



2017 WATER POLICY

Forum & Dinner

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Featuring Keynote Speaker

ROGER PATTERSON

Assistant General Manager

**THE METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT
OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**



As the California WaterFix approaches a series of critical decisions, the Municipal Water District of Orange County (MWDOC) would like to invite you to join us for a Water Policy Forum & Dinner, Wednesday, August 30. We are pleased to welcome keynote speaker Roger Patterson, Assistant General Manager of The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California (MWD). Mr. Patterson oversees MWD's strategic water initiatives for the Sacramento-San Joaquin Bay Delta and Colorado River.

Mr. Patterson will discuss the recent biological opinion received from two federal agencies that determined the twin-tunnel California WaterFix will not negatively impact endangered species in the Delta. About 30 percent of the water used in Orange County comes through the Delta, which is the heart of the State Water Project. Mr. Patterson will also discuss the California EcoRestore, a companion project to the WaterFix that will stabilize the Delta ecosystem and restore fish habitat.

It is important to note that Governor Jerry Brown supports the coequal goals of these two projects and wants MWD and the other largest customers of the State Water Project to decide in September if they are interested in participating in the projects, which would be paid for by water customers. In December 2016, the MWDOC Board adopted a resolution in support of the California WaterFix and EcoRestore and since then, have asked our member agencies and other key Orange County leadership groups to do the same. At this time, over 20 Orange County organizations have joined the united front.

Registration is available for \$80 per person.* This includes the pre-dinner reception (cash bar), three-course dinner (choice of entrée), and self-parking. Online registration is available through the link at the top of this email.

Sincerely,

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**Please note that the registration fee will increase to \$90 per person after August 20, 2017. Cancellations made after this date (and event no-shows) will be fully charged.*

WEDNESDAY

August 30th

5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

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