### **Board Meeting Agenda**

Russ Baggerly, Director Mary Bergen, Director Bill Hicks, Director Pete Kaiser, Director James Word, Director

#### CASITAS MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT October 24, 2012 3:00 P.M. – DISTRICT OFFICE

<u>Right to be heard</u>: Members of the public have a right to address the Board directly on any item of interest to the public which is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board. The request to be heard should be made immediately before the Board's consideration of the item. No action shall be taken on any item not appearing on the agenda unless the action is otherwise authorized by subdivision (b) of ¶54954.2 of the Government Code and except that members of a legislative body or its staff may briefly respond to statements made or questions posed by persons exercising their public testimony rights under section 54954.3 of the Government Code.

- 1. Public Comments
- 2. General Manager comments.
- 3. Board of Director comments.
- 4. Consent Agenda
  - a. Minutes of the October 10, 2012 Board Meeting.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Adopt Consent Agenda

- 5. Bills
- 6. Committee/Manager Reports
  - a. Executive Committee Minutes
  - b. Water Resources Committee Minutes
  - c. Personnel Committee Minutes
- 7. Recommend approval of Change Order No. 3 for the SDWR Grant Improvement Project-Pipe Bridge & Instrumentation Specification 11-344 in the amount of \$41,891.00.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Motion approving recommendation

8. Recommend approval of a purchase order to Dell Computers in the amount of \$30,345.41 for the purchase of four servers.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Motion approving recommendation

9. Recommend selection of candidate for LAFCo Runoff Election.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Motion selecting candidate

10. Adjournment

If you require special accommodations for attendance at or participation in this meeting, please notify our office 24 hours in advance at (805) 649-2251, ext. 113. (Govt. Code Section 54954.1 and 54954.2(a).

#### Minutes of the Casitas Municipal Water District Board Meeting Held October 10, 2012

A special meeting of the Board of Directors was held October 10, 2012 at Casitas' Office, Oak View, California. Directors Baggerly, Word, Hicks, Bergen and Kaiser were present. Also present were Steve Wickstrum, General Manager, Rebekah Vieira, Clerk of the Board, and Attorney, John Mathews. There was one staff member and one member of the public in attendance. President Baggerly led the group in the flag salute.

#### 1. <u>Public Comments</u>

None

#### 2. <u>General Manager comments</u>.

Mr. Wickstrum informed the board that there would be a shutdown on the Matilija Conduit on October 16<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. to replace some valves and install a fire hydrant. Mr. Wickstrum then explained that the voided checks on the bill list were voided due to an error on the part of the printing company.

#### 3. <u>Board of Director comments</u>.

Director Word asked if Casitas would be participating in the annual water symposium think tank. Mr. Wickstrum explained that Ron and I participated last year and were invited this morning.

#### 4. <u>Consent Agenda</u>

#### ADOPTED

- a. Minutes of the September 26, 2012 Board Meeting.
- Recommend approval of an invoice to Alliant Insurance Services in the amount of \$56,167.31 for the Special Liability Insurance Program.

Director Bergen suggested spelling out chemical toilets in the General Manager's comments and removing a capital letter.

The Consent Agenda was offered by Director Hicks, seconded by Director Bergen as amended and passed with Director Word abstaining on item a as he was not in attendance at that meeting.

#### 5. <u>Bills</u>

#### APPROVED

Director Word questioned #13607 and asked if this was a monthly charge. Mr. Wickstrum explained that this was one of three payments. On the motion of Director Bergen, seconded by Director Kaiser and passed, the bills were approved.

6. <u>Committee/Manager Reports</u>

APPROVED FOR FILING

- a. Water Resources Committee Minutes
- b. Recreation Committee Minutes

On the motion of Director Hicks, seconded by Director Kaiser and passed, the Committee/Manager Reports were approved for filing.

7. Recommend the approval of purchase of live rainbow trout from Chaulk Mound Trout Ranch in the amount of \$35,198.25. APPROVED

Ms. Belser pointed out the amount listed on the agenda is incorrect. The correct amount is \$34,198.25.

On the motion of Director Kaiser, seconded by Director Word and passed, the above recommendation was approved.

8. <u>Recommend awarding the 2013 Night Fishing Tournaments to Western</u> <u>Outdoor News Bass</u>. APPROVED

On the motion of Director Bergen, seconded by Director Kaiser and passed, the above recommendation was approved.

9. <u>Recommend approval of Change Order No. 1 for the Robles-Casitas</u> <u>Canal Replacement in the amount of \$16,200</u>. APPROVED

On the motion of Director Word, seconded by Director Bergen and passed, the above recommendation was approved.

10. Recommend approval of a purchase order to Consolidated Electrical Distributors in the not to exceed amount of \$153,881.16 for the purchase of electrical motor control centers and equipment for the Ojai Valley Pump Plant electrical upgrade project. APPROVED

On the motion of Director Word, seconded by Director Kaiser and passed, the above recommendation was approved.

11. Recommend approval of a purchase order for Industrial Coating and Restoration Services in the not to exceed amount of \$20,000 for the recoating of Casitas Dam intake track from elevation 552.60 to 540.20. APPROVED

On the motion of Director Kaiser, seconded by Director Bergen and passed, the above recommendation was approved.

#### 12. Information Items:

- a. Monthly Cost Analysis for operation of Robles, fisheries and fish passage.
- b. Monthly Cost Analysis for Ojai FLOW.
- c. Investment Report.

