



## **Office of the General Counsel**





## **Other Matters**

#### **Finance**

On May 19, 2021, Metropolitan remarketed its \$80,000,000 Subordinate Water Revenue Bonds, 2017 Series C, \$95,630,000 Subordinate Water Revenue Refunding Bonds, 2017 Series D, and \$95,625,000 Subordinate Water Revenue Refunding Bonds, 2017 Series E. Legal Department staff attorneys worked with Finance, Engineering, and Water Resources staff and disclosure counsel to prepare Appendix A and with bond counsel to prepare bond documents.

Metropolitan and TD Bank, N.A. executed four separate Standby Bond Purchase Agreements, each dated June 1, 2021, to provide liquidity support for Metropolitan's Special Variable Rate Water Revenue Refunding Bonds 2016 Series B-1, 2016 Series B-2, 2018 Series B-1, and 2018 Series B-2. Legal Department staff attorneys worked with Finance staff, bank counsel and outside bond counsel to negotiate and deliver the agreements. The new Standby Bond Purchase Agreements required the preparation of two separate supplements to the original Official Statements and Legal Department staff attorneys worked with Finance, Engineering and Water Resources staff to prepare the official statement used to remarket the Bonds.

On June 16, 2021, Metropolitan issued \$222,160,000 of Variable Rate Subordinate Water Revenue Refunding Bonds, 2021 Series A (Variable Rate Bonds). Legal Department staff attorneys worked with Finance, Engineering and Water Resources staff to prepare the official statement used to market the Bonds and assisted outside bond and disclosure counsel with the drafting and negotiation of several contracts and closing certificates.

On June 23, 2021, Metropolitan sold \$98,410,000 of Water Revenue Refunding Bonds, 2021 Series B (Bonds). The Bonds were issued to refund portions of three separate series of bonds originally issued from 2011 to 2017 and realize debt service savings. Total present value debt service savings for Metropolitan was \$21.9 million. The Bonds will also prepay \$35,645,000 of outstanding RBC Short-Term Revolving Notes issued on June 30, 2021. During a 4-month process, Legal Department staff attorneys worked with Finance, Engineering and Water Resources staff to prepare the official statement used to market the Bonds and assisted outside bond and disclosure counsel with the drafting and negotiation of several contracts and closing certificates.

## **Matters Received by the Legal Department**

<u>Category</u>	Received	<u>Description</u>		
Action in which MWD is a party	1	Complaint for Breach of Contract, filed in Los Angeles County Superior Court, in the case <i>Baker Electric, Inc. v. MWD</i> , Case No 21STCV15612, in which plaintiff alleges breach of contract claims relating to Baker's contract with MWD for the Colorado River Aqueduct Pumping Plants 6.9kV Power Cable Replacement		
Requests Pursuant to	12	Requestor	Documents Requested	
the Public Records Act		Brown and Caldwell	Records relating to the Request for Proposal for Engineering Services for Conveyance and Recharge Facilities for the Regional Recycled Water Program	

Requestor **Documents Requested** Carollo Engineers Raw water turbidity data for past two years for Weymouth and Jensen Water Treatment Plants (1) Contract and Grant of Easement for GIS Surveyors (2 Second Barrel - San Diego Aqueduct requests) dated 4/24/53; and (2) land description dated 9/15/47, recorded in Book 2534, Page 450 Kleinfelder List of prequalified firms for engineering and tunneling work Mariposa Landscapes Results for the Request for Bid for Landscape Maintenance and Tree Trimming Services for the Mills Filtration Plant Mazel Equities National List of unclaimed or outstanding checks Associates for the past five years issued by MWD, and all unclaimed municipal bonds Statements of Qualifications submitted in Michael Baker International response to Requests for Qualifications for (1) On-Call Services for Engineering Services for Water Treatment Facilities, Conveyance, Storage and Distribution Facilities and Large Rotating Equipment and (2) Environmental Phase Engineering Services for Conveyance and Recharge Facilities for the Regional Recycled Water Program Public Policy Institute of Data from MWD's groundwater banking California and conjunctive use programs Remdox Information on Request for Proposal for Design Services for CRA 69kV and 230kV Power Transformers Replacement Garvey Reservoir Rehabilitation Project Bylaws for MWD Board of Directors City of Santa Monica regarding length of board members terms

#### PLEASE NOTE

area

University of California,

Riverside Student

ADDITIONS ONLY IN THE FOLLOWING TABLES WILL BE SHOWN IN RED.

