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THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 2021

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Date: March 11, 2021

To: **Public Outreach and Legislation Committee**
Jerry Gladbach, Chair
Kathye Armitage
B.J. Atkins
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Lynne Plambeck

From: Steve Cole, Assistant General Manager *SC*

The **Public Outreach and Legislation Committee** is scheduled to meet via teleconference on **Thursday, March 18, 2021 at 5:30 PM**, dial information is listed below.

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Posted on March 11, 2021



To: Santa Clarita Valley Water Agency; Public Outreach & Legislation Committee
From: Van Scoyoc Associates (VSA); Geoff Bowman, Pete Evich, and Ashley Strobel
Date: March 5, 2021
Subject: March 2021 Report

COVID-19 Relief Package

On February 26th, the House of Representatives passed the American Rescue Plan Act, the \$1.9 trillion COVID relief package, by a vote of 219-212. The legislation has now moved to the Senate for consideration. If any changes are made in the Senate, House Members will need to vote on the bill once again, before being sending the legislation to President Biden. Congressional leaders have stated they would like to see the legislation signed into law by mid-March.

Low-Income Rate Payer Assistance

The COVID relief package currently contains an additional \$500 million for the Department of Health and Human Services for the low-income water and wastewater ratepayer emergency assistance program that was established with H.R. 133 (FY21 Omnibus/COVID package). The \$500 million combined with the \$638 million that was enacted as part of H.R. 133 would bring the funding for the program to \$1.138 billion. The program's funding would be sent to the States under a formula-based allocation.

The \$638 million in ratepayer assistance that Congress provided to HHS in December 2020 remains unspent, though the agency is working diligently to release the funds. While the agency has great experience in working with programs aimed at reducing poverty, HHS does not have a lot of experience in working with water utilities. To overcome this obstacle, they are coordinating this work with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the National Association of Clean Water Agencies. Currently it appears HHS is targeting later April 2021 for release of these funds.

After COVID Relief, Congress to Eye Infrastructure Package

Following passage of the \$1.9 trillion COVID relief package, Congress is expected to shift its attention to an infrastructure bill. In the House, last year's infrastructure measure, the "Moving Forward Act" (H.R. 2), which proposed more than a trillion dollars in new spending for infrastructure, including water and wastewater, is expected to be the guide.

H.R. 2 included \$10 billion for the construction account of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to address the backlog of Corps authorized projects, as well as an \$500 million for the Bureau of

Reclamation's WIIN Title XVI (water recycling) program. In addition, H.R. 2 included a reauthorization of the Clean Water Act State Revolving Loan Fund (SRF) at \$40 billion over five years, and reauthorized section 220 of the Clean Water Act providing \$600 million over five years for alternative water source grants. Lastly, and most pertinent to SCV Water, H.R. 2 established a \$1 billion program over five years to issue grants for public water agencies to implement permit limits for the discharge of PFAS related chemicals identified by EPA as potential contaminants of emerging concern.

House T&I Hearing on Water Resources

The House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment, held a hearing entitled on February 22nd on "Building Back Better: The Urgent Need for Investment in America's Wastewater Infrastructure." Subcommittee Chairwoman Grace Napolitano (D-CA) highlighted water challenges related to access to clean and affordable water services. Chairwoman Napolitano also discussed plans to reintroduce the "Water Quality Protection and Job Creation Act," which would reauthorize the Clean Water State Revolving Loan Fund (SRF) program. VSA has learned that the current draft of this pending measure would authorize \$50 billion in EPA administered federal water programs. Included in the draft, among other provisions, are the following:

- Reauthorization of the CWSRF at \$40 billion over five years (\$8 billion per year)
- Authorization of \$2 billion in funding for the Sewer Overflow and Stormwater Reuse grant program
- Authorization of the Section 220, Alternative Water Source Program at \$1 billion
- Authorization of \$1 billion in Clean Water Act grants to municipalities to implement treatment standards for PFAS and other emerging contaminants

Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works Water Infrastructure Legislation

On a call with Senate Environment and Public Works (EPW) Majority Committee staff, VSA learned the Committee is in the works of drafting a drinking water and wastewater bill. At present, the bill will reauthorize the Safe Drinking Water Act SRF, the Clean Water SRF, the alternative water source program under section 220 of the Clean Water Act, WIFIA, and other smaller programs. The goal of the legislation is to get key but expired programs at EPA reauthorized, and include moderate increases for the programs. The staff emphasized the bill will be limited to EPA water programs only. It was also insinuated that the initial goal is to not include anything on PFAS as to allow the Administration time to work that issue through the regulatory process. The legislation will be similar to the provisions in the Senate EPW Committee-passed bills from last year that were dropped after the Water Resources Development Act of 2020 completed bicameral negotiations.

The Majority staff intends to work with EPW Minority staff and has a goal of holding a hearing on or about March 17th, hold a Full Committee Markup the following week, and then have a bipartisan bill out of the Senate by the end of April.

WRRI Act Reintroduction

Representative Grace Napolitano (D-CA) re-introduced the “Water Recycling Investment and Improvement Act” (H.R. 1015), to assist water agencies with the expansion, planning, design, and building of water recycling plants and modernizing water infrastructure in California and other western states. H.R. 1015 would increase the funding authorization for the Bureau of Reclamation’s Title XVI water recycling competitive grant program from \$50 million to \$500 million, which would allow local water agencies to increase funding capacities for existing recycling plants or create new cost-effective projects to boost water supplies. Napolitano introduced identical legislation in the 116th Congress, and it was later included in the Moving Forward Act.

Congressman Valadao Introduces WIIN Storage Legislation

Representative David Valadao (R-CA) of the Central Valley introduced, H.R.737, “The Responsible, No-Cost Extension of Western Water Infrastructure Improvements,” or RENEW WIIN Act. The legislation is straight reauthorization of the 2016 WIIN Western water provisions, including the WIIN Delta “operational flexibility” provision. The legislation is cosponsored by every California Republican House member. The main Bureau of Reclamation program funding components of the WIIN Act’s Western water sections are the water storage, Title XVI, and desalination grant programs.