Director Hicks questioned the investment strategy that was listed on the investment report. Mr. Wickstrum explained that the Finance committee will review it. Director Word suggested looking for ways to reduce costs when the Fisheries Manager is here. Mr. Wickstrum said he could take a look at it.

On the motion of Director Kaiser, seconded by Director Hicks and passed, the Information items were approved for filing.

13. Adjournment

President Baggerly adjourned the meeting at 3:21 p.m.

Bill Hicks, Secretary

Check	Payee			Description	Amount
000363	Payables Fund Account	#	9759651478	Accounts Payable Batch 101112	\$60,842.01
000364	Payables Fund Account	#	9759651478	Accounts Payable Batch 101812	\$202,931.17
					\$263,773.18
000365	Payroll Fund Account	#	9469730919	Estimated Payroll 11/1/12	\$135,000.00
					\$135,000.00
				Total	\$398,773.18

Publication of check register is in compliance with Section 53065.6 of the Government Code which requires the District to disclose reimbursements to employees and/or directors.

The above numbered checks, 000363-000365 have been duly audited is hereby certified as correct.

Rebekah Vieira, Clerk of the Board

Signature

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### A/P Fund

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- 000364
   A/P Checks:
   013654-013744

   A/P Draft to P.E.R.S.
   101823

   A/P Draft to State of CA
   101822

   A/P Draft to I.R.S.
   101821

   Void:
   013704

The above numbered checks, have been duly audited are hereby certified as correct.

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Rebekah Vieira, Clerk of the Board

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### CERTIFICATION

Payroll disbursements for the pay period ending 10/13/12 Pay Date of 10/18/12 have been duly audited and are hereby certified as correct.

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\_\_\_\_\_ Rebekah Vieira

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00021	I-100812	AWA OF VENTURA COUNTY Waterwise Breakfast 10/18/12	R	10/09/2012	100.00		013640		100.00
01153	I-Aug 12 I-Sep 12	RUSS BAGGERLY Reimburse Mileage 8/12 Reimburse Mileage 9/12	R R	10/09/2012 10/09/2012	44.40 36.63		013641 013641		81.03
01616	1-100812	FRED BRENEMAN 9/30/12-10/13/12	R	10/09/2012	391.00		013642		391.00
00091	I-US0130699491	ERNST & YOUNG LLP Client#60028334	R	10/09/2012	902.00		013643		902.00
00667	I-68189	Kennedy/Jenks Consultants Services through 9/28/12	R	10/09/2012	309.00		013644		309.00
00497	I-Oct 12	SUSAN McMAHON Reimburse Expenses 10/12	R	10/09/2012	435.60		013645		435.60
00178	I-CTCB489258A	PARADISE CHEVROLET Balance due on Invoice	R	10/09/2012	38.21		013646		38.21
01944	1-100812	Luke Soholt Safety Boots	R	10/09/2012	170.00		013647		170.00
00215	1-100412	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON Acct#2269631768	R	10/09/2012	19.32		013648		19.32
01122	I-Oct 12	Suzi Taylor Reimburse Expenses 10/12	R	10/09/2012	401.15		013649		401.15
01985	I-101112	AFLAC/FLEX ONE Reimburse Medical 2012	R	10/11/2012	136.97		013650		136.97
00323	I-7084 9/29/12-9/29/13	ALLIANT INSURANCE SRVCS, INC Liability Insurance	R	10/11/2012	56,167.31		013651	56	5,167.31
01270	I-Sep 12	SCOTT LEWIS Reimburse Expenses 9/12	R	10/11/2012	1,520.42		013652	1	.,520.42
02202	I-418343	Stanley Pest Control Yellow Jacket Control WP	R	10/11/2012	170.00		013653		170.00

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	I-39734	Monthly LCRA Phone Bill	R	10/18/2012	744.34		013654		744.34
01325		Aflac Worldwide Headquarters							
	I-579435	Supplemental Insurance 10/12	R	10/18/2012	2,933.94		013655	:	2,933.94
00010		AIRGAS USA LLC							
	I-9008788044	Welding Supplies for Pipelines	R	10/18/2012	342.47		013656		
	I-9008975563	Supplies for Pipelines	R	10/18/2012	28.96		013656		
	I-9009132412	Gauge Covers for LCRA Maint	R	10/18/2012	4.70		013656		
	1-9009279626	Welding Materials for Maint	R	10/18/2012	32.90		013656		409.03
00014		AQUA-FLO SUPPLY							
	I-378065	Irrigation Parts, "A" & Coyote	R	10/18/2012	91.03		013657		
	I-381463	Plumbing & Conduit Supplies, TP	R	10/18/2012	121.86		013657		212.89
02179		Art Street Interactive							
	I-88793	Res Software, Hosting/Maint	R	10/18/2012	542.15		013658		542.15
01666		АТ & Т							
	C-000003740983	T-1 Line for Internet	R	10/18/2012	61.00CR		013659		
	I-000003742763 Acct#8310002969	T-1 Lines 306	R	10/18/2012	1,154.11		013659	:	1,093.11
00018		AT & T MOBILITY							
	I-829434088X10142012	PT Wildlife Biol Cell Phone	R	10/18/2012	7.10		013660		7.10
00020		AVENUE HARDWARE, INC							
	I-49542	Glazing for Dist Maint	R	10/18/2012	42.42		013661		
	I-49576	Flashlights for 0 & M Cust Svc	R	10/18/2012	64.24		013661		
	I-49734	Blades for Tree Saw, Maint	R	10/18/2012	13.42		013661		120.08
01677		AVENUE TV & COMMUNICATIONS							
	I-15008	Office Radio Antenna, LCRA	R	10/18/2012	85.75		013662		85.75
00021		AWA OF VENTURA COUNTY							
	I-101612	CCWUC Luncheon 10/24/12	R	10/18/2012	50.00		013663		
	I-101712	CCWUC Luncheon 10/24/12	R	10/18/2012	75.00		013663		125.00
09065		ERIC BEHRENDT							
	I-Oct 12	Reimburse Expenses 10/12	R	10/18/2012	85.10		013664		85.10
00821		BEST BEST & KRIEGER LLP							
	I-687859	Matter#82356.00002 9/30/12	R	10/18/2012	326.90		013665		326.90