Data on historic water use dating back to

the 1980s and map of MWD's service

ANY CHANGE IN CONTRACT AMOUNTS WILL BE SHOWN IN REDLINE FORM (I.E., ADDITIONS, REVISIONS, DELETIONS).

# Bay-Delta and SWP Litigation

# Consolidated DCP Revenue Bond Validation Action and CEQA Case

Sierra Club, et al. v. California Department of Water Resources (CEQA, designated as lead case)

Subject

DWR v. All Persons Interested (Validation)

Sacramento County Superior Ct. (Judge Earl)

#### Status

#### Validation Action

- Metropolitan, Mojave Water Agency, Coachella Valley Water District, and Santa Clarita Valley Water Agency have filed answers in support
- Kern County Water Agency, Tulare Lake Basin Water Storage District, Oak Flat Water District, County of Kings, Kern Member Units & Dudley Ridge Water District, and City of Yuba City filed answers in opposition
- North Coast Rivers Alliance et al., Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association, Sierra Club et al., County of Sacramento & Sacramento County Water Agency, CWIN et al., Clarksburg Fire Protection District, Delta Legacy Communities, Inc, and South Delta Water Agency & Central Delta Water Agency have filed answers in opposition
- Case ordered consolidated with the DCP Revenue Bond CEQA Case for pre-trial and trial purposes and assigned to Judge Earl for all purposes
- Sierra Club motion for summary judgment on CEQA affirmative defense noticed for hearing on October 29, 2021

#### CEQA Case

- Sierra Club, Center for Biological Diversity, Planning and Conservation League, Restore the Delta, and Friends of Stone Lakes National Wildlife Refuge filed a standalone CEQA lawsuit challenging DWR's adoption of the bond resolutions
- Alleges DWR violated CEQA by adopting bond resolutions before certifying a Final EIR for the Delta Conveyance Project
- Cases ordered consolidated for pre-trial and trial purposes
- Sierra Club motion for summary judgment on CEQA cause of action noticed for hearing on October 29, 2021

#### **SWP-CVP 2019 BiOp Cases**

Pacific Coast Fed'n of Fishermen's Ass'ns, et al. v. Ross, et al. (PCFFA)

Calif. Natural Resources Agency, et al. v. Ross, et al. (CNRA)

Federal District Court, Eastern Dist. of California, Fresno Division (Judge Drozd)

- SWC intervened in both PCFFA and CNRA cases
- Briefing on federal defendants' motion to dismiss CNRA's California ESA claim is complete; no hearing date set and may be decided on the papers
- Federal defendants circulated administrative records for each of the BiOps
- December 18, 2020 PCFFA and CNRA filed motions to complete the administrative records or to consider extra-record evidence in the alternative with a hearing date of March 2, 2021
- Federal defendants sought and obtained an additional 30-day extension in the administrative record briefing schedule with briefing complete on August 6, 2021
- Federal defendants have proposed a stipulation staying the cases until November 2021; the parties are meeting and conferring
- Per May 10, 2021 Joint Status Report, court issued an order extending abeyance of ruling on motions to dismiss CNRA's CESA claim until July 12, 2021
- Deadline to file further status report July 9, 2021

#### **CESA Incidental Take Permit Cases**

Coordinated Case Name CDWR Water Operations Cases, JCCP 5117 (Coordination Trial Judge Gevercer)

Metropolitan & Mojave Water Agency v. Calif. Dept. of Fish & Wildlife, et al. (CESA/CEQA/Breach of Contract)

