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COFFEE WITH DIRECTOR ROBERT E. ALVARADO SET FOR JUNE 12

Palmdale, CA – Palmdale Water District (PWD) Board Director Robert E. Alvarado will meet with constituents and answer questions at Coffee with a PWD Director from 9-11 a.m. Wednesday, June 12, at Starbucks, 1763 E. Palmdale Blvd. in Palmdale.

PWD's Coffee with a PWD Director events give customers the opportunity to meet their representatives and ask water-related questions in a casual environment. PWD will buy the first cup of coffee for community members at the event.

For those unable to attend, Director Alvarado will be on Facebook Live from 10-10:30 a.m. on PWD's Facebook page, @palmdaleh2o. Also, written questions may be submitted as Facebook messages and will be answered.

"I am very excited for the opportunity to meet our customers and enjoy a cup of coffee together," Director Alvarado said. "I invite people to

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come share their water-related concerns or ask questions. This is a great way for me to have one-on-one conversations with our ratepayers."

Originally from El Salvador, Director Alvarado has lived in Antelope Valley since 1986, with the last 11 years in Palmdale. He has served in leadership positions at local, regional and state levels. For the past 30 years, he has been educating English-language learners in the Lancaster School District and was its Classified Employee of the Year in 2002. He was first elected to the Board in November 2011. His current term expires in 2020.

Director Alvarado represents Division 1, which roughly borders Avenue P to the north, Avenue R to the south, 35th Street to the east and Highway 14 to the west.

Since 1918, the Palmdale Water District has provided high-quality water at a reasonable cost. We pride ourselves on providing great customer care; advocating for local water issues that help our residents; educating the community on water-use efficiency; and leading our region in researching and implementing emerging technologies that increase operational efficiency. For more information about PWD, visit <u>www.palmdalewater.org</u>.