WIIN Extension Legislation

Representative Mike Garcia (R-CA) introduced legislation that would extend provisions of the Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation (WIIN) Act. The WIIN Title XVI, WIIN Water Storage, and WIIN Desalination grant programs would all be extended through FY2028. The programs would not be altered from how they were constructed in WIIN 2016. The authorization levels are annualized at the levels they have been funded by Congress for last few years: \$20 million for Title XVI, \$12 million for desal, and \$134 million for water storage. The other ten House GOP members of the California Congressional delegation all have cosponsored the bill.

SCV Water was requested by Congressman Garcia’s office to provide a quote for its press release. According to General Manager Matt Stone, *“We would like to thank Congressman Garcia for recognizing the importance of investing in the nation’s water infrastructure. This legislation will reauthorize important water storage and water recycling programs at the Bureau of Reclamation that benefit SCV Water and its ratepayers, and this bill will protect public health, promote economic development, and improve the quality of our environment.”*

Congressionally-directed spending, or “Earmarks”

The House and Senate Appropriations Committee Chairs’ announced on February 26th that earmarks will be permitted for the FY2022 spending bills. Details on the implementation and specific Appropriations accounts that will include earmarks are still forthcoming, but Senate Appropriations Committee Chair Leahy (D-VT) and House Appropriations Committee Chair DeLauro (D-CT) have agreed to the following:

- Capping earmarks at 1% of spending or \$15 billion (whichever is lower)
- An even split of the 1%/\$15 billion among the House and Senate
- Earmarks will constitute more or less than 1% of each bill, each subcommittee will decide and must comply with the full committee cap
- Earmark requests will adhere to transparency standards that were in place prior to the earmark moratorium in 2011.
- A certain percentage of earmarks will be audited and evaluated by the Government Accountability Office (GAO) to ensure they comply with House and Senate rules.

The House will limit Members to 10 earmarks across all 12 spending bills, while the Senate may not have a cap. The House also will only make 6 programs eligible for earmarking.

House Energy and Commerce Leaders Introduces Climate Legislation

On March 2nd, House Energy and Commerce Chairman Frank Pallone (D-NJ), Environment and Climate Change Subcommittee Chairman Paul Tonko (D-NY), and Energy Subcommittee Chairman Bobby Rush (D-IL) introduced the “Climate Leadership and Environmental Action for our Nation’s (CLEAN) Future” Act. The legislation intends to provide a path to combatting climate change by moving to a 100 percent clean economy and reducing emissions to net-zero by no later than 2050. The legislation also includes a provision which would increase and extend the authorization of the Drinking Water State Revolving Loan Fund (SRF) program. The provision would authorize \$4.14 billion for FY2022; \$4.8 billion for FY2023; and \$5.5 billion for each of fiscal years 2024 through 2031. The CLEAN Future Act would also authorize an EPA administered PFAS Drinking Water remediation grant program at \$500 million a year from FY2022-FY2031. Another provision in the bill would authorize a Drinking Water Resiliency Grant Program under the EPA and would be funded at \$50 million/year until 2030.

WATER Act Introduction

Senator Bernie Sanders (I-VT) along with Reps. Brenda Lawrence (D-MI), and Ro Khanna (D-CA) introduced the “Water Affordability, Transparency, Equity and Reliability (WATER) Act.” The legislation would create a \$35 billion annual trust fund for water infrastructure upgrades which the lawmakers stated is critical for rising costs that low-income communities are struggling with for safe drinking water and wastewater. The trust fund would be established using receipts from an increase in the corporate tax rate. The bill currently has 72 cosponsors, as well as endorsements from more than 500 advocacy and faith-based organizations, labor, and environmental justice groups.

-VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL-

March 5, 2021

MEMORANDUM

TO: Steve Cole, Santa Clarita Valley Water Agency

FROM: Dennis K. Albiani, Anthony Molina, California Advocates, Inc.

SUBJECT: March Report

The Legislature is off to a quick start as and has met its first milestone of the year – the bill introduction deadline. This year, neither house put a restriction on the number of bills their respective members could introduce, however, legislative leadership asked their members to use their best discretion upon introduction. Accordingly, there were a total of 2,369 bills introduced for the 2021 legislative session – 809 Senate Bills and 1,560 Assembly Bills – an average of 19 bills per member. Note that these figures only include bills; they do not include resolutions or constitutional amendments. And, of course, committees can still introduce bills past the deadline and rule waivers can be granted.

Furthermore, policy committees will begin hearing bills next week and will continue through the end of April. We are currently identifying priority bills for the SCVWA and will provide those for review in a timely manner. Upon review, we will coordinate with SCVWA leadership and will assist in drafting letters to the appropriate policy committees.

California State Senate Rule Change – “30 Day in Print”

The President pro Tempore Toni Atkins and Republican Leader Scott Wilk spoke and agreed to suspend the 30 day in print rule for 2021, which will allow bills to be amended and heard prior to the 30-day waiting period. Both leaders commented that “they pursued this suspension to avoid the “traffic jam” of bills being heard at the end of the policy deadline period. “

A vote of the Senate to suspend the Constitution and the Joint Rules took place during the Senate Floor Session on Monday, February 22, 2021 and passed on a 32-4 vote.

Bonds

SB 45 (Portantino) Wildfire Prevention, Safe Drinking Water, Drought Preparation, and Flood Protection Bond Act of 2022.

This bill would enact the Wildfire Prevention, Safe Drinking Water, Drought Preparation, and Flood Protection Bond Act of 2022, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$5,510,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance projects for a wildfire prevention, safe drinking water, drought preparation, and flood protection program.