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00054	I-1260721	CA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH Water System Fees, 7/11-6/12	R	10/18/2012	7,466.17		013667		7,466.17
00641	I-01131696	CA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH ELAP Annual Fee for Lab	R	10/18/2012	1,455.00		013668	:	1,455.00
00055	I-001407 I-Sep 12 I-Sep 12 Gas	CASITAS BOAT RENTALS Control Box Handle for Eq#130 Cafe Pass Revenue Gas for Boats at LCRA	R R R	10/18/2012 10/18/2012 10/18/2012	285.80 1,923.32 1,448.03		013669 013669 013669	:	3,657.15
00511	I-18390	Centers for Family Health Drug Tests	R	10/18/2012	157.00		013670		157.00
00062	I-9009665075 I-9009665105	CONSOLIDATED ELECTRICAL Gel Caps for O & M Cust Svc LED Modules, Treatment Plant	R R	10/18/2012 10/18/2012	235.09 119.00		013671 013671		354.09
00719	I-80615185	CORELOGIC INFORMATION SOLUTION Realquest Software Subscrip	R	10/18/2012	125.00		013672		125.00
01131	I-100312	COUNTY OF VENTURA, IRWM TRUST Year 5 & 6 Grant Admin,Snr Can	R	10/18/2012	4,000.00		013673		4,000.00
01001	I-119775 I-119778 I-120034	CUSTOM PRINTING Parking Passes for LCRA Day Use Hang Tags, LCRA Vessel Survey Form, LCRA	R R R	10/18/2012 10/18/2012 10/18/2012	534.42 773.49 132.72		013674 013674 013674	:	1,440.63
01856	C-65730A D-65730A I-65730	DATA FLOW Accrue Use Tax Accrue Use Tax Yellow Door Hangers	R R R	10/18/2012 10/18/2012 10/18/2012	31.03CR 31.03 470.00		013675 013675 013675		470.00
02480	I-1209127	David Taussig & Associates Project#12-00046.000 9/12	R	10/18/2012	11,285.53		013676	1:	1,285.53
00081	I-23210091 I-23210092	DELTA LIQUID ENERGY Fill Propane Tank, LCRA Office Fill Propane Tank, Maint	R R	10/18/2012 10/18/2012	97.66 265.16		013677 013677		362.82

