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Water Planning and Stewardship Committee

Meeting with Board of Directors*

July 13, 2020

10:00 a.m.

Monday, July 13, 2020	
Meeting Schedule	
10:00 AM	WP&S
11:00 AM	OP&T

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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 Water Planning and Stewardship Committee held June 8, 2020

3. CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS — ACTION

- 7-7 Authorize payments, by a two-thirds vote, of up to \$3.97 million for participation in the State Water Contractors for fiscal year 2020/21; the General Manager has determined that the proposed action is exempt or otherwise not subject to CEQA. **[Two-Thirds vote required at Board]**

- 7-8** Review and consider the Padre Dam Municipal Water District's approved Mitigated Negative Declaration for the East County Advanced Water Purification Project and take related CEQA actions; and authorize the General Manager to enter into a Local Resources Program Agreement with San Diego County Water Authority and the East County Advanced Water Purification Program Joint Powers Authority

- 7-9** Review and consider the City of Escondido's approved Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Escondido Membrane Filtration Reverse Osmosis Facility Project and take related CEQA actions; and authorize the General Manager to enter into a Local Resources Program Agreement with San Diego County Water Authority and the City of Escondido for the Project

END OF CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS

4. OTHER BOARD ITEMS – ACTION

- 8-1 Consider implications of board action to suspend collection of the Water Stewardship Rate and impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic on Metropolitan's budget and rates, and confirm Metropolitan's commitment to demand management programs and the Local Resources Program goal; the General Manager has determined that the proposed actions are exempt or otherwise not subject to CEQA

5. BOARD INFORMATION ITEMS

None

6. COMMITTEE ITEMS

- a. Conservation Update and Response to COVID-19

7. MANAGEMENT REPORTS

- a. Bay-Delta Matters
- b. Colorado River Matters
- c. Water Resource Management Manager's report

8. FOLLOW-UP ITEMS

None

9. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

10. ADJOURNMENT

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