Status: Senate Natural Resources and Water – March 16th
Position: Support

AB 1500 (E. Garcia) Safe Drinking Water, Wildfire Prevention, Drought Preparation, Flood Protection, Extreme Heat Mitigation, and Workforce Development Bond Act of 2022.

This bill would enact the Safe Drinking Water, Wildfire Prevention, Drought Preparation, Flood Protection, Extreme Heat Mitigation, and Workforce Development Bond Act of 2022, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$6,700,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance projects for safe drinking water, wildfire prevention, drought preparation, flood protection, extreme heat mitigation, and workforce development programs.

Status: Introduced, pending referral.

Position: None

Water

SB 222 (Dodd) Water Affordability Assistance Program.

This bill would establish the Water Affordability Assistance Fund in the State Treasury to help provide water affordability assistance, for both drinking water and wastewater services, to low-income ratepayers and ratepayers experiencing economic hardship in California. The bill would make moneys in the fund available upon appropriation by the Legislature to the state board to provide, as part of the Water Affordability Assistance Program established by the bill, direct water bill assistance, water bill credits, water crisis assistance, affordability assistance, and short-term assistance to public water systems to administer program components.

Status: Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications – March 15th

Position: Watch

SB 223 (Dodd) Discontinuation of residential water service.

The bill would require the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) to provide technical assistance to very small community water systems. The bill would require the State Board to establish a bridge loan program to assist very small community water systems that may suffer revenue loss or delayed collection while complying with this chapter. To the extent funding is available, partial loan forgiveness would be made available to systems that offer debt forgiveness to low-income residents with past due accounts. This bill would also require an urban water supplier and an urban and community water system to update policies to comply this chapter by July 1, 2022.

Status: Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications – March 15th

Position: Watch

SB 230 (Portantino) State Water Resources Control Board: Constituents of Emerging Concern

This bill would require the State Water Resources Control Board to establish, maintain, and direct an ongoing, dedicated program called the Constituents of Emerging Concern Program to assess the state of information and recommend areas for further study on the occurrence of constituents of emerging concern (CEC) in drinking water sources and treated drinking water. The bill would require the state board to convene, by an unspecified date, the Science Advisory Panel to review and provide recommendations to the state board on CEC for further action. The bill would require the state board to provide an annual report to the Legislature on the ongoing work conducted by the panel.

Status: Senate Environmental Quality – March 15th

Position: Watch

SB 323 (Caballero) Local government: water or sewer service: legal actions.

This bill would authorize a local agency or interested person to bring a validation action in a superior court to determine the validity of a fee or charge for water and sewer service. The proposal would require an interested party bring an action within 120 days after the local agency adopts the fee or charge.

Status: Senate Governance and Finance – March 11th

Position: Watch

SB 403 (Gonzalez) Drinking water: consolidation.

This bill authorizes the state board to order consolidation with a receiving water system where a public water system or a state small water system, serving a disadvantaged community, consistently fails to provide an adequate supply of safe drinking water or where a disadvantaged community is substantially reliant on domestic wells that consistently fail to provide an adequate supply of safe drinking water. This bill would authorize the state board to also order consolidation where a water system serving a disadvantaged community is at risk of failing to provide an adequate supply of safe drinking water or where a disadvantaged community is substantially reliant on domestic wells that are at risk of failing to provide an adequate supply of safe drinking water.

Status: Senate Environmental Quality – March 15th

Position: Watch

SB 559 (Hurtado) Department of Water Resources: water conveyance systems: Canal Conveyance Capacity Restoration Fund.

This bill establishes the Canal Conveyance Capacity Restoration Fund in the State Treasury to be administered by the Department of Water Resources. The bill would require all moneys deposited in the fund to be expended, upon appropriation by the Legislature, in support of subsidence repair costs, including environmental planning, permitting, design, and construction and necessary road and bridge upgrades required to accommodate capacity improvements. The bill would require the department to expend from the fund, upon appropriation by the Legislature, specified monetary amounts to restore the capacity of 4 specified water conveyance systems, with 2 of those 4 expenditures being in the form of a grant to the Friant Water Authority and to the San Luis and Delta-Mendota Water Authority. The bill would make these provisions inoperative on July 1, 2030 and would repeal the provisions as of January 1, 2031.

Status: Senate Natural Resources and Water

Position: Watch

AB 377 (Rivas) Water quality: impaired waters.

This bill would require all California surface waters to be fishable, swimmable, and drinkable by January 1, 2050. The bill would prohibit the state board and regional boards from authorizing an NPDES discharge, waste discharge requirement, or waiver of a waste discharge requirement that causes or contributes to an exceedance of a water quality standard, or from authorizing a best management practice permit term to authorize a discharge that causes or contributes to an exceedance of a water quality standard in receiving waters. The bill would prohibit, on or after January 1, 2030, a regional water quality control plan from including a schedule for implementation for achieving a water quality standard that was adopted as of January 1, 2021, and would prohibit a regional water quality control

plan from including a schedule for implementation of a water quality standard that is adopted after January 1, 2021.

Status: Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee

Position: Watch

Utilities

SB 52 (Dodd) State of emergency: local emergency: sudden and severe energy shortage: planned power outage.

This bill would expand the definition of “sudden and severe energy shortage” to include a “deenergization event,” defined as a planned power outage, as specified, and would make a deenergization event one of those conditions constituting a state of emergency and a local emergency.

Status: Senate Governmental Organization – March 9th

Position: Watch

Local Government

AB 339 (Lee) State and local government: open meetings.

This bill would require all meetings, including gatherings using teleconference technology, to include an opportunity for all persons to attend via a call-in option or an internet-based service option that provides closed captioning services and requires both a call-in and an internet-based service option to be provided to the public. The bill would require all meetings to provide the public with an opportunity to comment on proposed legislation, as provided, and requires translation services to be provided for the 10 most-spoken languages, other than English, in California, and would require those persons commenting in a language other than English to have double the amount of time as those giving a comment in English, if time restrictions on public comment are utilized, except as specified. The bill would require instructions on how to attend the meeting to be posted at the time notice of the meeting is publicized.