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10106	I-RPI58012294	DeZURIK/Apco Air Scour Valve, TP	R	10/18/2012	1,177.61		013678		1,177.61
00095		FAMCON PIPE & SUPPLY		,,	_,				_,_,
00095	I-145051	Replacement Valves, Pipeline	R	10/18/2012	628.49		013679		
	1-145129	Replace Valves, Pipelines	R	10/18/2012	448.31		013679		
	I-145276	New Gate Valves, Pupperines	R	10/18/2012	965.25		013679		
	I-145277	New Gate Valves, Pump Plants	R	10/18/2012	2,107.46		013679		4,149.51
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00093	T 004016107	FEDERAL EXPRESS	-	10/10/0010	<b>CO. DO</b>				
	1-204016197	Ship Audit Binder to Fedak	R	10/18/2012	60.32		013680		
	I-204760573	Ship Docs for Mgmt	R	10/18/2012	22.13		013680		82.45
00013		FERGUSON ENTERPRISES INC #1083							
	I-0418839	Backflow for Picnic 8	R	10/18/2012	471.90		013681		471.90
00099		FGL ENVIRONMENTAL							
00000	I-208726A	Chlorophyll Analysis 8/28/12	R	10/18/2012	332.00		013682		
	I-208727A	Nutrient Analysis 8/28/12	R	10/18/2012	1,524.40		013682		
	I-209524A	Wet Chemistry-NO3	R	10/18/2012	18.00		013682		
	I-209525A	Wet Chemistry-NO3	R	10/18/2012	61.00		013682		
	I-209798A	Metals, Total-Mn	R	10/18/2012	70.00		013682		
	I-209802A	Wet Chemistry-NO3	R	10/18/2012	18.00		013682		2,023.40
00103		FRANK'S ROOTER & PUMPING							
00103	I-86546	Snake Out Camp F-17/19	R	10/18/2012	345.00		013683		345.00
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00104		FRED'S TIRE MAN							
	1-61485	Flat Repair Eq#16, O&M CS	R	10/18/2012	15.00		013684		15.00
00106		FRONTIER PAINT							
	I-F170054	Painting Supplies for LCRA	R	10/18/2012	23.69		013685		23.69
00485		FRUIT GROWERS SUPPLY COMPANY							
00400	I-91112202	Raingear for Dist Maint Crew	R	10/18/2012	156.80		013686		156.80
01280	- 400000	FRY'S ELECTRONICS, INC.	-	10/10/0010	59.25		012607		59.25
	I-4700337	Replace Wireless Access Point	R	10/18/2012	59.25		013687		59.25
00107		FULLER PAINT & GLASS							
	I-88707	Lead Test Kit, Casitas Dam	R	10/18/2012	28.95		013688		28.95
02479		Artak Gabuzyan							
52375	1-100812	Camping Refund Fee	R	10/18/2012	35.00		013689		35.00
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02158	I-3484841	Google, Inc. Additional Usage	R	10/18/2012	7.58		013691		7.58
00115	I-9937284553	GRAINGER, INC Safety Helmet for Dist Maint	R	10/18/2012	79.23		013692		79.23
00356	I-Oct 12	Ken Grinnell Reimburse Expenses 10/15	R	10/18/2012	107.23		013693		107.23
00121	I-7966017	HACH COMPANY Reagents for Lab	R	10/18/2012	359.00		013694		359.00
01052	I-178373	HARBOR FREIGHT TOOLS USA, INC Trailer Light Kit for #211	R	10/18/2012	23.58		013695		23.58
01594	1-65110967001	HIGHWAY TECHNOLOGIES, INC. Barricade Tape for LCRA	R	10/18/2012	230.81		013696		230.81
00894	1-5184943000105	HOSE-MAN, INC. Hose Repair Kit for Pipelines	R	10/18/2012	64.92		013697		64.92
00125	I-262988507	IDEXX DISTRIBUTION CORP Vessels for Lab	R	10/18/2012	151.36		013698		151.36
00127	I-00130189	INDUSTRIAL BOLT & SUPPLY Bolts for Manway at Ave #1 PP	R	10/18/2012	98.84		013699		98.84
00872	I-4350	Irrisoft, Inc. Weather Station Signal	R	10/18/2012	79.00		013700		79.00
00131	1-563019	JCI JONES CHEMICALS, INC Chlorine for TP, CM#563044	R	10/18/2012	1,770.00		013701	:	1,770.00
00149	1-6695589001	MCJUNKIN RED MAN CORPORATION Blind Flanges for Pipelines	R	10/18/2012	79.24		013702		79.24
00151	C-517819 I-516278 I-516429 I-516720 I-517091 I-517455 I-517488	MEINERS OAKS ACE HARDWARE Posts Returned Pipe Straps for Canal Drains Pressure Gage, Blades, Dst Mnt Silica Sand for Pipelines Air Filters for A/C Unit,Maint Paint and Screws for Maint Extn Cord, Posts for Fisheries	R R R	10/18/2012 10/18/2012 10/18/2012 10/18/2012 10/18/2012 10/18/2012 10/18/2012	20.46CR 16.51 22.60 96.42 18.40 42.86 58.17		013703 013703 013703 013703 013703 013703 013703		

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01157	I-26285	MURCAL, INC. Pressure Gage for OVPP	R	10/18/2012	205.99		013705		205.99
01102	I-INV00043039	NIAGARA CONSERVATION CORP. Aerator for Water Conservation	R	10/18/2012	862.06		013706		862.06
01570	I-255647	Ojai Auto Supply LLC Tail Light for #54, Maint	R	10/18/2012	37.53		013707		37.53
00912	I-7873	OJAI BUSINESS CENTER, INC Ojai Day Coupons, Shipping	R	10/18/2012	39.93		013708		39.93
00165	I-2438787	OJAI LUMBER CO, INC Contact Cement for PP	R	10/18/2012	5.78		013709		5.78
00602	I-42031 I-42079	OJAI TRUE VALUE Keys for LCRA Stain for Office, LCRA Maint	R R	10/18/2012 10/18/2012	5.36 6.42		013710 013710		11.78
00167	I-072712 I-080712	OJAI VALLEY FAMILY MEDICAL GRP DMV Physical Acct 169800 DMV Physical Acct#176760	R R	10/18/2012 10/18/2012	160.00 120.00		013711 013711		280.00
00473	I-33183	OJAI VALLEY GLASS Clips for Warehouse Windows	R	10/18/2012	12.87		013712		12.87
00169	I-14948	OJAI VALLEY SANITARY DISTRICT Cust#52921 Sewer Service	R	10/18/2012	50.21		013713		50.21
00383	I-109073	ON DUTY UNIFORMS & EQUIPMENT Uniforms for APSO	R	10/18/2012	55.77		013714		55.77

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#### CASITAS MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT Inter-Office Memorandum

DATE: October 9, 2012

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: General Manager, Steve Wickstrum

Re: Executive Committee Meeting of October 9, 2012

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that the Board of Directors receive and file this report.

#### MEETING:

1.	<u>Roll Call</u> .	Directors Baggerly and Word
		General Manager Steve Wickstrum
		Staff – Ron Merckling

2. **Public Comments.** None.

#### 3. Board/Manager comments.

The General Manager provided news that a runoff election is requested by LAFCO for two candidates. This item will be moved to the Board.

The General Manager reported that the Farm Bureau and the Association of Water Agencies of Ventura County are planning to have their bus tour of Ventura County water projects on November 7, 2012. The tour will stop at Casitas Dam at approximately 2:45PM. It was suggested that the tour go to the Lake Casitas Recreation Area. The response to the suggestion is that the dam tour is preferred and that this may be an alternate if it is raining on that day.

