

# The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California

# Agenda

The mission of the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California is to provide its service area with adequate and reliable supplies of high-quality water to meet present and future needs in an environmentally and economically responsible way.

## **EI&A Committee**

T. McCoy, Chair  
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## **Equity, Inclusion, and Affordability Committee - Final**

Meeting with Board of Directors \*

**September 24, 2024**

**2:00 p.m.**

**Tuesday, September 24,  
2024**

**09:00 a.m. Pure Water  
11:30 a.m. Break  
12:00 p.m. EXEC  
02:00 p.m. EIA**

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**3008 W. 82nd Place • Inglewood, CA 90305**

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- 1. Opportunity for members of the public to address the committee on matters within the committee's jurisdiction (As required by Gov. Code Section 54954.3(a))**

**\*\* CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS -- ACTION \*\***

**2. CONSENT CALENDAR OTHER ITEMS - ACTION**

- A. Approval of the Minutes of the Equity, Inclusion, and Affordability Committee for July 9, 2024 (Copies have been submitted to each Director, Any additions, corrections, or omissions) [21-3829](#)

**Attachments:** [09242024 EIA 2A \(07092024\) Minutes](#)

**3. CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS - ACTION**

NONE

**\*\* END OF CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS \*\***

**4. OTHER BOARD ITEMS - ACTION**

NONE

**5. BOARD INFORMATION ITEMS**

NONE

**6. COMMITTEE ITEMS**

- a. State of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion [21-3832](#)

**Attachments:** [09242024 EIA 6a, 6b, 6c, and 6d Presentation](#)

- b. Civil and Inclusive Workplace Training [21-3831](#)

- c. Annual Update on Small Business [21-3833](#)

- d. Focus on Disability Inclusion [21-3834](#)

**Attachments:** [09242024 EIA 6d.2 Presentation Disability and Accommodations Process](#)  
[09242024 EIA 6d3 Presentation](#)

**7. MANAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENTS AND HIGHLIGHTS**

- a. Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion activities [21-3830](#)

**Attachments:** [09242024 EIA 7a Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Activities](#)

**8. FOLLOW-UP ITEMS**

NONE

## **9. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

## **10. ADJOURNMENT**

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