

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.

E&O Committee

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Engineering and Operations Committee

Meeting with Board of Directors *

July 12, 2022

9:30 a.m.

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Tuesday, July 12, 2022 Meeting Schedule

9:30 am - E&O
10:30 am - RP&AM
11:00 am - OP&T
12:00 pm - L&C
1:00 pm - C&L
1:30 pm - WP&S
3:00 pm - BOD

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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 Meeting of the Engineering and Operations Committee held June 13, 2022 [21-1301](#)

Attachments: [07122022 EO 2A Minutes](#)

3. **CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS - ACTION**

- 7-1** Amend the Capital Investment Plan for fiscal years 2022/2023 and 2023/2024 to include replacement of an expansion joint on the Upper Feeder at the Santa Ana River Bridge; and determine that there is a need to continue the emergency action of executing a no bid contract for the expansion joint replacement (Requires four-fifths vote of the Board); the General Manager has determined that the proposed action is exempt or otherwise not subject to CEQA. [21-1296](#)

Attachments: [07122022 EO 7-1 B-L](#)
[07122022 EO 7-1 Presentation](#)

- 7-2** Adopt the CEQA determination that the proposed action has been previously addressed in the certified 2015 Final EIR, related CEQA actions, and Addendum No. 3; and award \$25,972,700 contract to Mladen Buntich Construction Company, Inc. for Stage 3 rehabilitation of the Etiwanda Pipeline [21-1297](#)

Attachments: [07122022 EO 7-2 B-L](#)
[07122022 EO 7-2 Presentation](#)

- 7-3** Authorize an agreement with Jacobs Engineering Group, Inc., for a not-to-exceed amount of \$700,000 to perform final design of security upgrades at the Joseph Jensen Water Treatment Plant; the General Manager has determined that the proposed action is exempt or otherwise not subject to CEQA [21-1298](#)

Attachments: [07122022 EO 7-3 B-L](#)
[07122022 EO 7-3 Presentation](#)

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

4. OTHER BOARD ITEMS - ACTION

NONE

5. BOARD INFORMATION ITEMS

NONE

6. COMMITTEE ITEMS

- a.** Update on Drought Initiatives for State Water Dependent Areas [21-1308](#)

Attachments: [07122022 EO 6a Presentation](#)

7. MANAGEMENT REPORTS

- a. Water System Operations Manager's Report [21-1302](#)

Attachments: [07122022 EO 7a Presentation](#)

- b. Engineering Services Manager's Report [21-1303](#)

Attachments: [07122022 EO 7b Presentation](#)

8. FOLLOW-UP ITEMS

NONE

9. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

10. ADJOURNMENT

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