

#### **AGENDA**

#### REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS LA PUENTE VALLEY COUNTY WATER DISTRICT 112 N. FIRST STREET, LA PUENTE, CALIFORNIA MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2023, AT 4:30 PM

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 3. ROLL CALL OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President Hernandez	z Vice President Rojas	Director Argudo
Director Baraias	Director Escalera	

#### 4. PUBLIC COMMENT

Anyone wishing to discuss items on the agenda or pertaining to the District may do so now. The Board may allow additional input during the meeting. A five-minute limit on remarks is requested.

#### 5. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Each item on the Agenda shall be deemed to include an appropriate motion, resolution or ordinance to take action on any item. Materials related to an item on this agenda submitted after distribution of the agenda packet are available for public review at the District office, located at the address listed above.

#### 6. APPROVAL OF CONSENT CALENDAR

There will be no separate discussion of Consent Calendar items as they are considered to be routine by the Board of Directors and will be adopted by one motion. If a member of the Board, staff, or public requests discussion on a particular item, that item will be removed from the Consent Calendar and considered separately.

A. Approval of Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors held on September 11, 2023.

#### 7. FINANCIAL REPORTS

A. Summary of the District's Cash and Investments as of August 31, 2023. *Recommendation:* Receive and File.

- B. Statement of District's Revenue and Expenses as of August 31, 2023. *Recommendation:* Receive and File.
- C. Statement of the Industry Public Utilities Water Operations Revenue and Expenses as of August 31, 2023.

Recommendation: Receive and File.

#### 8. ACTION / DISCUSSION ITEMS

A. Discussion Regarding the 2023 Salary Survey

**Recommendation:** Board Discretion

B. Consideration of ACWA-JPIA's Commitment to Excellence Program (C2E)

**Recommendation:** Authorize the General Manager to execute JPIA's C2E Agreement

C. Consideration to Cancel the October 23, 2023, Regular Board of Directors Meeting

**Recommendation:** Board Discretion

#### 9. GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

#### 10. OTHER ITEMS

- A. Upcoming Events.
- B. Information Items.

#### 11. ATTORNEY'S COMMENTS

#### 12. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

- A. Report on Events Attended.
- B. Other Comments.

#### 13. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

#### 14. ADJOURNMENT

**POSTED:** Friday, September 22, 2023

President Henry P. Hernandez, Presiding.

Any qualified person with a disability may request a disability-related accommodation as needed to participate fully in this public meeting. In order to make such a request, please contact Mr. Roy Frausto, Board Secretary, at (626) 330-2126 in sufficient time prior to the meeting to make the necessary arrangements.

<u>Note:</u> Agenda materials are available for public inspection at the District office or visit the District's website at www.lapuentewater.com.



# Item 6 Consent Calendar



#### **MINUTES**

#### REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS LA PUENTE VALLEY COUNTY WATER DISTRICT 112 N. FIRST STREET, LA PUENTE, CALIFORNIA MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2023, AT 4:30 PM

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER

President Hernandez called the meeting to order at 4:30 pm.

#### 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

President Hernandez led the Pledge of Allegiance

#### 3. ROLL CALL OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President	Vice President	Director	Director	Director
Hernandez	Rojas	Argudo	Barajas	Escalera
Present	Present	Absent	Present	Present

#### OTHERS PRESENT

**Staff and Counsel:** General Manager & Board Secretary, Roy Frausto; Customer Service & Accounting Supervisor, Shaunte Maldonado; HR Coordinator/Admin Assistant, Angelina Padilla; Operations & Maintenance Superintendent, Paul Zampiello; Water Treatment & Supply Superintendent, Cesar Ortiz; and District Counsel, James Ciampa was present.

#### 4. PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

#### 5. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Motion: Adopt Agenda as Presented.

1st: President Hernandez 2nd: Director Barajas

	President Hernandez	Vice President Rojas	Director Argudo	Director Barajas	Director Escalera
Vote	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Motion carried by a vote of: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Abstain, 0 Absent

#### 6. APPROVAL OF CONSENT CALENDAR

Motion: Adopt Consent Calendar as Presented.