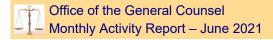
State Water Contractors & Kern County Water Agency v. Calif. Dept. of Fish & Wildlife, et al. (CESA/CEQA)

Tehama-Colusa Canal Auth., et al. v. Calif. Dept. of Water Resources (CEQA)

San Bernardino Valley Municipal Water Dist. v. Calif. Dept. of Water Resources, et al. (CEQA/CESA/ Breach of Contract/Takings)

Sierra Club, et al. v. Calif. Dept. of Water Resources (CEQA/Delta Reform Act/Public Trust)

- All 8 cases ordered coordinated in Sacramento County Superior Court
- Stay on discovery issued until coordination trial judge orders otherwise
- Deadlines to circulate drafts of the administrative records set for September 16, 2021
- All four Fresno cases transferred to Sacramento to be heard with the four other coordinated cases
- SWC and Metropolitan have submitted Public Records Act requests seeking administrative record materials and other relevant information
- Next Case Management Conference set for July 30, 2021
- May 7, 2021 Court granted DWR's motion to bifurcate and continue stay of discovery regarding the water contractors' breach of contract and takings claims
- Deadline for DWR and CDFW to produce draft administrative records set for September 16, 2021



North Coast Rivers Alliance, et al. v. Calif. Dept. of Water Resources (CEQA/Delta Reform Act/Public Trust)

Central Delta Water Agency, et. al. v. Calif. Dept. of Water Resources (CEQA/Delta Reform Act/Public Trust/ Delta Protection Acts/Area of Origin)

San Francisco Baykeeper, et al. v. Calif. Dept. of Water Resources, et al. (CEQA/CESA)

# CDWR Environmental Impact Cases Sacramento Superior Ct. Case No. JCCP 4942, 3d DCA Case No. C091771 (20 Coordinated Cases)

Validation Action

DWR v. All Persons Interested

CEQA 17 cases

CESA/Incidental Take Permit 2 cases

- Cases dismissed after DWR rescinded project approval, bond resolutions, decertified the EIR, and CDFW rescinded the CESA incidental take permit
- January 10, 2020 Nine motions for attorneys' fees and costs denied in their entirety
- Parties have appealed attorneys' fees and costs rulings
- Reporter's transcript filed December 23, 2020
- Appellants' opening briefs filed April 27, 2021;
   opposition briefs due July 26, 2021; reply briefs due 60 days after opposition briefs are filed

#### COA Addendum/ No-Harm Agreement

North Coast Rivers Alliance v. DWR Sacramento County Superior Ct. (Judge Gevercer)

- Plaintiffs allege violations of CEQA, Delta Reform Act & public trust doctrine
- USBR Statement of Non-Waiver of Sovereign Immunity filed September 2019
- Westlands Water District and North Delta Water Agency granted leave to intervene
- Metropolitan & SWC monitoring
- Deadline to prepare administrative record extended to July 19, 2021

#### **Delta Plan Amendments and Program EIR**

4 Consolidated Cases Sacramento County Superior Ct. (Judge Gevercer )

North Coast Rivers Alliance, et al. v. Delta Stewardship Council (lead case)

Central Delta Water Agency, et al. v. Delta Stewardship Council

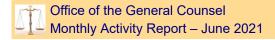
Friends of the River, et al. v. Delta Stewardship Council

California Water Impact Network, et al. v. Delta Stewardship Council

#### **Delta Stewardship Council Cases**

3 Remaining Cases (CEQA claims challenging original 2013 Delta Plan EIR) (Judge Chang)

- Cases challenge, among other things, the Delta Plan Updates recommending dual conveyance as the best means to update the SWP Delta conveyance infrastructure to further the coequal goals
- Allegations relating to "Delta pool" water rights theory and public trust doctrine raise concerns for SWP and CVP water supplies
- Cases consolidated for pre-trial and trial under North Coast Rivers Alliance v. Delta Stewardship Council
- SWC granted leave to intervene
- Metropolitan supports SWC
- 2013 and 2018 cases to be heard separately due to peremptory challenge