The General Manager commented that staff will pursue further discussions with the Bureau of Reclamation on the management of the Teague Memorial Watershed. The Directors commented on the positive impact that funding assistance from Reclamation will have at the Lake Casitas Recreation Area.

The General Manager informed the Committee of the dates for Ojai Day and the Native Plants seminar, October 20 and 27, respectively.

#### 4. Update on Senior Canyon Project.

The General Manager and Ron Merckling informed that Committee that the project has had a few change orders due to construction of the bridge bases and conflict with a neighbor's asphalt project. The contractor is waiting for the metalwork to be completed for the pipe span supports. The pipeline replacement is scheduled for completion by December 14<sup>th</sup>. The additional control and monitoring features are being specified and readied for bid. The last date for application for reimbursement from the State is March 1, 2013.

### 5. Update on State Water.

The General Manager reported that Casitas and Ventura Water will be investigating opportunities to temporarily transfer their respective State Water entitlements and temporarily lessen the financial burden to local property owners. The General Manager will also inform United Water Conservation District and the County of the proposed activity. United WCD has been approached to consider the transfer to United WCD, but there are many difficulties in moving the water into their service area.

#### 6. Update on the City Ventura Agreement.

The City is in review of Casitas' draft agreement and may provide a response within the week. If there is not a timely response from the City, the action will be moved to Committee for further renegotiation of the agreement.

#### 7. Additional Recoating of the Casitas Dam Intake Structure.

The Committee reviewed the request by Bob Monnier to provide funding for additional coating work on the Casitas Dam intake structure. The additional structure has been exposed since the last coating work that was done in the spring of 2012. The structural elements do not have a lead based paint coating. The committee recognized that the structure elements need coating before being submerged again by the winter rising water in Lake Casitas.

#### 8. Update on Villanova Main Hit and Contractor's response.

The District received a letter from the contractor and the District responded to the letter, providing an additional 15 days to reimburse the District for the expenses incurred by the contractor's damage to the Villanova Main. Counsel has reviewed the letters.

#### CASITAS MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT Inter-Office Memorandum

DATE: October 16, 2012

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: General Manager, Steve Wickstrum

Re: Water Resources Committee Meeting of October 15, 2012

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that the Board of Directors receive and file this report.

#### BACKGROUND AND OVERVIEW:

1. <u>**Roll Call**</u>. Director Baggerly and Director Hicks. General Manager Steve Wickstrum Staff – Ron Merckling and Susan McMahon

#### 2. **Public Comments**. None.

#### 3. Board Comments. None

#### 4. Manager Comments.

Ron Merckling informed the Committee of staff participation at Ojai Day, October 20<sup>th</sup>, and a native plant workshop on October 27<sup>th</sup>.

#### 5. Bureau of Reclamation Final Closeout Review – Reclamation Reform Act.

The General Manager reported that the Bureau will be conducting a final closeout review on October 22<sup>nd</sup>, which could lead to the granting of an exemption from the reporting requirements of the Reclamation Reform Act (RRA). The RRA requires each agricultural landholder to report landholdings on an annual basis. Once the final payment is made on the repayment contract, an exemption can be considered by the Bureau, as long as there are no other unresolved RRA issues between the District and the Bureau. The process is likely to take longer than the next reporting cycle, therefore the District is proceeding with the 2012 reporting by the agricultural landholders. The Committee will be updated as progress is known.

#### 6. Discussion on TMDL for Pumping and diversion Impairments.

The Committee discussed the direction to decline the offer to develop a memorandum of agreement for the impairment TMDL. A letter from the water agencies and major well pumpers has been sent to the Regional Water Quality Control Board representative, Shirley Birosik. More action will be forthcoming as EPA develops the TMDL.

#### 7. Update on Regional Water Status.

The General Manager informed the Committee that three of the major groundwater purveyors are experiencing low storage conditions and relying more heavily on Casitas water supply. The water demand condition is typical of a low rainfall year, such as year 2007. It was noted that the City of Ventura seemed to be evenly pacing their Casitas water purchase during the past few summer months, as compared to last 2011's high demand during the summer months. It was further noted that Meiners Oaks Water District experienced a 27% reduction of water demand after notifying its customers of a water shortage. This was an excellent response from the customers of MOWD.

#### 8. Update on Lake Water Quality Study.

Susan McMahon, laboratory Supervisor, discussed the draft report prepared by Flow Science, Inc., concerning the evaluation of the Lake Casitas aeration system. The report has focused on the evolution of the aeration system and directed toward the improvement of water quality in Lake Casitas. The key issue identified was the enlargement of the anoxic zone, comprising a larger volume of low dissolved oxygen that causes a release of phosphorus from lake sediment, resulting in nutrients that promote lake algae. The recent lake algae blooms have caused temporary reductions in filtration rates. The study discusses several options for reducing the anoxic zone which will be considered for implementation by the district.

Upon receipt of a final report, Susan will be presenting the report to the Board of Directors.

#### CASITAS MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT Inter-Office Memorandum

DATE:	October	10	2012
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TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Assistant to GM, Rebekah Vieira

RE: Personnel Committee meeting on October 8, 2012

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that the Board of Directors receive and file this report.

