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NOTICE REGARDING (COVID-19)

Before we begin, the record will reflect that pursuant to the provisions of Executive Order N-29-20 issued by Governor Gavin Newsom on March 19, 2020, this meeting will be conducted by teleconference only.

Please note that all actions taken by the Board during today's meeting will be conducted by a roll call vote.



Call to Order

Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors Tuesday, October 20, 2020



Pledge of Allegiance





Roll Call



T. Milford Harrison President



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Approval of Minutes (Pg. 4)

Regular Board Meeting – October 6, 2020

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Board Motion & Roll Call Vote

Staff Recommendation

To approve the minutes of the October 6, 2020, Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors as presented.



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Discussion Item 3.1 (Pg. 14)

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Wen Huang, PE, MS – Chief Engineer/Deputy General Manager Aaron Jones, EIT – Associate Engineer

Consider Awarding Contract to Source Solar, Inc. for Construction of the SBVMWD Administration Building Solar System

Staff Recommendation

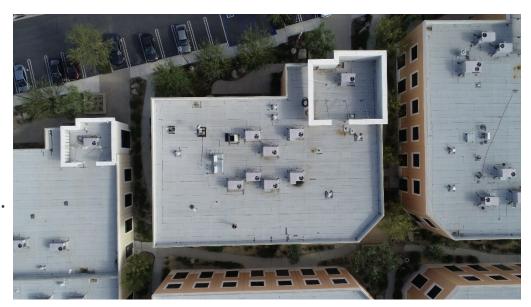
Staff recommends the Board of Directors take the following actions:

- 1) Award the contract for construction of the SBVMWD Administration Building Solar System to Source Solar, Inc. based on their bid amount of \$96,800 and authorize the Board President to execute the agreement and;
- 2) Authorize the CEO/GM to approve contingent costs of up to ten (10) percent above the contract amount, or \$9,680, for the Project.



Bid Information:

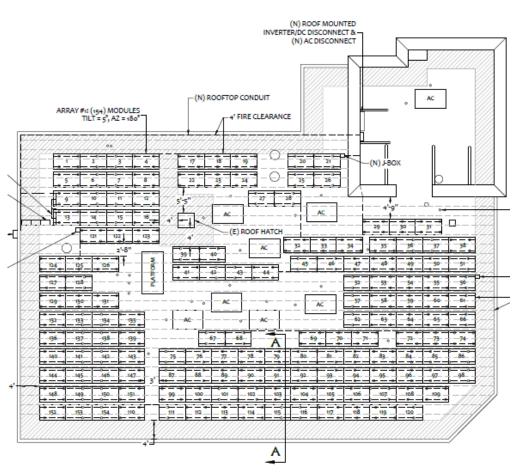
- •May 19,2020 Vision Civil Engineering awarded design contract.
- Since that time, plans and specification were developed.
- The Project was released for bid in September 2020 and the District received one (I) bid from Source Solar, Inc., located in Claremont, CA, on October, 8 2020.
- Source Solar, Incs. bid amount is \$96,800. The engineers estimate was \$130,000.
- •Staff conducted a thorough review of their bid proposal and found them to be a responsive and responsible bidder.
- In addition, references were checked (e.g. City of Yucaipa PAC)





Additional Information:

- Payback period for 49 kW Solar System: 8.5-13 years
- Estimated generation rate: 80,500 kWh
 - Reduction of 40% of current usage/energy consumption
- Anticipated life span of equipment: 20-25 years
- Installation costs: \$96,800
- Current SCE bill for Administration
 Building is estimated to be reduced by
 \$1,100 per month



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Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends the Board of:

- Award the contract for to Source Solar, Inc. in the amount of \$96,800 and authorize the Board President to execute the agreement and;
- Authorize the CEO/GM to approve contingent costs of up to ten (10) percent above the contract amount, or \$9,680, for the Project.