North Coast Rivers Alliance, et al. v. Delta Stewardship Council

Central Delta Water Agency, et al. v. Delta Stewardship Council

California Water Impact Network, et al. v. Delta Stewardship Council  SWC and several individual members, including Metropolitan, SLDMWA and Westlands have dismissed their remaining 2013 CEQA claims but remain intervenordefendants in the three remaining Delta Stewardship Council Cases

#### **2013 Cases**

 July 13-14, 2021 - Hearing on mootness of BDCP claims and merits of CEQA claims in the three remaining 2013 cases

#### **2018 Cases**

- July 15, 2021 Opening Briefs
- Oct. 13, 2021 Opposition Briefs
- Nov. 22, 2021 Reply Briefs
- Dec. 10, 2021 Case Management
   Conference to set hearing on the merits

# **SWP Contract Extension Validation Action**Sacramento County Superior Ct. (Judge Culhane)

DWR v. All Persons Interested in the Matter, etc.

- DWR seeks a judgment that the Contract Extension amendments to the State Water Contracts are lawful
- Metropolitan and 7 other SWCs filed answers in support of validity to become parties
- Four answers filed in opposition denying validity on multiple grounds raised in affirmative defenses
- Case deemed related to the two CEQA cases below and assigned to Judge Culhane
- DWR certified the administrative record for the validation action on May 3, 2021
- Parties stipulated briefing schedule in all three related cases (validation and CEQA):
- Opening Briefs Sept. 23, 2021
- Opposition Briefs Nov. 22, 2021
- Reply Briefs Jan. 10, 2022
- Jan. 17, 2022 Hearing on the merits with <u>CEQA cases, below</u>

### **SWP Contract Extension CEQA Cases**

Sacramento County Superior Ct. (Judge Culhane)

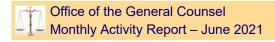
North Coast Rivers Alliance, et al. v. DWR Planning & Conservation League, et al. v. DWR

- Petitions for writ of mandate alleging CEQA and Delta Reform Act violations filed on January 8 & 10, 2019
- Deemed related to DWR's Contract Extension Validation Action and assigned to Judge Culhane
- Administrative Record completed
- DWR filed its answers on September 28, 2020
- Metropolitan, Kern County Water Agency and Coachella Valley Water District have intervened in the two CEQA cases

	<ul> <li>June 11, 2021 hearing on motions to intervene and case management conference</li> <li>Briefing and hearing on the merits same as for the SWP Contract Extension Validation Action, above</li> </ul>
Delta Conveyance Project Soil Exploration Case	Filed August 10, 2020  Plaintiff Control Politic Water Agency Control
Central Delta Water Agency, et al. v. DWR Sacramento County Superior Ct. (Judge Chang)	<ul> <li>Plaintiffs Central Delta Water Agency, South Delta Water Agency and Local Agencies of the North Delta</li> </ul>
	One cause of action alleging that DWR's adoption of an Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) for soil explorations needed for the Delta Conveyance Project violates CEQA
	<ul> <li>March 24, 2021 Second Amended Petition filed to add allegation that DWR's addendum re changes in locations and depths of certain borings violates CEQA</li> </ul>
	Deadline to prepare the administrative record extended to August 9, 2021
Water Management Tools Contract Amendment	Filed September 28, 2020
California Water Impact Network et al. v. DWR Sacramento County Superior Ct.	CWIN and Aqualliance allege one cause of action for violation of CEQA
(Judge Earl)  North Coast Rivers Alliance, et al. v. DWR Sacramento County Super. Ct.	<ul> <li>NCRA et al. allege four causes of action for violations of CEQA, the Delta Reform Act, Public Trust Doctrine and seeking declaratory relief</li> </ul>
(Judge Earl)	Deadline to prepare the administrative record extended to July 27, 2021 in CWIN v. DWR case and August 2, 2021 in NCRA v. DWR case
	CWIN case reassigned to Judge Earl so both cases will be heard together

