemployment that has more than 65,000 workers without a paycheck in our region.

Husing has stated in many public forums that until the construction industry comes back to our region, we will continue to suffer economically. There is no other industry that can vacuum up all of those left jobless.

New construction, of homes or any other project, is dependent on having an adequate water supply to support the project. No water - no construction. No construction - no jobs. No jobs - no economic recovery for the County of San Bernardino.

But the construction industry is not the only one that requires an adequate water supply. Manufacturing and the processing of food also require an available and low-cost source of clean water.

Water is, of course, also needed by every family who lives in our region.

These are all important reasons why I am proud that the County of San Bernardino is joining the Building Industry Association Baldy View Chapter along with a host of other stakeholders to participate in the 2010 San Bernardino County Water Conference.

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together water management experts from throughout the region and the state of California for a discussion of the key issues affecting our water supply currently and into the future.

One of the most important topics of discussion will be the water bond that will be on the ballot in November. The passage of this bond is vital to securing the long-term stability of the water supply in California. Ron Davis, the state legislative director of the Association of California Water Agencies, will lead a discussion of this issue.

The keynote speaker, Mark Cowin, the director of the California Department of Water Resources, will address the crowd about the other top priorities in addressing California's water crisis.

Numerous other water-related topics will be covered and a very exciting addition to this year's conference will be a break-out session featuring some of the newest in water management and conservation technologies. This showcase will feature some of the leading companies in water conservation including Toro, which has a regional headquarters for research and development in the Inland Empire.

The San Bernardino Water Conference is our one annual opportunity to come together as a region and discuss our water supply. By attending this important event we will learn about the best practices and newest technologies in water management. It also provides a forum for those

who have new and innovative ideas or points of view on current or proposed water management solutions.

I wish to thank in advance all of those who are responsible for making this event a reality and to those who plan on attending to learn more about managing our critical water resources. To find out more about the event that will be held Aug. 12 at the Ontario Convention Center, please visit the website www.sbcwater.com.

Gary C. Ovitt is chairman of the county Board of Supervisors and represents the 4th District, which includes Chino, Chino Hills, Montclair and Ontario.

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Cities, agency share study costs

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Ontario, Upland and the Chino-based Inland Empire Utilities Agency are sharing the costs to investigate possible contamination surrounding a regional wastewater treatment plant in Ontario.

The Regional Water Quality Control Board alleges that the plant, which treats recycled water, may be a source of contamination.

"In other words, the contamination could have gone into the sewer, went to the treatment plant and potentially got into the ground from the treatment plant," said Mohamed El-Amamy, utilities general manager for Ontario.

The cost to be shared by the three entities ranges from \$100,000 to \$150,000.

The treatment plant, near the 60 Freeway and Archibald Avenue, serves Ontario, Rancho Cucamonga, Upland, Montclair, Fontana and unincorporated areas of San Bernardino County.

The plant was owned from 1934 to 1973 by Ontario and Upland. The IEUA has owned and operated it since 1973.

In the 1990s, the Regional Water Quality Control

Board investigated a groundwater contamination plume consisting of an organic solvent known as trichloroethylene near the plant.

Trichloroethylene is a solvent found in many common household products such as paint removers, paint strippers, gun-cleaning fluid, rust removers, adhesive glues and spot removers.

In 2009, the board alleged that the plant was the source of the contamination.

"The groundwater contamination in the area near the plant - that groundwater

initially was thought to originate from industries near the Ontario airport, like General Electric and Lockheed and the Department of Defense," El-Amamy said.

The contaminant has not been found in the water supply, officials said.

"Basically, we don't know whether these allegations are true or not," El-Amamy said. "Obviously, we have to respond. We have to look at records. We have to look at data and better respond once we know."

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