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Discussion Item 3.2 (Pg. 42)

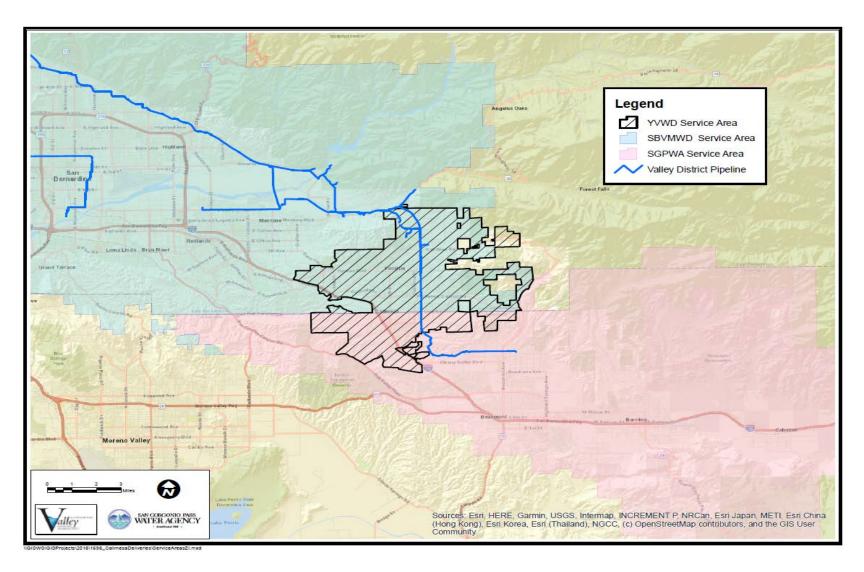
Bob Tincher, PE, MS – Chief Water Resources Officer/Deputy GM **Matt Howard, MS** – Water Resources Senior Project Manager

Consider Agreement with SGPWA and YVWD to Establish Method for Calculating State Water Project Deliveries to Calimesa

Staff Recommendation

Staff is recommending the Board authorize the CEO/General Manager to execute the agreement to Facilitate Water Deliveries by SBVMWD for the SGPWA in the Calimesa Area.

Valley District and SGPWA are Neighbors at the End of the East Branch of the SWP



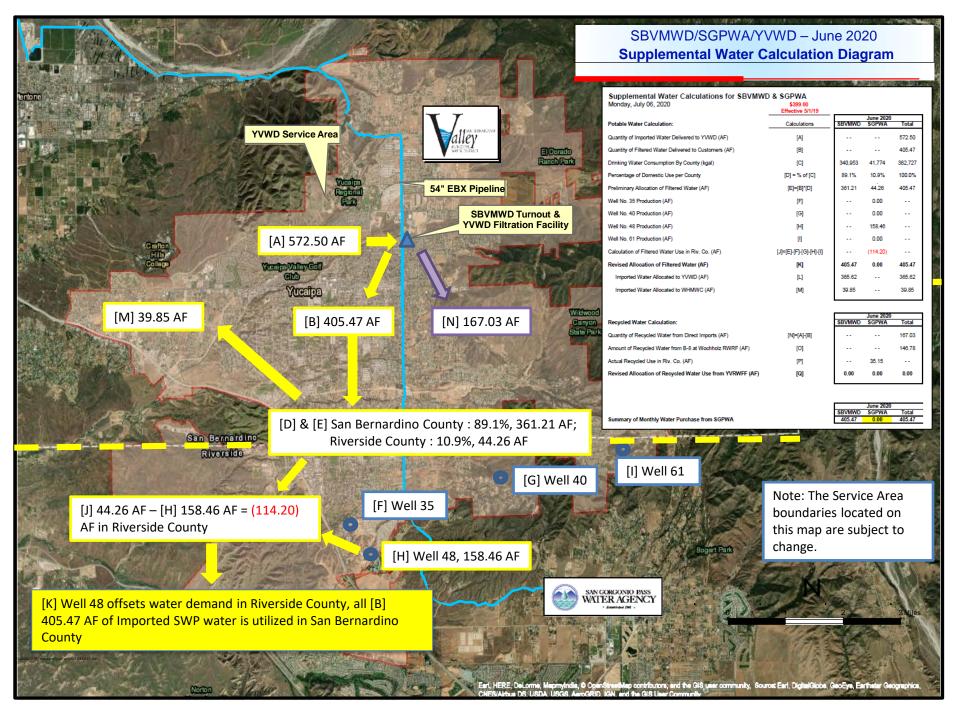
Joint Agreement Between DWR/SGPWA/Valley District (2019)

