

AGENDA  
JOINT PLANNING COMMITTEE  
WITH BOARD OF DIRECTORS\*  
MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT OF ORANGE COUNTY AND  
ORANGE COUNTY WATER DISTRICT  
18700 Ward Street, Conf. Room 101, Fountain Valley, CA 92708  
January 22, 2025, 8:30 A.M.

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1. Imported water supply update
2. Groundwater basin update
3. Presentation by MNWD re Groundwater Pump-In Project from Santa Ana into EOCF#2
4. Any future agenda items
5. Future Meeting Date: April 23, 2025, July 23, 2025, October 22, 2025

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MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT OF ORANGE COUNTY  
Jointly with the  
**PLANNING & OPERATIONS COMMITTEE**  
18700 Ward Street, Conf. Room 101, Fountain Valley, CA 92708  
February 3, 2025, 8:30 a.m.

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Director Seckel, Chair  
Director Yoo Schneider  
Director Dick

Staff: H.De La Torre, J. Berg, V. Osborn,  
T. Dubuque, D. Micalizzi, H. Baez,  
M. Baum-Haley, C. Busslinger,  
T. Baca

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## **ROLL CALL**

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## **PRESENTATION ITEM**

1. GRANTS TRACKING AND ACQUISITION PROGRAM UPDATE BY SOTO RESOURCES

**ACTION ITEMS**

- 2. ADOPT RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF US BUREAU OF RECLAMATION GRANT APPLICATION
- 3. AMENDMENT TO FULLERTON MASTER AGREEMENT

**DISCUSSION ITEMS**

- 4. WEROC BUSINESS PLAN

**INFORMATION ITEMS** (The following items are for informational purposes only – background information is included in the packet. Discussion is not necessary unless requested by a Director.)

- 5. STATUS UPDATE ON PARTICIPATION IN THE CALIFORNIA DATA COLLABORATIVE
- 6. PUBLIC AFFAIRS HIGHLIGHTS
- 7. DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES REPORTS
  - a. Ongoing MWDOC Reliability and Engineering/Planning Projects
  - b. WEROC
  - c. Water Use Efficiency Projects
  - d. Public and Government Affairs
- 9. REVIEW OF ISSUES RELATED TO PLANNING OR ENGINEERING PROJECTS, WEROC, WATER USE EFFICIENCY, FACILITY AND EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE, WATER STORAGE, WATER QUALITY, CONJUNCTIVE USE PROGRAMS, EDUCATION, PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAMS AND EVENTS, PUBLIC INFORMATION PROJECTS, PUBLIC INFORMATION CONSULTANTS, DISTRICT FACILITIES, and MEMBER AGENCY RELATIONS

**ADJOURNMENT**

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WORKSHOP MEETING OF THE  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS WITH MET DIRECTORS  
MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT OF ORANGE COUNTY  
18700 Ward Street, Conference Room 101, Fountain Valley, California  
February 5, 2025, 8:30 a.m.

Teleconference Sites:  
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### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

### ROLL CALL

### PUBLIC PARTICIPATION/COMMENTS

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### ITEMS RECEIVED TOO LATE TO BE AGENDIZED

Determine need and take action to agendize item(s), which arose subsequent to the posting of the Agenda. (ROLL CALL VOTE: Adoption of this recommendation requires a two-thirds vote of the Board members present or, if less than two-thirds of the Board members are present a unanimous vote.)

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**NEXT RESOLUTION NO. 2153**

### PRESENTATION/DISCUSSION ITEMS

#### 1. **PRESENTATION/UPDATE REGARDING METROPOLITAN'S CAMP4W PROCESS AND BUSINESS PLAN**

*Recommendation: Discuss and file the information presented.*

**2. LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITIES**

- a. Federal Legislative Report (NRR)
- b. State Legislative Report (SDA)
- c. Legal and Regulatory Report (Ackerman)
- d. County Legislative Report (Whittingham)
- e. MWDOC Legislative Matrix
- f. Metropolitan Legislative Matrix

*Recommendation: Review and discuss the information presented.*

**3. QUESTIONS OR INPUT ON MET ISSUES FROM THE MEMBER AGENCIES/MET DIRECTOR REPORTS REGARDING MET COMMITTEE PARTICIPATION**

*Recommendation: Receive input and discuss the information presented.*

**INFORMATION ITEMS**

**4. MET ITEMS CRITICAL TO ORANGE COUNTY** (The following items are for informational purposes only – a write up on each item is included in the packet. Discussion is not necessary unless requested by a Director).

- a. MET's Finance and Rate Issue
- b. MET's Water Supply Condition Update
- c. MET's Water Quality Update
- d. Colorado River Issues
- e. Delta Conveyance Activities and State Water Project Issues

*Recommendation: Review and discuss the information presented.*

**5. METROPOLITAN (MET) BOARD AND COMMITTEE AGENDA DISCUSSION ITEMS**

- a. Summary regarding January MET Board Meeting
- b. Review items of significance for MET Board and Committee Agendas

*Recommendation: Review and discuss the information presented.*

**CLOSED SESSION ITEMS**

**6. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - EXISTING LITIGATION**

*The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California et al. v. California Department of Fish & Wildlife et al. (MWDOC is a petitioner in this lawsuit), Sacramento County Superior Court Case No. 34-2021-80003692-CU-WM-GDS.*

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Director Thomas  
Director Nederhood

**Staff:** H. De La Torre, C. Harris,  
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#### **PROPOSED BOARD CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS**

1. TREASURER'S REPORT

- a. Revenue/Cash Receipt Report – January 2025
  - b. Disbursement Approval Report for the month of February 2025
  - c. Disbursement Ratification Report for the month of January 2025
  - d. GM Approved Disbursement Report for the month of January 2025
  - e. Consolidated Summary of Cash and Investment – December 2024
  - f. OPEB and Pension Trust Fund statement
2. FINANCIAL REPORT
- a. Combined Financial Statements and Budget Comparative for the Period Ending December 31, 2024
  - b. Quarterly Budget Report

**ACTION ITEMS**

3. ADOPT POLICY REGARDING EMPLOYEE SUCCESSION PLANNING

**DISCUSSION ITEMS**

4. UPDATE REGARDING THE CALIFORNIA COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL AND ECONOMIC BALANCE (CCEEB) REGARDING MEMBERSHIP
5. MWDOC's FIRST DRAFT BUDGET FOR FY 2025-26

**INFORMATION ITEMS – (THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES ONLY – BACKGROUND INFORMATION IS INCLUDED IN THE PACKET. DISCUSSION IS NOT NECESSARY UNLESS REQUESTED BY A DIRECTOR.)**

6. SEMI-ANNUAL DIRECTORS ACTIVITIES REPORT
7. SEMI-ANNUAL OVERTIME REPORT
8. ANNUAL AUTO ALLOWANCE REPORT
9. DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES REPORTS
- a. Administration
  - b. Finance and Information Technology
10. MONTHLY WATER USAGE DATA AND WATER SUPPLY INFORMATION

**OTHER ITEMS**

11. REVIEW ISSUES REGARDING DISTRICT ORGANIZATION, PERSONNEL MATTERS, EMPLOYEE BENEFITS FINANCE AND INSURANCE

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