San Diego County Water Authority v. Metropolitan, et al.				
Cases	Date	Status		
2010, 2012	Aug. 13-14, 2020	Final judgment and writ issued. Transmitted to the Board on August 17.		
	Aug. 28, Sept. 1	SDCWA and Metropolitan filed memoranda of costs.		
	Sept. 11	Metropolitan filed notice of appeal of judgment and writ.		
	Sept. 14, 16	Metropolitan filed motion to strike SDCWA's costs memorandum, and SDCWA filed motion to strike or tax Metropolitan's costs memorandum.		
	Jan. 13, 2021	Court issued order finding SDCWA is the prevailing party on the Exchange Agreement, entitled to attorneys' fees and costs under the contract.		
	Feb. 4	Metropolitan filed opening appellate brief regarding final judgment and writ.		
	Feb. 10	Court issued order awarding SDCWA statutory costs, granting SDCWA's and denying Metropolitan's related motions.		
	Feb. 16	Per SDCWA's request, Metropolitan paid contract damages in 2010-2012 cases judgment and interest. Metropolitan made same payment in Feb. 2019, which SDCWA rejected.		
	Feb. 25	Metropolitan filed notice of appeal of Jan. 13 (prevailing party on Exchange Agreement) and Feb. 10 (statutory costs) orders.		
	May 7	SDCWA filed responding appellate brief regarding final judgment and writ.		
	June 28	Metropolitan filed reply appellate brief regarding final judgment and writ.		
2014, 2016	Aug. 28, 2020	SDCWA served first amended (2014) and second amended (2016) petitions/complaints.		
	Sept. 28	Metropolitan filed demurrers and motions to strike portions of the amended petitions/complaints.		
	Sept. 28-29	Member agencies City of Torrance, Eastern Municipal Water District, Foothill Municipal Water District, Las Virgenes Municipal Water District, Three Valleys Municipal Water District, Municipal Water District of Orange County, West Basin Municipal Water District, and Western Municipal Water District filed joinders to the demurrers and motions to strike.		

Cases	Date	Status
	Feb. 16, 2021	Court issued order denying Metropolitan's demurrers and motions to strike, allowing SDCWA to retain contested allegations in amended petitions/complaints.
2014, 2016 (cont.)	March 22	Metropolitan filed answers to the amended petitions/complaints and cross-complaints against SDCWA for declaratory relief and reformation, in the 2014, 2016 cases.
	March 22-23	Member agencies City of Torrance, Eastern Municipal Water District, Foothill Municipal Water District, Las Virgenes Municipal Water District, Three Valleys Municipal Water District, Municipal Water District of Orange County, West Basin Municipal Water District, and Western Municipal Water District filed answers to the amended petitions/complaints in the 2014, 2016 cases.
	April 23	SDCWA filed answers to Metropolitan's cross-complaints.
2017	July 23, 2020	Dismissal without prejudice entered.
2018	July 28	Parties filed a stipulation and application to designate the case complex and related to the 2010-2017 cases, and to assign the case to Judge Massullo's court.
	Nov. 13	Court ordered case complex and assigned to Judge Massullo's court.
	April 21	SDCWA filed second amended petition/complaint.
	May 25	Metropolitan filed motion to strike portions of the second amended petition/complaint.
	May 25-26	Member agencies City of Torrance, Eastern Municipal Water District, Foothill Municipal Water District, Las Virgenes Municipal Water District, Three Valleys Municipal Water District, Municipal Water District of Orange County, West Basin Municipal Water District, and Western Municipal Water District filed joinders to the motion to strike.
	June 30	SDCWA filed opposition to motion to strike portions of the second amended petition/complaint.
2014, 2016, 2018	June 11	Metropolitan lodged administrative records.
	June 11, 21	Deposition of non-party witness.
All Cases	March 17, 2021	Case Management Conference on 2010-2018 cases (postponed from March 3); no substantive action.
	April 15	Case Management Conference on 2010-2018 cases. Court set trial in 2014, 2016, and 2018 cases on May 16-27, 2022.
	April 27	SDCWA served notice of deposition of non-party witness.