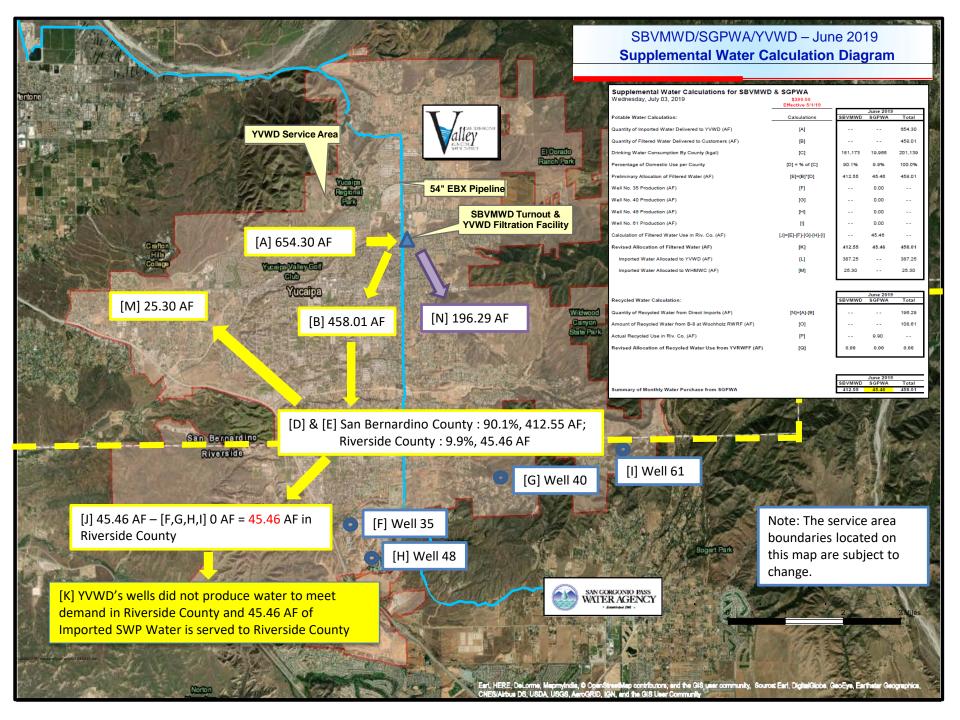
Before Agreement

- Valley District ordered SWP on behalf of SGPWA for YVWD service area in Riverside County
- YVWD calculated SWP deliveries to SGPWA
- SGPWA paid Valley District for SWP deliveries to SGPWA
- SWP water was debited from Valley District's Table A

After Agreement #160330 (2019)

- SGPWA orders SWP water for YVWD service area in Riverside County
- YVWD calculates "actual" SWP deliveries to SGPWA
- DWR bills SGPWA for SWP deliveries to YVWD
- SGPWA SWP deliveries to YVWD are debited from SGPWA Table A





Proposed Joint Agreement for Calculation Method

• This companion agreement to the SWPAO agreement #160330 joint agreement between SGPWA, Valley District and DWR that enables SGPWA to order SWP water directly for Calimesa, which outlines the Calculation Method Agreement.

Calculation Method Agreement

- Valley District, SGPWA, YVWD
- Documents the calculation method for SWP water delivered to Calimesa
- Documents the source documents for the numbers used in the calculation
- Allows all parties the ability to audit the process at any time
- Important to note: The YVWD's Board approved this agreement on October 13th, 2020 and the SGPWA approved this agreement on October 5th, 2020

Board Motion & Roll Call Vote

Staff Recommendation

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Discussion Item 3.3 (Pg. 69)

Chris Jones, MESM - Project Manager II, Biological Resources

Consider Cooperative Agreement for Partnership in Long Term Management of the Louis Robidoux Nature Center and Restoration of Sunnyslope Creek

Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends the Board authorize the CEO/General Manager to execute a cooperative agreement for partnership in long term management of the Louis Robidoux Nature Center and restoration of Sunnyslope Creek.



