



# NEWS RELEASE

## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **Contacts:**

Darcy M. Burke: [dburke@mwdoc.com](mailto:dburke@mwdoc.com); (714) 593-5014 (office) or (951) 634-9019 (cell)

Jessica H. Ouwerkerk: [jouwerkerk@mwdoc.com](mailto:jouwerkerk@mwdoc.com); (714) 593-5029 (office) or (949) 274-6492 (cell)

## **LARRY MCKENNEY ELECTED CHAIR OF REGION 10 FOR THE ASSOCIATION OF CALIFORNIA WATER AGENCIES**

**Fountain Valley, CA** (April 3, 2015) – The Association of California Water Agencies (ACWA) Region 10 Board has elected Larry McKenney to serve as its Chair through 2015. McKenney is one of the Municipal Water District of Orange County’s four representatives on the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California’s Board of Directors, and he is a representative of MWDOC at ACWA. He has served on the ACWA Board since 2012.

The Chair and Vice Chair of each region serve on the statewide ACWA Board of Directors, where, with support from their Regional Boards, they provide leadership and a clear voice for water issues and concerns facing the state.

“This is a critical time for California given our scarce water resources. I am looking forward to serving more actively with such an outstanding and respected organization as ACWA on the complex water issues affecting our state,” said Director McKenney.

ACWA is the largest statewide coalition of public water agencies in the United States. Its more than 430 public agency members are collectively responsible for 90 percent of the water delivered in California.

###

*The Municipal Water District of Orange County is a water resource management and planning agency dedicated to ensuring supply and system reliability for the 2.2 million residents we serve through our 28 member agencies.*