1st: Director Escalera 2nd: Director Barajas

	President Hernandez	Vice President Rojas	Director Argudo	Director Barajas	Director Escalera
Vote	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Motion carried by a vote of: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Abstain, 0 Absent

#### 7. ACTION / DISCUSSION ITEMS

# A. Consideration of Candidates for the Special District LAFCO Alternate Member for the Term Expiring in May 2026

Mr. Frausto presented to the Board the candidates for LAFCO's alternate member. The Board discussed and directed the General Manager to vote for Stephen Brown.

Motion: Direct General Manager to Vote for Stephen Brown on behalf of the Board.

1st: Director Escalera 2nd: Director Barajas

		President Hernandez	Vice President Rojas	Director Argudo	Director Barajas	Director Escalera
	Vote	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Motion carried by a vote of: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Abstain, 0 Absent

# B. Discussion Regarding District Staff Participation at an Event Hosted by Evans Food Group

Mr. Frausto and Ms. Maldonado presented to the Board the invitation to participate in an event for Evans Food Group's employees. The Board agreed that this would be a good event for the District to participate in.

Motion: Direct Staff to Participate in this Event.

1st: President Hernandez 2nd: Director Barajas

	President Hernandez	Vice President Rojas	Director Argudo	Director Barajas	Director Escalera
Vote	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Motion carried by a vote of: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Abstain, 0 Absent

#### C. Consideration of Rejecting Claim in the Matter of Cari McCormick

Mr. Frausto provided information on why the District will be rejecting this claim. Mr. Ciampa also explained that the District would be rejecting this claim on the basis that it does not apply to the District. He also directed staff to make a slight change in the Rejection Letter before sending it out.

Motion: Reject Claim
1st: Director Escalera
2nd: President Hernandez

	President Hernandez	Vice President Rojas	Director Argudo	Director Barajas	Director Escalera
Vote	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Motion carried by a vote of: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Abstain, 0 Absent

#### 8. OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Mr. Zampiello provided a summary of the operational and compliance activities for August and was available to answer any questions.

Motion: Receive and File 1st: Director Barajas 2nd: Director Argudo

	President Hernandez	Vice President Rojas	Director Argudo	Director Barajas	Director Escalera
Vote	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Motion carried by a vote of: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Abstain, 0 Absent

#### 9. TREATMENT AND SUPPLY SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Mr. Ortiz provided a summary on the various ongoing projects and an update on the treatment plants and was available to answer any questions. During this time, Mr. Frausto gave a brief update on the potential change to Well #2. He noted that the EPA requested that Well #2 have an increase in production. Mr. Frausto explained that if a change were to be made, the Board would be informed.

Motion: Receive and File 1st: President Hernandez 2nd: Director Barajas

	President Hernandez			Director Barajas	Director Escalera
Vote	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Motion carried by a vote of: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Abstain, 0 Absent

#### 10. PUBLIC OUTREACH REPORT

Ms. Padilla provided a summary on the social media stats for the month of August.

#### 11. GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

Mr. Frausto provided a summary to the Board on various topics, including the snowpack and BPOU budget, and gave an overview on his August activities.

#### 12. OTHER ITEMS

#### A. Upcoming Events.

Ms. Padilla went over the upcoming events and verified the attendance of the Board to these events.

#### B. Information Items.

Included in the Board packet.

#### 13. ATTORNEY'S COMMENTS

Mr. Ciampa reported on some state water board regulations that will be coming but noted that PWAG would handle the discussion. He also noted that through the trailer bill the COVID emergence program has been extended through December.

#### 14. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

#### A. Report on Events Attended.

Vice President Rojas reported his attendance at the First District COB Meeting

#### B. Other Comments.

None.

#### 15. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

None.