Consortium

Inland Empire Resources Conservation District (IERCD)

- Primary Leaseholder
- Conservation-Focused Educational Programs

San Bernardino Valley Municipal Water District (SBVMWD)

Sunnyslope Creek Restoration

Huerta Del Valle (HDV)

Sustainable and Community Agriculture

Orange County Water District (OCWD)

Restoration Maintenance at Sunnyslope Creek

Sunshine Haven Animal Rescue and Wildlife Rehabilitation (Sunshine Haven)

Onsite Wildlife Rehabilitation Center







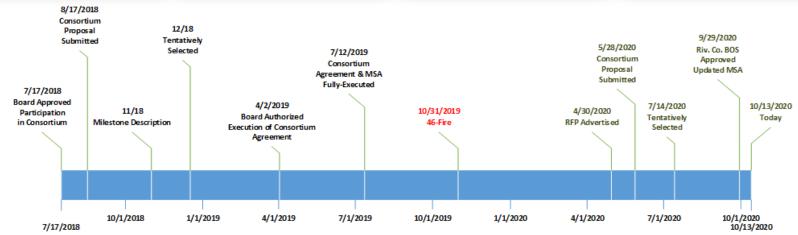
Timeline













Proposal

Same Consortium Members

Consortium SOW is Similar

- With Exception of New Nature Center and Shared Office and Field Station
- Duration: 25 years with option for two 10-year extensions

Valley District SOW

- Lead on Restoration of Sunnyslope Creek
 - Opportunities and Constraints Analysis and Report
 - Design and Permitting and Recordation of Conservation Easement
 - Implement Restoration Plan
 - Water Reestablishment
 - Long Term Monitoring and Adaptive Management
 - Funding Parks District Patrols
- Shared Responsibilities
 - Development of Site Master Plan
 - Co-Establishment of Field Station
 - Annual Presentations
 - Stewardship Festivals

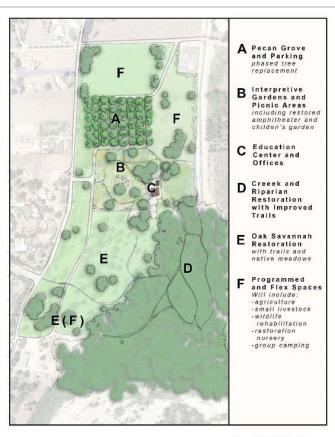


Figure 2. Draft Site Plan



Benefits

Part of Conservation Strategy for the HCP

- Approximately 4,000 plus linear feet of stream improvement
- At least 10 acres of riparian and upland habitat improvement
- Opportunity to educate public on the HCP and its associated environmental compliance programs
- Field station
 - Office space
 - Meeting & conference space
 - Field equipment storage space

Outstanding example of Regional Watershed Management





Fiscal Impact

No Fiscal Impact at this Time

Five Year Outlook

- Estimated Sunnyslope Restoration: \$3,720,000
 - Includes:
 - Opportunities & Constraints Analysis
 - Planning, Design, Permitting
 - Conservation Easement
 - Monitoring and Maintenance
 - Parks District Ranger Patrols
- Contribution to Shared Responsibilities: \$1,722,500
 - Includes:
 - Master Plan
 - Water Establishment for Sunnyslope Creek
 - Co-Establishment of Field Station
 - Co-Contributing to Education and Stewardship Events
- 5-Year Estimated Total: \$5,442,500
 - HCP Cost Share
 - HCP Partners (60%): \$3,265,500
 - Valley District (40%): \$2,177,000
- Very Well Situated for Grants
 - Prop I
 - Prop 68
 - Traditional Section 6 (USFWS)
 - Environmental Enhancement Fund (CDFW)

Request for Proposal # PKARC-256

Riverside County Parks Management Service Agreement of the Louis Robidoux Parkland & Pecan Grove

ORIGINAL

Submitted by:

Louis Rubidoux Nature Center Consortium

Community Enrichment & Education, Land Revitalization, Creek Restoration, Sustainable Agriculture, and Wildlife Rehabilitation



May 28, 2020

Board Motion & Roll Call Vote

Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends the Board authorize the CEO/General Manager to execute a cooperative agreement for partnership in long term management of the Louis Robidoux Nature Center and restoration of Sunnyslope Creek.