Status: Introduced, pending referral.

Position: Watch

AB 703 (Rubio) Open meetings: local agencies: teleconferences.

This bill will eliminate the previously existing concept of “teleconference locations”; will revise existing law to ensure minimum standards for public participation; and will revise notice requirements to allow for greater public participation in teleconference meetings of local agencies. The bill does not require teleconferencing but modernizes existing law to ensure greater public participation in meetings of the legislative bodies of local agencies which choose to utilize teleconferencing.

Status: Assembly Local Government

Position: Watch

AB 1296 (Kamlager) South Coast Air Quality Management District: district board: membership.

This bill would increase the number of members of the district board of the south coast district to 15 members by adding 2 environmental justice appointees, one appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules and one appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly.

Status: Introduced, pending referral.

Position: Watch

Budget

As a brief update, the Senate Budget Sub 2 Committee on Natural Resources and Environment finished their first round of budget subcommittee hearings. The items of significance to the SCVWA were “held open” and will continue to be discussed through the “regular budget” timeline. There was no indication when the Budget subcommittee will reconvene for its next meeting.

As for the Assembly Budget Sub 3 Committee on Natural Resources and Environment, there are two remaining hearings to take place through March 17, 2021. The Assembly will also “hold open” items of significance to the SCVWA for the “regular budget” timeline.

The Legislature is scheduled to close out a host of agreed upon “early action” budget items before Legislative Spring Recess. A complete list of those items has not been finalized due to the Assembly still in the budget subcommittee hearing process.

Sustainable Groundwater

\$60 million one-time General Fund (\$30 million in 2020-21 and \$30 million in 2021-22) for grants to support local planning and implementation of Groundwater Sustainability Plans across critically over-drafted basins. **(Held Open)**

Protecting California’s Rivers, Streams and Watersheds Program (Voluntary Agreements)

\$125 million in Prop 68 Funds for habitat restoration projects along the Sacramento and San Joaquin Rivers. **(Held Open)**

Safe and Affordable Drinking Water

\$130 million includes funding necessary to maintain full implementation of the Safe and Affordable Drinking Water Program. **(Held Open)**

Regulatory

- The California Air Resources Board (CARB) released a summary of the results from the most recent quarterly cap-and-trade auction held on February 17, 2021. Based on the preliminary results, the state will receive an estimated \$647 million in revenue from the auction. This amount is somewhat more than what the state received from the November 2020 auction (\$587 million). The increase in revenue is due to modest increases in both (1) the number of allowances sold and (2) prices for allowances sold. All state-owned allowances offered for sale at the February auction were purchased. The Cap-and-Trade Results Summary can be found [HERE](#).
- The Governor made the following appointments:
 - **Grady E. Joseph, 31, of Sacramento, has been appointed Assistant Director of Logistics Management at the Governor’s Office of Emergency Services.** Joseph has been Assistant Director of Recovery Operations at the Governor’s Office of Emergency Services since 2019. He was a Deputy Program Manager at Serco Inc in 2019. Joseph was a Disaster Recovery Consultant from 2017 to 2019. He held several positions at the Federal Emergency Management Agency from 2013 to 2017, including Regional Coordination Lead and Deputy Operations Officer within the Recovery Directorate.
 - **Alina M. Bokde, 50, of Los Angeles, has been reappointed to the Wildlife Conservation Board, where she has served since 2018.** Bokde has been Chief Deputy Director at the Los Angeles County Department of Parks and Recreation since 2020, where she served as Deputy Director for Planning and Development from 2017 to 2020. She was

Executive Director at Los Angeles Neighborhood Land Trust from 2010 to 2016, Deputy Executive Director at the San Gabriel and Lower Los Angeles Rivers and Mountains Conservancy from 2007 to 2009 and Project Manager at Trust for Public Land from 2001 to 2006.

California Advocates, Inc. Activity Report

- Participated in daily briefings for COVID-19 and pass along pertinent information to SCVWA staff.
- Participated in ACWA MMLG meeting.
- Participated in the State Water Contractors Member Agency (SWCA) overview/strategy session meeting.
- Participated in SWCA meetings and calls on budget funding for canal subsidence issues including budget opportunities and bond discussions.
- Participated in the Southern California Water Coalition meeting.
- Participated in ACWA's Bond Working Group meeting/discussion.
- Monitored and participated in budget sub-committee hearings related to natural resources and water testifying on VA and canal subsidence budget issues.
- Initiated multiple conversation regarding legislation with legislative staff across an assortment of bills obtaining background sheets, better understanding the bill and authors intent. Shared numerous background sheets and information with SCVWA staff.
- Participated in the AB 377 (Rivas) on "Water quality: impaired waters." Opposition coalition meeting and advocacy efforts.

Important Dates and Deadlines for 2021

March:

- Mar. 25 – Spring Recess begins upon adjournment (J.R. 51(a)(2)).
- Mar. 31 – Cesar Chavez Day observed.

April

- Apr. 5 – Legislature reconvenes from Spring Recess.
- Apr. 30 – Last day for policy committees to meet and report to fiscal committees' fiscal bills introduced in their house.

May

- May 7 – Last day for policy committees to meet and report to the floor non-fiscal bills introduced in their house.
- May 14 – Last day for policy committees to meet prior to June 7.
- May 21 – Last day for fiscal committees to meet and report to the floor bills introduced in their house. Last day for fiscal committees to meet and report to the floor bills introduced in their house.
- May 31 – Memorial Day

June

- Jun. 1-4 – Floor session only. No committee may meet for any purpose except Rules Committee, bills referred pursuant to A.R. 77.2, and Conference Committees.

- Jun. 4 – Last day for each house to pass bills introduced in that house.
- Jun. 7 – Committee meetings may resume.
- Jun. 15 – Budget Bill must be passed by midnight.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: STEVE COLE, SANTA CLARITA VALLEY WATER AGENCY

FROM: HUNT BRALY

RE: February 2021 Report

DATE: 3-8-2021

I have provided a synopsis of activities performed on behalf of the Agency in February.

