

MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT OF ORANGE COUNTY (MWDOC)



A WHOLESALE WATER SUPPLIER AND RESOURCE PLANNING AGENCY

27 MEMBER AGENCIES

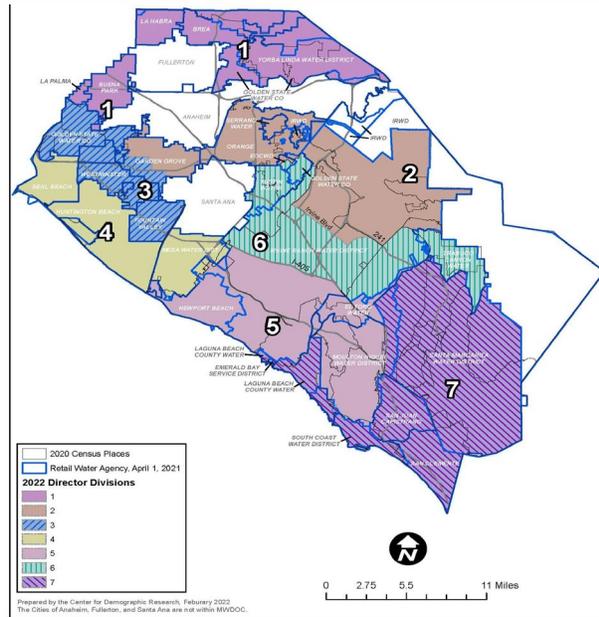
MWDOC is a wholesale water provider focusing on sound resource planning and investments in water supply, water use efficiency, public information, legislative advocacy, water education, and emergency preparedness.

MWDOC's 27 retail water agencies, comprised of city water departments and water districts, provide retail water services to the public.



7 BOARD MEMBERS

MWDOC is governed by a 7-member Board of Directors. Each director is elected by the public to represent a specific portion of Orange County.



Nearly **50%** OF ORANGE COUNTY'S TOTAL WATER DEMAND IS MET BY IMPORTED WATER SUPPLIES.

TO MEET THIS DEMAND, MWDOC PURCHASES APPROXIMATELY 49 BILLION GALLONS OF IMPORTED WATER PER YEAR – FROM NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND THE COLORADO RIVER – THROUGH THE METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

4 METROPOLITAN BOARD MEMBERS

MWDOC appoints four representatives to advocate the interests of Orange County on the Metropolitan Water District Board. MWDOC is the third largest Metropolitan member agency and holds key leadership positions that oversee policy development, strategy, and implementation.





The Water Energy Education Alliance (WEEA or Alliance), is led and administered by MWDOC. WEEA is a powerful coalition of over 60 professional organizations statewide that include water and energy agencies, departments of education, school districts, colleges, technical trade schools, and more. The Alliance works together to build and strengthen career pathways to water and energy jobs for all California students.

18.5 BILLION GALLONS SAVED EACH YEAR

MWDOC's award-winning **Water Use Efficiency Programs** target and benefit all water users.

Programs include educational classes, performance reporting, water surveys, and consumer incentives for water-efficient devices.

Through the development, implementation, and evaluation of these programs, Orange County saves approximately 18.5 billion gallons of water each year.



MISSION "To provide reliable high-quality supplies from Metropolitan Water District of Southern California (MWD) and other sources to meet present and future needs, at an equitable and economical cost, and to promote water use efficiency for all of Orange County."



The Water Emergency Response Organization of Orange County (WEROC), administered by MWDOC, coordinates emergency response and mutual aid planning for all Orange County water and wastewater agencies.

In the event of a major disaster, trained volunteers would mobilize at one of two emergency operations centers to coordinate response.

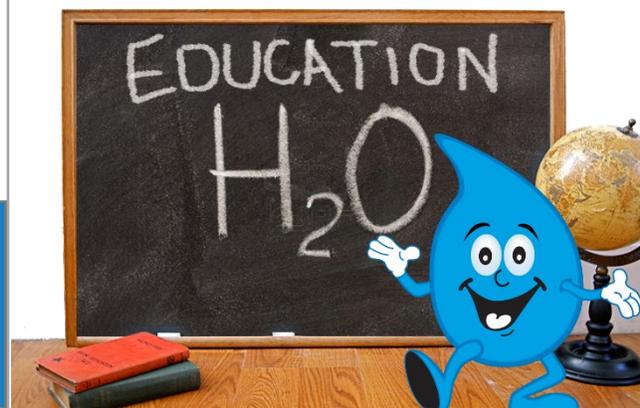


PUBLIC INFORMATION

MWDOC is committed to keeping Orange County informed of current water issues, water-saving opportunities, pending policy issues, and special events through its **Public Information and Outreach Programs**.

MWDOC participates in a variety of events and activities to inform local and statewide decision-makers about the water challenges affecting Orange County and encourages them to take action. Because water is essential to life, decision-makers include elected officials, community leaders, business and industry professionals, residents, educators, students, and many others.

Through outreach, education, partnerships, programs, tours, speaking engagements, events, and more, MWDOC connects with Orange County's 3.2 million residents and beyond.



3 MILLION STUDENTS TAUGHT

MWDOC's investment in K-12 water education has significantly grown, evolving to include programs and activities that aim to achieve environmental literacy. Since the school program's inception in 1973, more than three million Orange County students have learned about Orange County water resources under one of the most successful and well respected water-education curricula in southern California.