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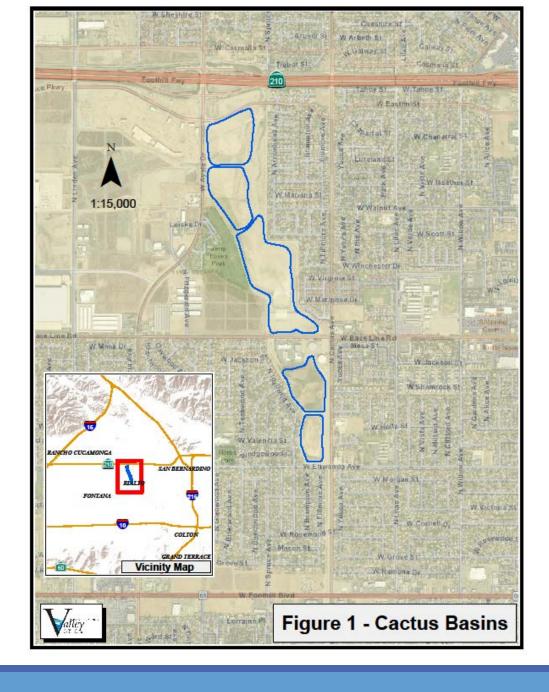
Discussion Item 3.4 (Pg. 228)

Kai Palenscar, Ph.D. – Project Manager II, Biological Resources

Consider Agreement with West Valley Water District to Facilitate Water Spreading in Cactus Basins

Staff Recommendation

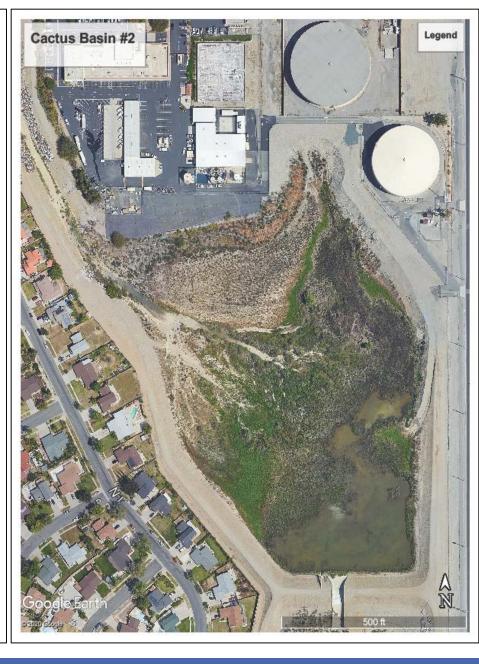
Staff is requesting that the Board authorize the CEO/General Manager to execute a water spreading agreement with West Valley Water District.



Valley District's Role in Water Spreading Agreement

- Regulatory Permits (vegetation removal)
 - Help WVWD to obtain permits (Basin #2)
- Feasibility Study (opportunities and constraints)
 - Help WVWD to conduct study for the potential use of Cactus Basin #3 for water spreading
- Compensatory Mitigation for Veg. Removal Basin #2
 - Hidden Valley Wildlife Area (12 acres, wetland/riparian habitats)
 - WVWD to reimburse VD (14% of 85 acres of total restoration)

Figure 2. Cactus Basin 2, July 2020. N Gactus Ave Cactus Basin 2 Black and Red Willow Mix Exotic Grass, Weed, and Ruderal Mix Mulefat Scrub Cattails 100 Meters Coastal Sage Scrub





Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends the Board authorize the CEO/General Manager to execute a water spreading agreement with West Valley Water District.