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#### 16. ADJOURNMENT

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Henry P. Hernandez, Board President	Roy Frausto, Board Secretary



# Item 7 Financial Reports



# Summary of Cash and Investments August 2023

La Puente Valley County Water Dis	itrict Interest Rate (Apportionment Rate)	Beg	ginning Balance	c	Receipts/ Change in Value		Disbursements/ Change in Value	ı	Ending Balance
Local Agency Investment Fund	3.150%	\$	3,824,227.52	\$	-	\$	-	\$	3,824,227.52
Raymond James Financial Services		\$	506,271.58	\$	884.11	\$	45.00	\$	507,200.69
Checking Account									
Well Fargo Checking Account (per Ger	neral Ledger)	\$	768,381.84	\$	638,406.69	\$	999,978.97	\$	406,809.56
					District's Total (	Cash	and Investments:	<u>\$</u>	4,738,237.77
Industry Public Utilities									
Checking Account		Beg	ginning Balance		Receipts		Disbursements	ı	Ending Balance
Well Fargo Checking Account (per Ger	neral Ledger)	\$	1,190,629.14	\$	276,563.79	\$	327,962.60	\$	1,139,230.33
					IPU's Total (	Cash	and Investments:	\$	1,139,230.33
Puente Valley Operable Unit									
Checking Account		Beg	ginning Balance		Receipts		Disbursements	ı	Ending Balance
Well Fargo Checking Account (per Ger	neral Ledger)	\$	650,178.28	\$	781,073.33	\$	161,392.58	\$	1,269,859.03
					PVOU's Total (	Cash	and Investments:	\$	1,269,859.03

I certify that; (1) all investment actions executed since the last report have been made in full compliance with the Investment Policy as set forth in Resolution No. 237 and, (2) the District will meet its expenditure obligations for the next six (6) months.

Roy Frausto , General Manager Date: 09/22/23



#### La Puente Valley County Water District Statement of Revenues & Expenses Summary

For the Period Ending August 31 2023 (Unaudited)

LPVCWD BPOU

	YTD 20	YTD 2023 YTD 2023 YTD		YTD 2023	2023 BUDGET 2023			Y	2022 YEAR-END		
Revenues											
Operational Rate Revenues	\$ 1,67	6,586	\$	-	\$	1,676,586	\$	2,601,400	64%	\$	2,660,795
Operational Non-Rate Revenues		9,923		1,106,705		2,206,629		3,396,382	65%		3,016,100
Non-Operational Revenues	32	2,313		-		322,313		477,100	68%		446,089
Total Revenues	3,09	8,823		1,106,705		4,205,528		6,474,882	65%		6,122,984
Expense											
Salaries & Benefits	1,53	6,293		191,679		1,727,973		2,638,000	66%		2,312,176
Supply & Treatment	78	5,527		791,474		1,577,001		2,378,080	66%		2,233,545
Other Operating Expenses	16	4,634		104,890		269,524		510,300	53%		421,023
General & Administrative	24	1,487		18,662		260,149		466,000	56%		334,756
Total Expense	2,72	7,941		1,106,705		3,834,647		5,992,380	64%		5,301,500
Net Income from Operations	37	0,881		-		370,881		482,502	77%		821,484
Less: Capital Expenses	(23	9,429)		-		(239,429)		(2,557,255)	9%		(1,332,244)
Net Income After Capital	13	1,453		-		131,453		(2,074,753)	N/A		(510,760)
Other Funding & Debt Service											
Capital Reimbursement (OU Projects)		-		-		-		607,700	0%		10,368
Grant Revenues	1,27	5,000		-		1,275,000		1,275,000	100%		224,070
Loan Payment (Interest & Principal)	(19	9,453)		-		(199,453)		(198,500)	100%		(254,330)
Cyclic Storage Purchases											
Prepaid Inventory Purchases		-		-		-		(100,000)	0%		-
Change in Cash	1,20	7,000		-		1,207,000		(490,553)	N/A		(530,653)
Add: Capital Assets (District-Funded)	12	5,344		-		125,344		674,555	19%		1,097,807
Add: Debt Principal	12	0,573		-		120,573		120,600	100%		173,631
Add: Prepaid Inventory		-		-		-		100,000	0%		-
Less: Depreciation Expense	(30	0,000)		(70,000)		(370,000)		(555,000)	67%		(416,242)
Net Income / (Loss)	\$ 1,15	2,917	\$	(70,000)	\$	1,082,917	\$	(150,398)	720%	\$	324,543