1. Continued to work with staff regarding PFAS Contamination issue.
2. Continued to participate in efforts with Federal Advocates potential federal legislation and funding opportunities.
3. Continued to work with staff on Groundwater Management Committee. Attended Virtual GSA Stakeholder Advisory Committee on February 24.

RECURRING ACTIVITIES/MEETING ATTENDANCE:

4. Safe, Clean Water Program (Measure W) Watershed Area Steering Committee Santa Clara River Meeting was held on February 4. All of the WASC's watershed coordinators have been selected and are awaiting contracts. Once again Tree People was selected for this WASC. One potential project was discussed for funding the technical studies of project at Via Princessa Park by the City of Santa Clarita. In addition, a presentation was made about a regional scientific study on human pathogens. There was a request that our coordinator, Tree People, would work with Agua Dulce on their issues.
5. Attended Virtual City Council Meeting on February 9.

The key items at the meeting were:

In Council comments Councilmember McLean brought up an issue of having a Council Ad Hoc Committee to look at proposed Public Art applications before they are recommended. In other words, at the front end of the process. She asked it be put on a future agenda, but there was no other support. Councilwoman Weste asked for an update on several Open Space acquisition projects an update on additional City's Multi Use Trails.

A Public Hearing was held on the 2012-22 Community Needs Assessment Survey for the Community Development Block Grant Program. The City receives an annual CDBG grant from the Federal Government in the amount of \$1.4 million. The Survey results were similar to previous years. The City received 315 responses including 68 written responses. 30%

mentioned affordable housing and homelessness as top issues. The Survey Results will be used for City staff to prepare funding recommendations in April. Only Council discussion was confirming that the existing funding program includes the Senior Center's handy work program for repairs of senior's homes.

A second Public Hearing was approving the Henry Mayo Newhall Memorial Hospital's 2021 Tax Equity (TEFRA) hearing approving the refinancing of the hospital bonds from 2012-2014 in an amount not to exceed \$125 million.

Under new business there was the designation of the City Delegate and Alternate to the 2021 Southern California Association of Government's General Assembly (SCAG). Current delegate is Marsha McLean and the alternate Bill Miranda. Motion was made and approved to confirm them again as delegates.

Final item was discussion of the LA County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro) Traffic Reduction Study (formerly entitled congestion pricing). This is a 2-year study which began in 2020. First phase was to determine the pricing for such a program and the second phase is confirming that the amount raised would be on rail projects and alternative forms of transportation like bicycles. The Study has initially compared existing cities of London, Stockholm and Milan. The concept is you would be charged more during peak times and that this would reduce congestion during these peak times.

The public engagement has begun and the plan is to a Pilot Program to the Metro Board this summer. There are currently 3 zoom meetings scheduled February 10, 16 and 27 for the public to comment. There were several public speakers. One stated this was basically a front for toll roads and that this is an admission that Metro and Cities have not lived up to the challenge of easing congestion. Councilwoman McLean had asked that this be put on the agenda. She stated that comparing with the European Cities was not accurate since we do not have rails system which can get you to all areas of the County. She also stated that the change of the name was to sneak in the tax and that Metro is simply going through the motions. Councilman Smyth stated that this is a very regressive tax on those who can least afford it. Mayor Pro Tem Weste called it a rip off and that the people who can afford to work remotely won't be paying this, rather those who can least afford it. Suggestion staggered work hours. Councilman Gibbs stated he saw little benefit to the Santa Clarita Commuters. Council will work to oppose.

Attended Virtual City Council Meeting on February 23.

The key issues at the meeting were:

Public Speakers include concern regarding the increase in hate crimes against Asians and asked for an update on the proposal for District Elections. David Lund representing the owners of the Whittaker Bermite property stated he had sent a letter today stating that staff has refused to allow them and their Developer partner Peolgis to meet with them and city councilmembers. Claimed that the City is meeting with other interested parties. Does not want litigation. Councilwoman McLean asked if there was current litigation. The answer was they have made claims against the City for \$250 million. City Attorney advised that it is the discretion of the councilmembers to meet, but should notify staff and have staff present.

Mayor Pro Tem Weste discussed the benefits of Ultra Violet technology and asked that a presentation be put on a future Agenda. Councilwoman Gibbs asked for a presentation on impacts of recent sentencing decisions by District Attorney Gascon. Both comments were agreed to be added to future agenda.

Mayor Miranda addressed the issue of hate crimes and stressed the efforts the City was taking on this issue. He also discussed his involvement with a group which has been meeting to deal with the SCE power shut off issues and the need to harden the SCE grid. Finally, he talked about the City's events celebrating Black History Month.

The Consent Calendar had the City take positions to oppose SB 6 (Caballero) preempting local land use authority allowing specific housing developments as authorized use in retail commercial or office zones. Oppose SB 9 (Atkins) which preempts local land use authority by requiring the approval of specific duplex housing developments and lot splits in single family zones. In addition, there was approval of an agreement to update the Old Town Newhall Specific Plan. Councilmember Gibbs was approved as a representative to the Santa Clara River Watershed Area Steering Committee. He had previously served as a public appointment from Supervisor Barger and serves as Co-Chair of the Committee.

Under New Business the Council approved the Award of the Contract for the Operation of the City of Santa Clarita Ice and Entertainment Center for 5 years to American Sports Entertainment and the Los Angeles Kings. Staff presentation highlighted 3 local examples of facilities operated by American Sports including the Lakers facility in El Segundo, the Kings facility in El Segundo and Pickwick in Burbank. Two public speakers were opposed. Council was generally very supportive and it passed 5 -0.