#### MEETING:

- Roll Call. Directors Bergen and Kaiser General Manager Steve Wickstrum Staff – Rebekah Vieira, Mark Passamani, Todd Evans, Suzi Taylor, John Parlee SEIU – Danny Carrillo
- 2. **Public Comments**. None.
- 3. Board/Manager Comments. None

#### 4. <u>Summary of CMWD Safety Program</u>.

Safety Officer Mark Passamani provided his summary of the safety program and explained that there is now more participation in the safety programs. The district has been using an online safety training program combined with tailgate sessions and training that is pertinent to a particular area of the organization. There is still room for improvement. Staff has been working with contractors ensuring they are following their safety guidelines. Safety policies are being reviewed and there is good management and supervisor support for safety.

#### 5. Special Liability Insurance Program Invoice.

The Assistant to the General Manager reported that the liability insurance policy renewal invoice is \$56,167.31 and while it increased slightly from last year it is still less than the cost in 2007. This item is moved to the Board for approval.

#### 6. <u>Summary of Pension Reform Provisions</u>.

The Assistant to the General Manager provided information regarding Pension Reform. Effective January 1, 2013 new members to PERS will be required to pay at least a 50% share of normal costs. The state has set a standard of 50% cost sharing for all current members but this does not take effect immediately

and is subject to collective bargaining. Compensation that counts towards pension benefits will be capped at \$132,120 for new members. After January 1, 2013 the ability to purchase additional years of service, also known as airtime has been eliminated. There are new limits on post-retirement public employment including a 180 day sit-out period before a retiree could return to work for a maximum of 120 days.

#### 7. Open Enrollment for ACWA JPIA Plans.

If employees need to make any changes to their insurance plans they may do so in open enrollment. All forms will need to be returned no later than November 30, 2012. The Anthem Blue Cross PPO plan increased by 8.45%, the Anthem CaliforniaCare HMO increased 3.7% and Kaiser increased 1.2%. The Delta Dental plan experienced a 2.01% increase. Vision and EAP did not have any increases.

There are some changes that were implemented including coverage for women's preventative services which are covered at 100% as a result of the Affordable Care Act. Vasectomy services will also be covered at 100%. Autism/PPD Coverage has been expanded and the Pre-Existing condition exclusion for adults was eliminated which will be mandated in 2014 by the ACA.

Information on Open Enrollment will be e-mailed to employees.

#### 8. AFLAC's change to Wage Works for section 125 plan.

The Assistant to the General Manager explained that AFLAC has purchased a company called Wage Works who will be handling the Section 125 plans in the future. These plans include reimbursement for dependent day care and reimbursement for unreimbursed medical expenses.

#### CASITAS MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

**TO:** STEVE WICKSTRUM, GENERAL MANAGER

FROM: NEIL COLE, CIVIL ENGINEER

**SUBJECT:** APPROVE CHANGE ORDER NO.3 FOR THE SDWR GRANT IMPROVEMENT PROJECT-PIPE BRIDGE & INSTRUMENTATION, SPECIFICATION 11-344 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$41,891.

**DATE:** OCTOBER 10, 2012

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that the Board of Directors approve Change Order No. 3 for the SDWR Grant Improvement Project-Pipe Bridge & Instrumentation, Specification 11-344 in the amount of \$41,891.00.

#### **BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION:**

In 2007, Casitas and Senior Canyon Mutual Water Company entered into an agreement to pursue a grant through the Watersheds Coalition of Ventura County for Proposition 50 grant funds to replace an aging pipe bridge and improve Senior Canyon Mutual Water Company's instrumentation.

The Board awarded a contract to Toro Enterprises in the amount of \$515,200 to construct the pipe bridge portion of the project at the February 22, 2012 meeting. The contractor has experienced some unforeseen conditions during construction. This has resulted in two previously approved change orders to construct a temporary pipeline and a retaining structure.

The contractor has encountered additional unforeseen conditions. These include additional excavation, rebar and concrete for two of the concrete bridge anchors and delays caused by issues beyond the contractor's scope of work. This includes having to demobilize to allow the homeowner to pave the road, nesting birds and delays in submittal review.

Construction management and inspection for this project are provided under separate contract by Water Resources Engineering Associates (WREA). WREA has reviewed the requests for change orders with Casitas staff and both believe the change orders are justified. The change order breakdown is

Change	Change	Change Order Description
Order No.	Order	
	Amount	
1	\$9037.00	Construct temporary highline pipe
2	\$6790.00	Construct earth retaining structure
3	\$41,891.00	Additional excavation, rebar and concrete due to differing site conditions
		and delays not caused by the contractor
Total	\$57,718.00	

If Change Order No. 3 is approved, the total contract amount will be \$572,918. There is sufficient grant funding to pay for the change orders. However, this will reduce the available funds to complete much needed instrumentation improvements to Senior Canyon Mutual Water Company's system.