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#### La Puente Valley County Water District Statement of Revenues & Expenses

	Au	gust 2023	,	YTD 2023	В	UDGET 2023	67% OF BUDGET	2022 YEAR-END
Operational Rate Revenues								
Water Sales	\$	216,962	\$	945,274	\$	1,511,400	63% \$	1,603,280
Service Charges		82,726		603,224		908,800	66%	861,022
Surplus Sales		5,548		46,142		60,000	77%	73,612
Customer Charges		2,870		25,971		40,000	65%	44,983
Fire Service		12,439		54,983		80,700	68%	76,533
Miscellaneous Income (Cust. Charges)		-		992		500	198%	1,364
Total Operational Rate Revenues		320,545		1,676,586		2,601,400	64%	2,660,795
Operational Non-Rate Revenues								
Management Fees		-		313,183		537,202	58%	282,202
IPU Service Fees (Labor)		67,716		515,638		777,500	66%	770,103
BPOU Service Fees (Labor)		23,635		191,679		324,480	59%	315,465
PVOU IZ Service Fees (Labor)		32,251		256,654		307,500	83%	201,875
PVOU SZ Service Fees (Labor)		2,858		9,529		158,000	6%	-
Other O&M Fees		-		4,919		9,300	53%	12,686
Total Operational Non-Rate Revenues		126,460		1,291,603		2,113,982	61%	1,582,332
Non-Operational Revenues								
Taxes & Assessments		14,452		199,549		321,100	62%	351,827
Rental Revenue		3,507		27,750		41,000	68%	40,562
Interest Revenue		-		19,361		35,000	55%	36,028
Market Value Adjustment		-		-		-	N/A	(42,921)
Miscellaneous Income		7,039		75,653		80,000	95%	4,671
Developer Fees		-		-		-	N/A	55,923
Total Non-Operational Revenues		24,998		322,313		477,100	68%	446,089
Total Revenues		472,003		3,290,502		5,192,482	63%	4,689,216
Supply & Treatment								
Purchased & Leased Water		239		345,168		618,680	56%	411,430
Power		21,743		134,392		250,000	54%	182,246
Assessments		6,782		298,383		333,300	90%	334,649
Treatment		1,051		6,673		6,000	111%	6,094
Well & Pump Maintenance		-		911		60,000	2%	47,574
Total Supply & Treatment	\$	29,816	\$	785,527	\$	1,267,980	62%	\$ 981,993

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#### La Puente Valley County Water District Statement of Revenues & Expenses

	Au	gust 2023	YTD 2023	Е	BUDGET 2023	67% OF BUDGET	2022 YEAR-END
Salaries & Benefits							
Total District Wide Labor	\$	133,769	\$ 1,103,237	\$	1,577,000	70% \$	1,405,143
Directors Fees & Benefits		7,114	56,743		115,000	49%	82,983
Benefits		28,284	234,393		405,000	58%	318,111
OPEB Payments		9,131	66,949		110,000	61%	82,228
OPEB Trust Contributions		-	15,000		60,000	25%	100,000
Payroll Taxes		10,541	88,172		122,000	72%	108,430
CalPERS Retirement (Normal Costs)		4,606	98,732		184,000	54%	142,703
CalPERS Unfunded Accrued Liability		-	64,746		65,000	100%	72,578
Total Salaries & Benefits		193,445	1,727,973		2,638,000	66%	2,312,176
District Salaries & Benefits (Informational Onl	y)						
Less: Labor Service Revenue		(126,460)	(973,500)		(1,567,480)	62%	(1,287,443
Net District Salaries & Benefits		66,985	754,472		1,070,520	70%	1,024,733
Other Operating Expenses							
General Plant		2,244	16,491		60,000	27%	36,312
Transmission & Distribution		4,098	57,052		120,000	48%	106,380
Vehicles & Equipment		4,478	35,243		65,000	54%	32,428
Field Support & Other Expenses		2,761	35,520		60,000	59%	49,250
Regulatory Compliance		4,616	20,328		55,000	37%	35,582
Total Other Operating Expenses		18,197	164,634		360,000	46%	259,952
General & Administrative							
District Office Expenses		2,534	37,642		55,000	68%	47,256
Customer Accounts		2,413	20,854		32,000	65%	31,415
Insurance		-	36,479		82,000	44%	75,522
Professional Services		4,846	91,756		160,000	57%	78,303
Training & Certification		1,050	17,883		45,000	40%	28,977
Public Outreach & Conservation		8,536	15,758		25,000	63%	19,358
Other Administrative Expenses		1,378	21,115		45,000	47%	32,779
Total General & Administrative		20,757	241,487		444,000	54%	313,610
Total Expense		262,214	2,919,621		4,709,980	62%	3,867,731
Net Income from Operations	\$	209,789	\$ 370,881	\$	482,502	77% \$	821,484