Final item was Emergency Rental Assistance for Low and Moderate Income Program. The City has received a \$6.3 million block grant from the Federal funding which passed on December 27 and is out of a total \$25 billion allocation. The State just passed and signed SB 91 which provided \$6.8 million dollars to Santa Clarita. These funds are for rental assistance and also applies to utility bills. 3 options were proposed to distribute these funds. The staff indicated that it was difficult for the City to manage this program since it does not have an existing program and staff which can implement the funding. Staff stated that the State does

have an existing program to administer both of these funding streams for the benefit of the residents of the City. One public speaker supported the State administering it based on the limits that the City does not have a department and staff to administer it. He also asked if mobile home park residents could apply and how LA County was handling its funds. Staff responded that mobile home residents would be eligible and LA County has opted to let the State administer it.

There was a great deal of discussion because the State and Federal Programs had different deadlines, the City had doubts about the state performing, the City would have to transfer the federal funds it has received to the State and the City would have to quickly ramp up its program. Finally, the Council voted 4-0 for Option C where the State administered the City's portion of the State Funding and the City would administer the federal funding which it has already received. Councilwoman Weste recused herself because she is in property management.

6. Participate in Virtual February 18 Public Outreach and Legislation Committee.
7. Monitored and reviewed Agency Board Agendas.
8. Reviewed weekly emails regarding articles of interest from Agency.



LEGISLATION TRACKING
Letters of Support/Opposition

ITEM NO. 3.1

Date	Bill/Initiative	Title	Stand	Notes	Leg. Policy*	Status
2/19/2021	House-version of the \$1.9 trillion COVID-19 Relief Package	State and local government emergency assistance provisions	Support	Sent our own letter House Representative Mike Garcia	12.0	Letter sent 2/19/21
3/4/2021	SB 45 (Portantino)	Wildfire Prevention, Safe Drinking Water, Drought Preparation and Flood Protection Bond Act of 2022	Support If Amended	Signed on to coalition letter from The State Water Contractors (SWC)	7.0	Letter sent
3/4/2021	SB 369 (Pan)	Yolo Bypass Cache Slough Partnership Multibenefit Program	Support	Signed on to coalition letter from The State Water Contractors (SWC)	2.0	Letter sent

* Reference to applicable section of Legislative Policy Guidelines
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SANTA CLARITA VALLEY WATER AGENCY GRANT SUMMARY								ITEM NO. 3.2	
Grant	Start Date	End Date	# of SCVWA Projects within Grant	SCV Water Project Name	Total Project Cost	Grant Funding	Required Funding Match (Non-State/Federal Share)	Other Non-State/Federal Share	% Grant Share Billed on Funder Approved Invoices*
DWR Prop 84 Round 1 Implementation	4/10/2012	3/31/2022	4	1. Grant Administration 2. SCV Water Use Efficiency Plan 3. Santa Clara River Sewer Truck Line Relocation 4. Recycle Water Project Phases 2B & 2D	\$ 14,057,107	\$ 6,264,551	\$ 4,110,280	\$ 7,792,556	71%
DWR Prop 84 Round 2 Implementation	6/17/2014	12/31/2020	4	1. Grant Administration 2. CLWA SCV WUE Program 3. SCWD WUE Programs 4. Foothill Feeder Connection	\$ 7,804,002	\$ 4,003,399	\$ 3,800,603		99.79% FINAL
DWR Prop 84 2014 Drought Grant	7/20/2015	12/31/2020	3	1. Grant Administration 2. RRB/CLWA Banking Program 3. CLWA/SWSD Extraction & Conveyance	\$ 15,616,780	\$ 11,535,067	\$ 4,081,713		99.68% FINAL
DWR Prop 1 Sustainable Groundwater Planning	12/5/2018	12/31/2022	2	a. Grant Administration b. Planning Activities	\$ 2,047,434	\$ 1,307,265	\$ 740,169		35%
DWR Prop 1 Round 1 IRWM Implementation <i>(Preliminary Award)</i>	N/A	N/A	2	1. Grant Administration 2. Recycle Water Phase 2C	\$ 9,124,450	\$ 3,000,000	\$ 4,880,005	\$ 1,154,445	0%

*Based on Funder approved invoices. Receipt of payment may be delayed in Funder's normal course of business.

APPLICATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION								
Grant	Start Date	End Date	# of SCVWA Projects within Grant	SCV Project Name	Total Project Cost	Grant Funding	Required Funding Match (Non-State/Federal Share)	Other Non-State/Federal Share (Funding Match)
WaterSMART Water and Energy Efficiency Grants BOR-DO-21-F001	TBD	TBD	1	Automated Metering Infrastructure (AMI) Project (SCV Water Phase 1)	\$ 3,475,860	\$ 500,000	\$ 500,000	\$ 2,475,860
Community Power Resiliency Allocation - Special Districts Program - CalOES subaward	TBD	TBD	1	Generator Replacement at Earl Schmidt Filtration Plan	\$ 249,854	\$ 249,854	\$ -	

REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION / FUNDING APPLICATION PREPARATION			
Document / Program	Explanation	Start Date	Est. Completion
Local Hazard Mitigation Plan (LHMP)	An approved LHMP is an eligibility requirement for funding under FEMA and/or other federal grants opportunities.	FEB 2021	JAN 2022
Drinking Water State Revolving Funds (DWSRF) Application	Very low interest, long term loan program for funding capital improvement projects related to safe drinking water. The Agency is pursuing DWSRF loan funding for future phases of PFAS remediation projects.	FEB 2021	JUN 2021
Crosswalk for Recycled Water	Collect, analyze and review existing Agency documentation (and determine additional documentation needs) to meet application requirements of federal WIIN Act funding for Phases 2A and 2C Recycled Water Projects.	JAN 2021	Ongoing
Grant and DWSRF Funding (LARC Ranch Project)	Resulting from SCV Water's installation of the LARC Ranch Pipeline (serving a Disadvantaged Community), the Agency gained eligibility to apply for a \$1M grant and a \$10M DWSRF 0% interest loan for an eligible incentive project(s) of our choosing. Selection of the incentive project(s) is in process.	Est. for Application APR 2021	TBD

