

**SAN GABRIEL BASIN WATER QUALITY AUTHORITY
LEGISLATIVE/PUBLIC INFORMATION COMMITTEE AND
SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OCTOBER 9, 2019 AT 11:00 A.M.**

CALL TO ORDER

The Chairman called the regular meeting of the San Gabriel Basin Water Quality Authority to order and reviewed the actions anticipated on the agenda for the meeting.

**COMMITTEE MEMBERS
PRESENT**

Jorge Marquez, Bob Kuhn and Valerie Munoz

WATERMASTER LIASON

None.

**COMMITTEE MEMBERS
ABSENT**

None.

**OTHER BOARD MEMBERS
PRESENT**

Ed Chavez

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT

Ken Manning, Executive Director; Stephanie Moreno, Executive Assistant/Public Outreach Coordinator; Michelle Sanchez, Accounting Assistant; Dan Colby, Project Resource Manager; Randy Schoellerman, Assistant Executive Director/Sr. Engineer; Mary Saenz, Director of Finance

**MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC
PRESENT**

Chris Lancaster, Civic Publications; Margarita Vargas, Valley County Water District; Lenet Pacheco, Valley County Water District; David Muse, Valley County Water District

***Discussion Regarding Next
Advertorial***

Mr. Manning reported that the next advertorial would be focused on the National Ground Water Association (NGWA) Award. He indicated that the ad would have pictures from the award ceremony that was scheduled for Wednesday, December 4, 2019 in Las Vegas during the NGWA Fall Conference. He noted that the next ad would be the annual report that is usually associated with the tournament of roses.

Legislative Activities/Reports

State

Mr. Manning reported that SB 413 has been signed by the Governor and is now law.

Mr. Manning indicated that there are three water bonds under development by various parties. He noted that the California Groundwater Association was looking to have Joe Caves make a presentation on the bond that he is working on.

Federal

Mr. Manning reported that language for the \$10M USBR budget request for groundwater cleanup remained in the Senate Environment and Water Appropriations bill under review. He noted that Senator Feinstein remains supportive and that Aerojet has also expressed interest for this funding.


**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S
REPORT**

Mr. Manning that he had a nice vacation. He also reported that there was a group of interested parties that will be attending the NGWA award ceremony in December. He lastly noted that he spoke to some of the students that were currently enrolled in a local EPA job training program.

ADJOURNMENT

The Chairman asked if there were any other items of business to come before the Board. There being none, the Board meeting was adjourned.


Chairman


Secretary