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#### La Puente Valley County Water District Statement of Revenues & Expenses

	Au	gust 2023	YTD 2023	BUDGET 2023	67% OF BUDGET	2022 YEAR-END
Capital Expenses						
Nitrate Treatment System	\$	(34,667) \$	(114,084)	\$ (954,355)	12% \$	(1,099,565)
Recycled Water System - Phase 1		-	(16,900)	(246,700)	7%	(23,726)
Hudson Ave Pumping Improvements		-	(6,868)	(542,700)	1%	(10,368)
SCADA Improvements		-	(1,149)	(40,000)	3%	(3,125)
Service Line Replacements		-	(32,357)	(65,000)	50%	(45,475)
Valve Replacements		-	-	(40,000)	0%	(26,805)
Fire Hydrant Repair/Replacements		(8,465)	(23,283)	(38,500)	60%	(9,754)
LP CIWS Interconnection (Ind. Hills)		-	-	(65,000)	0%	-
Well 2 Rehabilitation		-	-	(200,000)	0%	-
Fleet Trucks		(44,787)	(44,787)	(230,000)	19%	-
Dump Truck		-	-	-	N/A	(111,713)
Other Field Equipment		-	-	(15,000)	0%	-
Ferrero/Rorimer St. Project		-	-	(120,000)	0%	-
Meter Replacement/Reading Equipment		-	-	-	N/A	(1,715)
Total Capital Expenses		(87,918)	(239,429)	(2,557,255)	9%	(1,332,244)
Net Income / (Loss) After Capital		121,871	131,453	(2,074,753)	6%	(510,760)
Other Funding & Debt Service						
Capital Reimbursement (OU Projects)		-	-	607,700	0%	10,368
Grant Revenues		-	1,275,000	1,275,000	100%	224,070
Loan Payment - Interest		(39,325)	(78,880)	(77,900)	101%	(80,699)
Loan Payment - Principal		(60,722)	(120,573)	(120,600)	100%	(173,631)
Cyclic Storage Purchases						
Prepaid Inventory Purchases		-	-	(100,000)	0%	-
Cash Increase / (Decrease)		21,824	1,207,000	(490,553)	246%	(530,653)
Add: Capitalized Assets (District-Funded)		53,251	125,344	674,555	19%	1,097,807
Add: Debt Principal		60,722	120,573	120,600	100%	173,631
Add: Prepaid Inventory		-	-	100,000	0%	-
Less: Depreciation Expense		(37,500)	(300,000)	(450,000)	67%	(416,242)
Net Income / (Loss)	\$	98,297 \$	1,152,917	\$ (45,398)	(	\$ 324,543

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# Treatment Plant (BPOU) Statement of Revenues & Expenses

