Press Release

Palmdale Water District
Board Meeting Actions
April 13, 2016 Regular Board Meeting
April 27, 2016 Regular Board Meeting

PALMDALE, CA, May 4, 2016 – The Board of Directors of the Palmdale Water District, with five Directors present, considered the following matters at the APRIL 13, 2016 REGULAR BOARD MEETING:

- *Consent calendar items* were unanimously approved as follows: minutes of regular meeting held March 23, 2016; payment of bills for April 13, 2016; approval of Resolution No. 16-6 Authorizing Compensation and Reimbursement for Training for the Public Member of the Palmdale Recycled Water Authority Board from Revenue Received from Recycled Water Sales; and approve absence of Director Mac Laren from March 23, 2016 meeting due to employment obligation.

- *Consideration and possible action on contract with High Desert Broadcasting for water conservation radio campaign. ($24,495.00 – Budgeted – PIO/Conservation Director McNutt):* It was unanimously carried to approve a contract with High Desert Broadcasting for a water conservation radio campaign. This campaign will be for a period of six months, will include public service announcements, and will include advertising on both English and Spanish radio stations.

- *Consideration and possible action on authorization of the following conferences, seminars, and training sessions for Board and staff attendance within budget amounts previously approved in the 2016 Budget: Call Center Week Conference and Expo to be held June 27 – July 1, 2016 in Las Vegas, Nevada:* It was unanimously carried to approve Board and staff attendance at this conference.

The Board of Directors of the Palmdale Water District, with five Directors present, considered the following matters at the APRIL 27, 2016 REGULAR BOARD MEETING:

- *Presentation: Drought Report-Review of "Water Conservation and Reduction in Water Demand Efforts Report as of March, 2016:"* The Palmdale Water District ratepayers achieved a 27.9% reduction in water use compared to March, 2013, which is just short of the District's state-mandated water use reduction goal of 28%.

- *Consent calendar items* were unanimously approved as follows: minutes of regular meeting held April 13, 2016; payment of bills for April 27, 2016; and approval of 2016 membership in the Water Research Foundation ($13,629.00 – Budgeted – Operations Manager Masaya).

- *Presentation, consideration, and possible action on receiving and filing of 2015 Audit and Management Report. (The Pun Group/ Financial Advisor Egan/ Finance Manager Williams/ Finance Committee):* It was unanimously carried to receive and file the 2015 Audit and Management Report. The annual audit is a ratification of the monthly financial presentations of the District, and the determination of the audit is that the District's overall financial statements are presented fairly in all material aspects regarding the balance sheet, the statement of revenues, expenses, and changes in position, the cash flow statements, and the footnotes in the financial statements.

The Palmdale Water District Board of Director meetings are held twice a month on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month at 7:00 p.m. The next regular Board meeting will be held May 11, 2016. Board meetings are held at the District's office at 2029 East Avenue Q, Palmdale, and the public is invited to attend.

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About Palmdale Water District:

The Palmdale Water District has grown from an agency providing irrigation water for 60 customers to an agency providing domestic water to the thriving community we know today. Founded as an irrigation district supplying water mainly to farms for agricultural use, the District's boundaries expanded with Palmdale's rapid population growth, and the District has shifted to providing predominantly municipal and industrial water. The Palmdale Water District is currently divided into five divisions covering areas in East and central Palmdale. The Palmdale Water District remains dedicated to providing clean, pure water; state of the art facilities to meet current and future needs; attentive staff committed to customer satisfaction; treatment and testing to ensure high quality water; education on water conservation and safety; and reliable supply and resourceful planning insuring customer satisfaction and continued reasonable rates. The Palmdale Water District can be reached by calling (661) 947-4111. The Palmdale Water District is located at 2029 East Avenue Q in Palmdale, California.

Palmdale Water District Board Members

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Division 4	Kathy Mac Laren
Division 5	Vincent Dino

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