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# Water Bottle Fill Station Program

Public Outreach and Legislation Committee

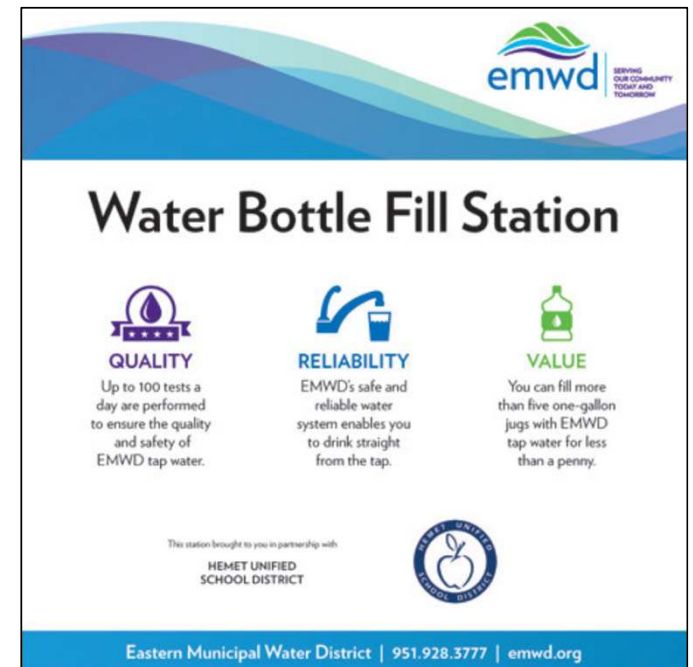
# EWMD Program Overview & Qualifications

## • Overview

- Replaces standard fountain with a water bottle fill station
- Promotes quality and value of water
- Co-branded with agency and school
- Other high-use locations (mall, libraries, community centers; started at parks)

## • School Requirements

- Located in service area
- Highly visible public space for installation
- Maintain the fill station and signage for five years



# EWMD's Responsibilities

- Agreement of terms and conditions for signature
- Approve proposed location
- Provide signage
- Provide and install the water bottle fill station
- Promote the water bottle fill station location on website



# EWMD Program Features and Benefits

- Counts plastic water bottles saved from waste
- Easy maintenance; vandal-resistant
- Chilled water
- ADA and Division of the State of Architect (DSA) compliant



# EWMD Program Cost/Funding

- About \$4000 per unit (half purchase, half installation)
- Capital funding – viewed as a PR campaign, reaching next generation of consumers
- Started with minimum number of schools per year – now seeking funding for all remaining schools upfront



# Portable Fill Station at Community Events



# Fill Station at Community Events: Overview & Logistics

- Brought to community events
- Hooked to potable water source using food-grade hose
- Porcelain sink with six faucets
- Giveaway: reusable water bottles
- Cost: Approx. \$1500; plus portable chiller



# Fill Station at Community Events





# Considerations

- Next Steps
  - Board direction
  - Funding
  - Priorities
  - Questions?