	August	: 2023	YTD 2023	E	BUDGET 2023	67% OF BUDGET	2022 YEAR-END
Operational Non-Rate Revenues							
Reimbursements from CR's		88,280	915,026	\$	1,606,880	57%	1,433,768
Total Operational Non-Rate Revenues		88,280	915,026		1,606,880	57%	1,433,768
Labor & Benefits							
BPOU TP Labor		23,635	191,679		324,480	59%	315,465
Total Labor & Benefits		23,635	191,679		324,480	59%	315,465
Supply & Treatment							
NDMA, 1,4-Dioxane Treatment		13,991	221,072		229,900	96%	213,956
VOC Treatment		-	13,057		23,300	56%	25,563
Perchlorate Treatment		14,526	291,833		437,800	67%	528,865
Other Chemicals		-	5,292		67,900	8%	26,263
BPOU Plant Power		42,019	247,769		303,200	82%	355,444
BPOU Plant Maintenance		657	11,870		48,000	25%	68,168
Well & Pump Maintenance		-	581		-	N/A	33,292
Total Supply & Treatment	'	71,193	791,474		1,110,100	71%	1,251,551
Other Operating Expenses							
Contract Labor		-	-		20,000	0%	-
General Plant		1,727	22,332		15,000	149%	32,634
Transmission & Distribution		-	-		-	N/A	95
Vehicles & Equipment		1,220	9,397		14,300	66%	12,371
Regulatory Compliance		13,752	73,161		101,000	72%	115,971
Total Other Operating Expenses		16,699	104,890		150,300	70%	161,070
General & Administrative							
District Office Expenses		6	31		2,500	1%	-
Insurance		382	10,258		12,000	85%	13,484
Professional Services		-	8,373		7,500	112%	7,663
Total General & Administrative		388	18,662		22,000	85%	21,147
Total Expense		111,914	1,106,705		1,606,880	69%	1,749,234
Total Expense (excluding Labor)		88,280	915,026		1,282,400	71%	1,433,768
Operational Net Income		-	-		-		-
Less: Depreciation Expense		(8,750)	(70,000	)	(105,000)	67%	(105,000)
Net Income / (Loss)	\$	(8,750) \$	(70,000	\$	(105,000)	67%	\$ (105,000)

<sup>(1)</sup> Labor costs are equal to the amount of labor billed to the Baldwin Park Operable Unit (BPOU) in which the District receives reimbursement for as shown on Table 1.5 in operational non-rate revenue (BPOU Service Fees).

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#### **INDUSTRY PUBLIC UTILITIES - WATER OPERATIONS**

#### **Statement of Revenue and Expenses Summary**

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	August 2023		YTD 2023/24		BUDGET 2023/24	17% OF BUDGET	YEAR END FY 2022/23	
REVENUE								
Operational Revenue	\$	126,495	\$ 385,100	\$	2,286,800	17%	\$	2,189,652
Non-Operational Revenue		-	-		82,300	0%		69,760
TOTAL REVENUES		126,495	385,100		2,369,100	16%		2,259,411
EXPENSE								
Salaries & Benefits		67,716	125,046		790,200	16%		769,197
Supply & Treatment		30,759	56,845		860,600	7%		661,591
Other Operating Expense		14,241	21,396		250,000	9%		284,810
General & Administrative		17,814	25,471		352,200	7%		292,247
System Improvements & Miscellaneous	-	-	1,149		116,000	1%		85,741
TOTAL EXPENSE		130,529	229,908		2,369,000	10%		2,093,585
NET INCOME / (LOSS)		(4,034)	155,192		100	155192%		165,826