Board Motion & Roll Call Vote

Staff Recommendation

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Discussion Item 3.5 (Pg. 238)

Kai Palenscar, Ph.D. – Project Manager II, Biological Resources

Consider a Consulting Agreement with Geoscience to Serve as a Science Advisor for the Development of the Upper SAR Habitat Conservation Plan's Comprehensive Adaptive Management and Monitoring Plan (CAMMP)

Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends the Board authorize the CEO/General Manager to execute an agreement with Geoscience Support Services Inc. for the proposed technical assistance, in the amounts of not to exceed \$44,888.



Comprehensive Adaptive Management and Monitoring Program (CAMMP)

Section 6 Grant accepted by Board April 2020

- \$1.75 million total (grant + matching funds)
- Valley District committed \$875,000 in matching funds (April 2020)

CAMMP Proposal approved July 21, 2020 (Stillwater/ICF)

- Purpose Develop the CAMMP for HCP. Tasks include;
 - I. Develop an Integrated Strategy for Long-term Conservation of HCP Lands,
 - 2. Prepare the Program Planning Document, and
 - 3. Develop Database and Web-Based Reporting Platform

Science Advisors

Groundwater Monitoring (Geoscience Support Services Inc.) (\$44,888)





Overview of Budget

- Geoscience not to exceed \$44,888
 - Expense included in the approved fiscal year 2020-2021 budget and is part of the total project cost of CAMMP (\$1,750,000).
- Section 6 USFWS grant = reimburse \$22,444.
- HCP partners will reimburse Valley District approximately 60% = \$13,466.
- Valley District's fiscal impact = \$8,978



Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends the Board authorize the CEO/General Manager to execute an agreement with Geoscience Inc. in the amount of not to exceed \$44,888.



Board Motion & Roll Call Vote

Staff Recommendation

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Reports Item 4.1

Director's Primary Representative and Activity Report



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Reports Item 4.2 (Pg. 255)

Operations Report – September 2020



Reports Item 4.3 (Pg. 261)

Treasurer's Report – September 2020



SAN BERNARDINO VALLEY MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2020

RECOMMENDATION: APPROVE THE EXPENSES FOR THE FOLLOWING FU		OF	SEPTEMBER 202	20		
STATE WATER CONTRACT	FUND S	\$	17,860,335.68			
DEVIL CANYON / CASTAIC	FUND S	\$	104,370.00			
GENERAL FUND	5	\$	7,291,408.79			
APPROVED:						
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Board Motion & Roll Call Vote

Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends the Board approve the expenses for the month of September 2020.



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Reports Item 4.4 (Pg. 273)

Directors' Fees and Expenses for September 2020



Announcements Item 5.1 (Pg. 279)

October 20, 2020, 2:00 p.m. – Regular Board Meeting by Teleconference

November 3, 2020, 9:30 a.m. - Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority (SAWPA) Commission Meeting

November 3, 2020, 2:00 p.m. – Regular Board Meeting by Teleconference

November 5, 2020, 2:00 p.m. – Board Workshop – Resources – by Teleconference

November 10, 2020, 2:00 p.m. - Board of Directors Workshop - Engineering - by Teleconference

November 12, 2020, 2:00 p.m. – Board of Directors Workshop – Policy – by Teleconference

November 17, 2020, 9:30 a.m. – Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority (SAWPA) Commission Meeting

November 17, 2020, 2:00 p.m. – Regular Board Meeting by Teleconference

November 18, 2020, 1:30 p.m. - San Bernardino Valley WCD Board of Directors Meeting



CLOSED SESSION 6.1

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-Anticipated Litigation-Initiation of Litigation pursuant to Govt. Code Section 54956.9(d)(4): One Potential Case



CLOSED SESSION 6.2

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL—EXISTING LITIGATION (Paragraph (I) of subdivision (d) of Section 54956.9)

Name of case: California Department of Water Resources v. All Persons Interested in the Matter of the Authorization of Delta Program Revenue Bonds, the Issuance, Sale and Delivery of Delta Program Revenue Bonds Series A, Series B and Subsequent Series, the Adoption of the Delta



Adjournment