Cases	Date	Status
	May 13-14	Metropolitan filed motions to quash and for protective order regarding deposition of non-party witness.
	May 17	Case Management Conference on 2010-2018 cases; no substantive action.
	June 3	Hearing on motions to quash and for protective order regarding deposition of non-party witness.
	June 4	Ruling on motions to quash and for protective order.
	Aug. 2	Next Case Management Conference on 2010-2018 cases.

Outside Counsel Agreements					
Firm Name	Matter Name	Agreement No.	Effective Date	Contract Maximum	
Andrade Gonzalez LLP	MWD v. DWR, CDFW and CDNR Incidental Take Permit (ITP) CESA/CEQA/Contract Litigation	185894	07/20	\$100,000	
Aleshire & Wynder	Oil, Mineral and Gas Leasing	174613	08/18	\$50,000	
Atkinson Andelson Loya Ruud & Romo	Employee Relations	59302	04/04	\$1,214,517	
Loya Rudu & Romo	MWD v. Collins	185892	06/20	\$60,000	
	MWD Drone and Airspace Issues	193452	08/20	\$50,000	
	Equal Employee Opportunity Commission Charge	200462	03/21	\$20,000	
	Public Employment Relations Board Charge No. LA-CE-1441-M	200467	03/21	\$30,000	
	Representation re the Shaw Law Group's Investigations	<u>200485</u>	05/20/21	<u>\$50,000</u>	
Best, Best & Krieger	Navajo Nation v. U.S. Department of the Interior, et al.	54332	05/03	\$185,000	
	Iron Mountain SMARA (Surface Mining and Reclamation Act)	158043	07/17	\$250,000	
	Bay-Delta Conservation Plan/Delta Conveyance Project (with SWCs)	170697	08/17	\$500,000	
	Environmental Compliance Issues	185888	05/20	\$50,000	
Blooston, Mordkofsky, Dickens, Duffy & Prendergast, LLP	FCC and Communications Matters	110227	11/10	\$100,000	
Buchalter, a Professional Corp.	Union Pacific Industry Track Agreement	193464	12/07/20	\$50,000	

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Burke, Williams & Sorensen, LLP	Real Property - General	180192	01/19	\$100,000
Soleliseli, EEF	Labor and Employment Matters	180207	04/19	\$50,000
	General Real Estate Matters	180209	08/19	\$100,000
	Delta Conveyance Project Validation Action	185893	07/20	\$100,000
Law Office of Alexis S.M. Chiu*	Bond Counsel	174595	07/18	N/A
S.W. Ciliu	Bond Counsel	200468	07/21	N/A
Cislo & Thomas LLP	Intellectual Property	170703	08/17	\$75,000
Curls Bartling P.C.*	Bond Counsel	174596	07/18	N/A
	Bond Counsel	200470	07/21	<u>N/A</u>
Duane Morris LLP	SWRCB Curtailment Process	138005	09/14	\$615,422
Duncan, Weinberg, Genzer & Pembroke PC	Power Issues	6255	09/95	\$3,175,000
Ellison, Schneider, Harris & Donlan	Colorado River Issues	69374	09/05	\$175,000
Hams & Doman	Issues re SWRCB	84457	06/07	\$200,000
Haden Law Office	Real Property Matters re Agricultural Land	180194	01/19	\$50,000
Hanson Bridgett	SDCWA v. MWD	124103	03/12	\$1,100,000
	Finance Advice	158024	12/16	\$100,000
	Deferred Compensation/HR	170706	10/17	\$ 400,000
	Food and Water Watch v. MWD	174612	09/18	\$200,000
	Tax Issues	180200	04/19	\$50,000
Hawkins Delafield & Wood LLP*	Bond Counsel	174601	07/18	N/A
WOOd LLP	Bond Counsel	193469	07/21	N/A