#### **INDUSTRY PUBLIC UTILITIES - WATER OPERATIONS**

#### **Statement of Revenue and Expenses**

	 August 2023		YTD 2023/24		BUDGET 2023/24	17% OF BUDGET	YE	AR END FY 2022/23
Operational Revenues								
Water Sales	\$ 75,146	\$	238,183	\$	1,322,500	18%	\$	1,258,012
Service Charges	43,647		113,648		750,700	15%		727,699
Customer Charges	2,680		6,647		43,000	15%		42,587
Fire Service	5,022		26,622		170,600	16%		161,354
Total Operational Revenues	126,495		385,100		2,286,800	17%		2,189,652
Non-Operational Revenues								
Contamination Reimbursement	-		-		82,300	0%		69,760
Total Non-Operational Revenues	-		-		82,300	0%		69,760
TOTAL REVENUES	 126,495		385,100		2,369,100	16%		2,259,411
Salaries & Benefits								
Administrative Salaries	20,940		40,156		258,853	16%		258,574
Field Salaries	25,717		45,944		263,393	17%		266,182
Employee Benefits	11,347		21,010		152,954	14%		133,488
Pension Plan	6,567		12,127		73,000	17%		70,311
Payroll Taxes	3,145		5,808		36,000	16%		35,466
Workers Compensation	 -		-		6,000	0%		5,176
Total Salaries & Benefits	67,716		125,046		790,200	16%		769,197
Supply & Treatment								
Purchased Water - Leased	-		-		348,250	0%		231,022
Purchased Water - Other	1,183		2,544		20,000	13%		14,110
Power	22,957		47,683		205,000	23%		167,911
Assessments	6,618		6,618		265,350	2%		235,610
Treatment	-		-		7,000	0%		5,498
Well & Pump Maintenance	 -		-		15,000	0%		7,439
Total Supply & Treatment	30,759		56,845		860,600	7%		661,591
Other Operating Expenses								
General Plant	1,899		2,442		45,000	5%		42,503
Transmission & Distribution	9,229		10,187		85,000	12%		125,255
Vehicles & Equipment	-		-		40,000	0%		45,702
Field Support & Other Expenses	1,487		5,998		42,000	14%		37,635
Regulatory Compliance	 1,626		2,769		38,000	7%		33,715
Total Other Operating Expenses	 14,241		21,396		250,000	9%		284,810

#### **INDUSTRY PUBLIC UTILITIES - WATER OPERATIONS**

#### **Statement of Revenue and Expenses**

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<u>-</u>	August 2023	YTD 2023/24	BUDGET 2023/24	17% OF BUDGET	YEAR END FY 2022/23
General & Administrative					
Management Fee	-	-	207,200	0%	203,030
Office Expenses	1,720	4,560	29,000	16%	30,445
Insurance	-	1,154	19,500	6%	13,792
Professional Services	12,697	12,949	45,000	29%	6,396
Customer Accounts	2,737	5,063	33,000	15%	30,689
Public Outreach & Conservation	660	1,671	12,000	14%	4,872
Other Administrative Expenses	-	74	6,500	1%	3,023
Total General & Administrative	17,814	25,471	352,200	7%	292,247
Other Exp. & System Improvements (Water Ops Fundaments)	d)				
Fire Hydrant Repair/Replace	-	-	28,000	0%	10,076
Service Line Replacements	-	-	30,000	0%	36,461
Valve Replacements & Installations	-	-	28,000	0%	21,461
SCADA Improvements	-	1,149	30,000	4%	2,575
Groundwater Treatment Facility Feas. Study	-	-	-	N/A	15,167
Total Other & System Improvements	-	1,149	116,000	1%	85,741
TOTAL EXPENSES	130,529	229,908	2,369,000	10%	2,093,585
NET INCOME / (LOSS)	(4,034)	155,192	100		165,826



# Item 8 Action / Discussion Items

# **STAFF***Report*



Date: September 25, 2023

To: Honorable Board of Directors

Subject: Commitment to Excellence by the Joint Powers Insurance Authority (JPIA)

Purpose: Execute JPIA's Commitment to Excellence (C2E) to potentially reduce

insurance costs and the number of claims due to losses or injury.

Recommendation: Authorize the General Manager to execute JPIA's C2E Agreement and

commit to the C2E Program through the implementation of "best practices"

to reduce the potential and frequency of losses.

Fiscal Impact: No direct fiscal impacts. However, the District can potentially reduce

insurance costs and the number of claims due to losses or injury. In addition, the District will become eligible for safety grants by the Association of California Water Agencies Joint Powers Insurance Authority (ACWA-JPIA) to provide additional funding to the District to improve implemented safety

related to operations.