#### CASITAS MUNICIPAL WATTER DISTRICT CHANGE ORDER NO. 3

DATE: October 17, 2012

	DATE: October 17, 20
PROJECT: SDWR Grant Improvements-Pipe Bridge	Specification No. 11-344
CONTRACTOR: Toro Enterprises	
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 6285, Oxnard, CA 93031	

ITEM	DESCRIPTION OF WORK	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL
1	Extra work, labor, materials and miscellaneous items required to complete two bridge anchors because of differing site conditions. Extra work, labor, materials and miscellaneous items related to delays and re-mobilization for conditions not caused by the	LS	\$37,500.00
2	contractor. Total	LS	<u>\$ 4391.00</u> <b>\$41,891.00</b>

#### TOTAL AMOUNT OF CHANGE ORDER NO. 3

#### **ORIGINAL CONTRACT AMOUNTS**

## PREVIOUS APPROVED CHANGE ORDERS AMOUNT

NEW CONTRACT AMOUNT

#### EXTENSION OF CONTRACT TIME -0- DAYS

#### CASITAS MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT

APPROVED:\_\_\_\_\_

Russ Baggerly President of the Board

#### ACCEPTED: TORO ENTERPRISES

By:\_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

Name Printed\_\_\_\_\_

<u>\$41,891.00</u>

\$515,200.00

\$15,827.00 \$ 572,918.00

#### CASITAS MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT Interdepartmental Memorandum

**Date:** October 11, 2012

To: Steve Wickstrum, General Manager

From: Kevin Nguyen, Information System/Network Administrator

#### Subject: Incode / File Servers Replacement

**Recommendations:** I recommend that the Board of Directors approve the purchase order to Dell Computers in the amount of \$30,345.41.

**Background:** Casitas' current servers are running Accounting software and network file sharing. These severs are five years old while the industry standard is to replace them every three years. The current servers are no longer compatible with the new version of Tyler Technology (Accounting software vendor) system. In order to upgrade to the newer version of accounting software, current servers and software need to be replaced. I have budgeted \$30,000.00 to purchase four new servers for this project.

We currently have four servers that I recommend to replace as follows:

- 1. Incode server runs Accounting software and online bill payments per Tyler Technology requirements.
- 2. File sharing server runs Windows 2008 server software, network file sharing throughout District, and daily backup of Casitas' important documents.
- 3. Terminal server runs new remote connection software that allows remote locations (Recreation, Treatment Plant, etc...) to connect to the new Accounting software.
- 4. Domain controller server runs Windows 2008 server software.

	Incode	File Share	Terminal	Domain	Total
Dell	\$10,176.39	\$10,176.39	\$4,598.41	\$4,868.65	\$30,345.41
CompuWave	\$10,698.19	\$10,698.19	\$4,584.94	\$4,584.94	\$30,566.25
Oasis	\$13,202.90	\$13,202.90	\$8,707.33	\$9,367.71	\$44,480.85

• Included taxes and shipping as applicable.

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### RUNOFF ELECTION SPECIAL DISTRICT ALTERNATE MEMBER

October 1, 2012

Chair of the Board Casitas Municipal Water District 1055 Ventura Avenue Oak View, CA 93022

#### RE: RUNOFF ELECTION – Ventura LAFCo Independent Special District Alternate Member

Dear Chair of the Board:

As you may recall, the ballots to select a new LAFCo alternate special district member were due on September 28, 2012. A total of 19 ballots were received and, based on the votes cast among the five candidates, no candidate received a majority of the votes of the quorum. Pursuant to the Rules and Regulations of the Ventura County Independent Special District Selection Committee (ISDSC), "A candidate shall be deemed elected upon receiving a majority of the votes of a quorum of the ISDSC. Should no candidate receive a majority vote, the two candidates receiving the highest number of votes shall than be voted upon." In this case, the two candidates who received the highest number of votes are Elaine Freeman and Mary Anne Rooney.

Similar to the previous election process, the runoff election will be conducted by mail in accordance with Government Code §56332 and the Ventura County ISDSC Rules and Regulations. Enclosed please find an Official Runoff Ballot and a copy of each candidate's statement. All ballots must be received in the LAFCo office by 5:00 P.M., Friday, November 30, 2012.

In the event that your governing board meeting schedule may not allow for completion of your district's ballot by the November 30 deadline for whatever reason, please note that LAFCo special district members are to be selected by the *Independent Special District Selection Committee*, which is defined by state law as the "presiding officer of the legislative body of each independent special district" (Government Code §56325 and §56332). Neither LAFCo law nor the Brown Act requires that the presiding officer of the legislative body of a special district make his or her selection under Government Code section 56332 at a public meeting or obtain the approval of the legislative body before making the selection. Therefore, unless your district's enabling statutes or other laws or local rules and policies require it, you as the presiding officer may be able to cast your vote

Chair of the Board, Casitas Municipal Water Dist. RUNOFF ELECTION –Ventura LAFCo Special District Alternate Member October 1, 2012 Page 2

in the runoff election without first holding a public meeting. Thus, if you determine that this option is available to you, it would allow for a more expeditious way to cast your ballot.

There are 29 independent special districts eligible to vote in this election and at least 15 districts must return completed Ballots to achieve a quorum. In the event of a tie, the ISDSC Rules and Regulations provide that a random drawing shall be conducted by the LAFCo Executive Officer and the Secretary/Recording Officer of the ISDSC or his/her designee to select the winning candidate.

Please keep the following points in mind as you cast your vote and return the ballot to LAFCo:

- Please vote for only one candidate.
- The ballot must be signed by the district president/ chair or presiding officer.
- To ensure proof of delivery, we strongly recommend that you return your ballot via CERTIFIED MAIL to the Ventura LAFCo at the address listed above.
- BALLOTS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 5 P.M. FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2012
- Ballots received after Friday, November 30, 2012 at 5:00 p.m. will not be counted.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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Kim Uhlich Executive Officer

Enclosures

c: General Manager

# OFFICIAL RUNOFF BALLOT

INDEPENDENT SPECIAL DISTRICT SELECTION COMMITTEE Alternate Member to the Ventura LAFCO

### **Casitas Municipal Water District**

This is the official ballot for the runoff election to select **one** Special District Alternate Member to the Ventura LAFCo for a four-year term starting January 1, 2013 and ending January 1, 2015. The election consists of the two candidates listed below (in alphabetical order).