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Horvitz & Levy	SDCWA v. MWD	124100	02/12	\$900,000
	General Appellate Advice	146616	12/15	\$100,000
	Food and Water Watch v. MWD Appeal	185862	09/19	\$60,000
Hunt Ortmann Palffy Nieves Darling & Mah, Inc.	Construction Contracts/COVID-19 Emergency	185883	03/20	\$40,000
Internet Law Center	HR Matter	174603	05/18	\$60,000
Amira Jackmon, Attorney at Law*	Bond Counsel	200464	07/21	N/A
Jackson Lewis P.C.	Employment: Department of Labor Office of Contract Compliance (OFCCP)	137992	02/14	\$45,000
Jones Hall, A Professional Law Corporation*	Bond Counsel	200465	07/21	N/A
Kegel, Tobin & Truce	Workers' Compensation	180206	06/19	\$100,000
Lesnick Prince & Pappas LLP	Topock/PG&E's Bankruptcy	185859	10/19	\$30,000
Liebert Cassidy Whitmore	Labor and Employment	158032	02/17	\$201,444
vviitinore	EEO Investigations	180193	01/19	\$100,000
	FLSA Audit	180199	02/19	\$50,000
LiMandri & Jonna LLP	Bacon Island Subrogation	200457	03/21	\$50,000
Manatt, Phelps &	In Re Tronox Incorporated	103827	08/09	\$540,000
Phillips	SDCWA v. MWD rate litigation	146627	06/16	\$2,900,000
Meyers Nave	OCWD v. Northrop Corporation	118445	07/11	\$2,300,000
Riback Silver & Wilson	IID v. MWD	185900	08/20	\$ 410,000
	IID v. MWD (Contract Litigation)	193472	02/21	\$100,000

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Miller Barondess, LLP	SDCWA v. MWD	138006	12/14	\$600,000
Morgan, Lewis & Bockius	SDCWA v. MWD	110226	07/10	\$8,750,000
DOCKIUS	Project Labor Agreements	200476	04/21	\$100,000
Musick, Peeler & Garrett LLP	Colorado River Aqueduct Electric Cables Repair/Contractor Claims	193461	11/20	\$100,000
Nixon Peabody LLP*	Bond Counsel	174600	07/18	N/A
Norton Rose Fulbright US LLP*	Bond Counsel	200466	07/21	N/A
Olson Remcho LLP	Government Law	131968	07/14	\$200,000
	Ethics Office	170714	01/18	\$350,000
Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan	Appellate	174598	04/18	\$100,000
Ryan & Associates	Leasing Issues	43714	06/01	\$100,000
Seyfarth Shaw LLP	HR Litigation	185863	12/19	\$250,000
Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth*	Bond Counsel	174599	07/18	N/A
Canson & Naum	Bond Counsel	200471	07/21	N/A
	Financial Disclosure	185880	06/21	N/A
Theodora Oringher PC	OHL USA, Inc. v. MWD	185854	09/19	\$700,000
	Construction Contracts - General Conditions Update	185896	07/20	\$50,000
Thomas Law Group	MWD v. DWR, CDFW, CDNR – Incidental Take Permit (ITP) CESA/CEQA/Contract Litigation	185891	05/20	\$250,000
Thompson Coburn LLP	FERC Representation re Colorado River Aqueduct Electrical Transmission System	122465	12/11	\$100,000
	NERC Energy Reliability Standards	193451	08/20	\$25,000

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Van Ness Feldman, LLP	General Litigation	170704	07/18	\$50,000
	Colorado River MSHCP	180191	01/19	\$50,000
	Bay-Delta and State Water Project Environmental Compliance	193457	10/15/20	\$50,000
Western Water and Energy	California Independent System Operator Related Matters	193463	11/20/20	\$100,000

<sup>\*</sup>Expenditures paid by Bond Proceeds/Finance