#### **BACKGROUND**

The District continually strives to implement best safety practices for both Office and Field Staff. The JPIA offers many resources to keep District employees safe through training and education by utilizing best management practices. JPIA asks its members to implement the C2E Program, which provides a framework for safety practices in multiple work areas and rewards customers who practice innovative safety procedures.

#### **SUMMARY**

The C2E Program contains best practices for six different work areas that the District is insured through JPIA. By joining the program, the District is committing to implement "best practices" that reduce the potential and frequency of:

- Vehicle Losses
- 2. Infrastructure Losses
- 3. Construction Losses
- 4. Employment Practices Claims
- 5. Ergonomic (Musculoskeletal) and Fall Injuries
- 6. Wildfire Prevention

Safety practices and explanations of each listed work area are located within the C2E Loss Reduction Focus Menus and Explanations Guide (C2E Guide.) This Guide aims to educate members on the best safety practices and guidelines. JPIA is not enforcing any of the practices presented in the C2E Guide; they are encouraging the implementation of the best practices so long as they are affordable and practical to their members.

In addition, the C2E Program offers grants to its members who have the initiative to implement newly developed safety practices that will improve long-term safety practices for District employees. There is a current JPIA Safety grant that the District Staff is interested in applying for the purpose of meeting a State Water Resources Control Board – Division of Drinking Water (SWRCB-DDW) requirement. DDW requested, at minimum, monthly reservoir inspections which require Field Staff to climb to the top of the reservoirs. Each climb puts Field Staff at risk during each climb. The District plans to use the money from this grant to purchase a drone and train two Field Staff to fly small aviation aircraft to perform these inspections.

#### RECOMMENDATION

Authorize the General Manager to execute JPIA's C2E Agreement and commit to the C2E Program through the implementation of "best practices" to reduce the potential and frequency of losses.

Respectfully Submitted,

Roy Frausto General Manager

#### **ENCLOSURES**

- JPIA Commitment to Excellence Agreement





# Commitment to Excellence La Puente Valley County Water District

and the ACWA JPIA in mutual support for ensuring the most consistent, cost effective and broadest possible affordable insurance coverage and related services, and in partnership with all JPIA members, and in the interest of reducing *La Puente Valley County Water District's* insurance costs, commit to a program of excellence that through the implementation of "best practices" reduces the potential and frequency of:

- Vehicle Losses
- Infrastructure Related Losses
- Construction Related Losses
- Employment Practices Claims
- Ergonomic (Musculoskeletal) and Fall Injuries
- Wildfire Prevention

and fully support the goal of implementing effective preventative measures that work to achieve these loss reductions.

Walt Hudy Solls Signature	(CEO, ACWA JPIA)	Signature	(Board Member)
Signature	(General Manager)	Signature	(Board Member)
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## Memo

**Date:** August 14, 2023

To: Honorable Board of Directors

Subject: Cancelling the October 23, 2023, Regular Meeting of the Board of

**Directors** 

#### **Summary**

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors scheduled for Monday, October 23, 2023, conflicts with the AWWA Fall Conference, which a few of the Directors will be attending.

Staff recommends that the Board consider cancelling this regular meeting.

Thank you,

Roy Frausto

General Manager



## Item 9 General Manager Report



Join us and the partners involved for the latest:

# A product of Project LEAD

Tuesday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023

10:00 am

1<sup>st</sup> Street & Main Street La Puente, CA 91744

Meet the artist and learn about the inspiration behind the mural.

Let's celebrate the latest mural addition in the City of La Puente!



### Item 10 Other Items

# **Upcoming Events**

Date: September 25, 2023

To: Honorable Board of Directors

**RE:** Upcoming Board Approved Meetings and Conferences for 2023



Day/Date	Event	<u>Argudo</u>	<u>Barajas</u>	<u>Escalera</u>	<u>Hernandez</u>	<u>Rojas</u>
October 3-5, 2023	AWWA WaterSmart Innovations Conference 2023			X	X	
October 23-26, 2023	AWWA CA-NV Annual Fall Conference 2023			X	X	X
November 28-30, 2023	Association of California Water Agencies (ACWA) Fall Conference 2023			X	X	X