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SPONSORSHIP TRACKING FY JULY 2020 - JULY 2021

ITEM NO.
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Updated: Mar 8, 2021

Agency Name	Event	Event Date	Event Location	Reg. Fee	Committed	Paid	Sponsorship
ACWA	2020 Summer Conference	May 5-8, 2020 (RESCHEDULED: July 28-31, 2020)	VIRTUAL	\$350		\$2,500	(ACWA transitioning to new virtual sponsorship options: added another \$500 and sponsored Thursday closing keynote E. Joaquin Esquivel, Chair, SWRCB & Director Karla Nemeth, CA DWR) Wed: Ice Cream Break \$2000
Urban Water Institute (UWI)	Informative Discussion with Felicia Marcus & Pat Mulroy	Aug 19, 2020	VIRTUAL			\$500	Listed on the UWI website, Zoom call and invitation as a sponsor, Name recognition on the call, A small ad in the monthly UWI newsletter, one participate can attend on all future Zoom Calls until end of 2020 at no charge
Santa Clarita Valley Economic Development & College of the Canyons (SCVEDC)	2020 Economic Outlook	Mar 12, 2020 (RESCHEDULED: Sept 17, 2020)	VIRTUAL	FREE		\$1,100	(VIRTUAL SPONSORSHIP: Q & A style article with me highlighting you or your company that will be posted on our blog and promoted on our social channels and via our eblasts, a full page ad with company recognition in the Santa Clarita Valley Business Journal, continued promotion of your company's sponsorship through our social media channels & on our website) Bronze: 2 reserved complimentary tickets to event at a sponsor table; Business card size color ad in Forecast program book; Company promotion through electronic and social media event marketing; Company logo in event presentation
SCV Chamber	State of the County Luncheon	May 15, 2020 (RESCHEDULED Aug 5, 2020; RESCHEDULED 2021)		\$75		\$1,500	Bronze Sponsor: 4 complimentary tickets, social media recognition, sponsor recognition in all marketing. Credit carried forward to 2021
CSDA	2020 Annual Conference	Aug 24-27, 20 (CANCELED)	Palm Desert	\$675			Sponsorship of Morning Coffee Station & 2/3rd page ad in the 50th Anniversary commemorative program - initial cost \$2,000
AWA	Annual Member & Elected Officials Reception	Sept 17, 20 (CANCELLED)	Ronald Reagan Presidential Library	Free to members			Representative Sponsor: Listing on invitation & event program, agency name on signage
SCV Chamber	Legislative Leaders Forum	TBD	Hyatt Valencia	N/A	\$1,000		Gold Sponsor: 6 reserved seats, logo placement on all event marketing materials, recognition in media and press
Urban Water Institute (UWI)	Informative Discussion with Jeff Kightlinger	Oct 21, 2020	VIRTUAL	\$25		\$500	Listed on the UWI website, Zoom call and invitation as a sponsor, Name recognition on the call, A small ad in the monthly UWI newsletter
AWA	25 Yrs. of Water Leadership Award Recipients	Oct 22, 2020	VIRTUAL	Free to members		\$500	Agency name on the program invitation, show it to attendees during the event, and place on AWA's website
Santa Clarita Environmental Education Consortium (SCEEC)	Green STEM	Nov 2020	College of the Canyons (VIRTUAL)	N/A		\$2,000	The event provides high school and college students with exposure to STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) concepts, but with sustainability as a key focus. The Water Technology program at COC is one of the featured programs. (Decreasing from previous Family of Water sponsorship of \$5000)
ACWA	2020 Fall Conference	Dec 2-3, 2020	VIRTUAL			\$2,500	Sponsoring Wednesday Opening Keynote, with recognition as a sponsor during the keynote; logo and link to website during the presentation located in the sponsors box

Agency Name	Event	Event Date	Event Location	Reg. Fee	Committed	Paid	Sponsorship
Maven's Notebook	2021 Weekly E-blast	2021				\$5,000	Gold Sponsors: organizations receive a one-year subscription to Maven's Weekly Water Blast; one-year to California Water Library; recognized with large logo linked to organization's website. Renews annually
Valley Industry Assn (VIA)	Monthly Luncheon Event	Jan - Dec 2021	VIRTUAL			1,500.00	Gold Sponsor: Prepaid lunches for one year (one seat) 12 months participation in VIA pop banner program; recognition as a luncheon sponsor at each luncheon form stage & logo; luncheon presentation package inserts opportunity for 12 months
Urban Water Institute (UWI)	2021 Spring Conference	Feb 17-18, 2021	VIRTUAL			1,500.00	Gold Sponsor: Company logo listed in all promotional materials; logo on program; logo displayed during reception; priority position on conference landing page - includes brief company bio, link to website, contact info, video; small ad in UWI monthly newsletter; 2 conference registrations
ACWA	DC Virtual Conference	Feb 24, 2021	VIRTUAL			1,500.00	Virtual Menu: Company logo is placed as a rotating pop-up box that is visible on any page.
Santa Clarita Valley Economic Development Corporation (SCVEDC)	2021 Economic Outlook Spring & Fall Event	Mar 26 and Sept 17	VIRTUAL			1,100.00	Bronze Sponsor: 2 complimentary tickets to the spring virtual event, and 2 in-person* tickets plus 2 virtual tickets to the fall event. Business card size color ad in fall Economic Outlook Book. Company promotion through electronic and social media event marketing Company logo in event presentations
San Joaquin Valley Water (SJV)	Nonprofit news site https://sjvwater.org/news/	March - August 2021				300.00	SJV Water will include a banner at the right hand side of their home page and news pages alerting the public to a company's good work or upcoming event for a limited time and for a fee based on web traffic defined as monthly page views.
			Committed			\$1,000	
			Paid			\$22,000	
			Subtotal			\$23,000	
			FY20/21 Budget			\$20,000	
			Bal Remaining			-\$3,000	