### VOTE FOR ONLY ONE CANDIDATE

A minimum of 15 qualified votes must be returned by the deadline to establish a quorum. In the event of a tie, the Rules and Regulations of the Ventura County Independent Special District Selection Committee (ISDSC) provide that a random drawing shall be conducted by the LAFCo Executive Officer and the Secretary/Recording Officer of the ISDSC or his/her designee to select the winning candidate.

<u>PLEASE RETURN THIS SIGNED BALLOT, VIA CERTIFIED MAIL</u> to the Ventura LAFCo, 800 S. Victoria Avenue, Ventura, CA 93009-1850. All Ballots <u>MUST</u> be signed by the Presiding Officer and received by 5 P.M. Friday, November 30, 2012 to be considered.

As the President, Chair, or Presiding Officer, I duly certify that the Casitas Municipal Water District does hereby cast its ballot as follows:

(Please mark the box next to the name of **one** candidate to cast the District's vote)

Elaine Freeman	Rancho Simi Recreation and Park District
Mary Anne Rooney	Oxnard Harbor District

Board President/Chair (Print Name)

Board President/Chair (Signature)

Date



Dear Special District Members:

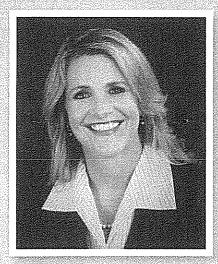
The Ventura County LAFCO plays a very important role in our communities, and it has been my privilege to serve as a LAFCO Commissioner. I was elected to serve the remaining term of a previous commissioner. My term in this position concludes at the end of this year. I would love to continue my involvement with LAFCO as the next alternate independent special district representative. In addition to my now acquired experience serving as a LAFCO Commissioner, my qualifications include both public and private experience including serving as a Board member on the Rancho Simi Recreation Park District since 2003.

I also currently serve as Vice President of the Ventura County Special District's Association ("VCSDA"), as a member of the California Special District's ("CSDA") Legislative Committee, and as a member of the Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy Advisory Committee. I am also owner of Urban Strategies, a land use and government policy consulting firm, which was recognized as business of the year by the Simi Valley Chamber of Commerce in 2004. I am very proud to have been selected as the 38<sup>th</sup> Assembly District Woman of the Year for 2002 by State Assemblyman Keith Richman, M.D. and was awarded the Strathearn Lifetime Achievement Award by the Simi Valley Chamber of Commerce. I would very much appreciate the opportunity to continue my service to special districts as the next alternate independent special district representative, and respectfully ask for your vote.

Elaine Freeman Board Member, Rancho Simi Recreation and Park District

# MARY ANNE ROONEY

Mediator, Businesswoman, Public Servant Mary Anne Rooney would bring broad talent and experience to LAFCo



#### **EDUCATION & EXPERIENCE**

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Bachelor's Degree, UCSB Master's Degree, Azusa Pacific University Certificate in Mediation and Dispute Resolution, UCSB California Special District Leadership Academy Certified Small Business Development Center Export Consultant

#### **ELECTED OFFICE**

TRUSTEE, Ventura County Community College District COMMISSIONER, Oxnard Harbor District, Port of Hueneme

#### SERVICE

Association of Pacific Ports American Association of Port Authorities Economic Development Committee Oxnard Sister City Committee World Affairs Council

#### AWARDS

Top 50 Women in Business 2010-2011-2012 (Pacific Coast Business Times)

#### MARY ANNE ROONEY AN ACCOMPLISHED PUBLIC SERVANT AND EFFECTIVE COLLABORATOR WHO TRULY UNDERSTANDS LAFCO

The Port of Hueneme, governed by the Oxnard Harbor District, holds a unique role in the jurisdiction of Ventura LAFCo. The LAFCo boundaries of the Port include the spheres of influence for the cities of Port Hueneme and Oxnard while the economic benefits of the Port reach across the County and beyond. The Port generates more than 1,500 jobs and creates a \$200 million local impact. It trades \$7 billion in commodities globally. Serving on the Commission, District Commissioner Mary Anne Rooney will bring this critical perspective to the table. She is a respected leader, an accomplished business person and is well regarded for her strong ability to collaborate with those she serves both in her public and professional roles.

Commissioner Rooney's driving focus remains business and opportunity development and encouragement for entrepreneurs. Having more than 20 years business experience in public, private and non-profit industries she brings a unique background and expertise in strategic planning, project development and marketing, utilizing her skills as a Certified Mediator. In 2011, through the counseling, training, and mentoring provided by Mary Anne, two of her clients were recipients of an SBA Spirit of Small Business Award, and four clients had a published Success Story through the SBDC network.

#### ENDORSEMENTS

"Mary Anne Rooney would be a terrific LAFCo alternate commissioner. She has a broad view of the County through the eyes of someone who has worked in the private sector, the education sector and the government sector. No one else has such a varied and extensive background."

Judy Cofer, Former President, Ventura County Special Districts Association



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