# SAN BERNARDINO VALLEY WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS

### AGENDA

March 2, 2005 --- 1:30 P.M.

Location--1630 West Redlands Boulevard, Suite A, Redlands, California

Note: Copies of staff reports and other documents relating to the items on this agenda are on file at the District offices and are available for public review during normal District business hours.

# CALL TO ORDER / PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE ROLL CALL

### 1. **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

Members of the public may address the Board of Directors on any item that is within the jurisdiction of the Board; however, no action may be taken on any item not appearing on the agenda unless the action is otherwise authorized by Subdivision (b) Section 54954.2 of the Government Code.

### 2. **BOARD DISCUSSION ITEMS**

Monthly Activity Reports, and/or Comments by Board Members

### 3. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

The Regular Meeting of February 2, 2005

- 4. **BOARD COMMITTEE REPORTS**
- 5. **GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT**
- 6. OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE REPORT
- 7. CONSENT CALENDAR
  - A. Approval of Expenditures for February 2005
  - B. Approval of the Un-audited Financial Reports for February 2005

# 8. BOARD LETTERS, ACTION ITEMS, NEW BUSINESS, FYI

A. WATER EXHIBITS GRANT REQUEST - HIGHLAND ENVIRONMENTAL LEARNING CENTER

**Recommended Action:** Receive presentation and request for \$5,000 grant.

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# B. DIRECTOR BERT (PETE) MARCUM'S RESIGNATION; VACANCY ON THE BOARD

**Recommended Action:** Receive notification of Director Marcum's resignation and by Board vote declare his position vacant; determine filling vacancy by appointment or special election.

## C. ANNUAL ENGINEERING INVESTIGATION REPORT

**Recommended Action:** Receive the annual Engineering Investigation Report of the Bunker Hill Groundwater Basin, and determine the proposed groundwater replenishment charge rates for FY 2005-2006.

# D. GROUNDWATER HYDROLOGY STUDY OF THE SANTA ANA RIVER SPREADING GROUNDS

**Recommended Action:** Authorize the General Manager to enter into a contract with Black & Veatch, not to exceed \$15,000, for the purpose of a groundwater hydrology study in the Santa Ana River spreading grounds.

### E. ACWA/JPIA ELECTION

**Recommended Action:** Consider to concur in the nomination of candidate Edward Layton for the office of ACWA/JPIA Vice President, and authorize the Board President and Secretary to adopt and sign Resolution No. 404, stating same.

## F. BOARD WORKSHOP

**FYI:** Information is attached regarding the March 30, 2005 Board Workshop.

# 9. CLOSED SESSION

Under the authority of Government Code Section 54956.9a, the Board of Directors may recess to Closed Session to consider the Application No. 31371 before the State Water Resources Control Board to appropriate waters of the Santa Ana River.

#### and/or

Under the authority of Government Code Section 54956.9a, the Board of Directors may recess to Closed Session to consider the applications by Southern California Edison before the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to re-license hydroelectric plants on the Santa Ana River, Mill Creek, and Lytle Creek.

#### and/or

Under the authority of Government Code Section 54956.9 (b)(3)(a), and Section 54956.9(c), the Board may recess to Closed Session to confer with legal counsel regarding significant exposure to litigation in one case.

### and/or

Under the authority of Government Code Section 54956.8, the Board of Directors may recess to Closed Session to consider lease and/or Real Property negotiations with Robertson's Ready Mix; if action is directed, the negotiators will be Lawrence Libeu and David Cosgrove with the District; and Dennis Troesh of Robertson's Ready Mix.

### and/or

Under the authority of Government Code Section 54956.8, the Board of Directors may recess to Closed Session to consider lease and/or Real Property negotiations with CEMEX, USA; if action is directed, the negotiators will be Lawrence Libeu and David Cosgrove with the District; and Tom Powell and Christine Jones of CEMEX, USA.

### and/or

Under the authority of Government Code Section 54957 and 54957.6, the Board of Directors may recess to Closed Session to consider public employee items.

10. **ADJOURN MEETING.** The meeting will adjourn to the Board Workshop on March 30, 2005, at the Arrowhead Country Club, 3433 Parkside Drive, San Bernardino, at 9:00 a.m.