**PUBLIC OUTREACH AND LEGISLATION COMMITTEE
AGENDA PLANNING CALENDAR FY 2020-2021**

**ITEM NO.
3.4**

July 16, 2020 Committee – VIRTUAL MEETING

1. Legislative Consultant Reports
2. Public Information Officer Activities:
 - Monthly Outreach Matrix
 - Legislative Tracking
 - Sponsorship Tracking FY 2019/20 and FY 2020/21
 - Public Outreach Event Calendar 2020
 - Committee Planning Calendar 2020

August 20, 2020 Committee – VIRTUAL MEETING

1. Legislative Consultant Reports
2. Public Information Officer Activities:
 - Quarterly Social Media Report from Consultant Tripepi Smith
 - Monthly Outreach Matrix
 - Legislative Tracking
 - Grant Status Report
 - Sponsorship Tracking FY 2020/21
 - Public Outreach Event Calendar 2020
 - Committee Planning Calendar 2020
3. Recommend Authorizing the General Manager to Apply for Grant Funding Under the Federal Bureau of Reclamation WaterSmart Water Energy Efficiency Grant Program (WEEG) for an Automated Metering Infrastructure Project
4. Discussion of the RFP for New Website Design and Development
5. General Update on Virtual Outreach Efforts

September 1, 2020 – Board

1. Recommend Authorizing the General Manager to Apply for Grant Funding Under the Federal Bureau of Reclamation WaterSmart Water Energy Efficiency Grant Program (WEEG) for an Automated Metering Infrastructure Project
2. Approve RFP for New Website Design and Development

September 17, 2020 Committee – VIRTUAL MEETING

1. Legislative Consultant Reports
2. Public Information Officer Activities:
 - Monthly Outreach Matrix
 - Legislative Tracking
 - Grant Status Report
 - Sponsorship Tracking FY 2020/21
 - Public Outreach Event Calendar 2020
 - Committee Planning Calendar 2020
3. Overview of Outreach Efforts

October 15, 2020 Committee – VIRTUAL MEETING

1. Legislative Consultant Reports
2. Public Information Officer Activities:
 - Monthly Outreach Matrix
 - Legislative Tracking
 - Grant Status Report
 - Sponsorship Tracking FY 2020/21
 - Public Outreach Event Calendar 2020

- Committee Planning Calendar FY 2020/21

November 19, 2020 Committee – VIRTUAL MEETING

1. Legislative Consultant Reports
2. Recommend Authorizing the General Manager to Enter into an Agreement with Kennedy/Jenks Consultants to Provide Grant Administration Services for the Proposition 1 Integrated Regional Water Management Implementation Grant
3. Public Information Officer Activities:
 - Quarterly Social Media Report from Consultant Tripepi Smith
 - Monthly Outreach Matrix
 - Legislative Tracking
 - Grant Status Report
 - Sponsorship Tracking FY 2020/21
 - Public Outreach Event Calendar 2020
 - Committee Planning Calendar FY 2020/21

December 1, 2020 - Board Meeting

1. Recommend Authorizing the General Manager to Enter into an Agreement with Kennedy/Jenks Consultants to Provide Grant Administration Services for the Proposition 1 Integrated Regional Water Management Implementation Grant

December 17, 2020 Committee – CANCELLED

1. Legislative Consultant Reports
2. Public Information Officer Activities:
 - Monthly Outreach Matrix
 - Legislative Tracking
 - Grant Status Report
 - Sponsorship Tracking FY 2020/21
 - Committee Planning Calendar FY 2020/21

January 21, 2021 Committee – VIRTUAL MEETING

1. Legislative Consultant Reports
2. Review of Agency's Legislative Platform
3. Discussion of Consolidated Communications Efforts
4. Communications Manager Activities:
 - Monthly Outreach Matrix
 - Legislative Tracking
 - Grant Status Report
 - Sponsorship Tracking FY 2020/21
 - Committee Planning Calendar FY 2020/21

February 2, 2021 - Board Meeting

1. Approve Adoption of the Agency's 2021 Legislative Platform

February 18, 2021 Committee – VIRTUAL MEETING

1. Legislative Consultant Reports
2. Discussion of Water Affordability Assistance Programs
3. Discussion of Agency Resources for Plant Selection and Landscaping
4. Communications Manager Activities:
 - Quarterly Social Media Report from Consultant Tripepi Smith
 - Legislative Tracking
 - Grant Status Report
 - Sponsorship Tracking FY 2020/21
 - Committee Planning Calendar FY 2020/21

March 18, 2021 Committee – VIRTUAL MEETING

1. Legislative Consultant Reports
2. Communications Manager Activities:
 - Legislative Tracking
 - Grant Status Report
 - Sponsorship Tracking FY 2020/21
 - Committee Planning Calendar FY 2020/21

April 15, 2021 Committee – VIRTUAL MEETING

1. Legislative Consultant Reports
2. Discussion of Amendment to the 2021 Legislative Platform
3. Communications Manager Activities:
 - Quarterly Outreach Maxtrix
 - Legislative Tracking
 - Grant Status Report
 - Sponsorship Tracking FY 2020/21
 - Committee Planning Calendar FY 2020/21

May 20, 2021 Committee – VIRTUAL MEETING

1. Legislative Consultant Reports
2. Communications Manager Activities:
 - Quarterly Social Media Report from Consultant Tripepi Smith
 - Legislative Tracking
 - Grant Status Report
 - Sponsorship Tracking FY 2020/21
 - Committee Planning Calendar FY 2020/21

June 17, 2021 Committee – VIRTUAL MEETING

1. Legislative Consultant Reports
2. Communications Manager Activities:
 - Legislative Tracking
 - Grant Status Report
 - Sponsorship Tracking FY 2020/21
 - Committee Planning Calendar FY 2020/21