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## Thomas A. Love Appointed Inland Empire Utilities Agency's Chief Executive Officer/General Manager

Inland Empire - At a Special Board Meeting of the Inland Empire Utilities Agency on Wednesday, June 23, 2010, the Board of Directors unanimously appointed Mr. Thomas A. Love as its Chief Executive Officer/General Manager. Mr. Love has over twenty five years of experience in public agency, water resources and engineering management.

Mr. Love began his position as Executive Manager of Engineering with the Inland Empire Utilities Agency in 2000. During this time, Mr. Love oversaw IEUA's Engineering Division providing oversight and coordination with regional agencies. He was responsible for the design and construction of the Chino Basin Groundwater Recharge Program, the Regional Recycled Water Program, IEUA's Biosolids and Organics Management, Renewable Energy and the Chino Desalters.

Prior to joining IEUA, Mr. Love worked for a number of consulting engineering firms providing water resources consulting services in California and western United States. Mr. Love was also Manager/District Engineer at West and Central Basin Municipal Water District and Assistant District Engineer with Weber Basin Water Conservancy District in Utah.

Mr. Love's professional affiliations and certifications include: Professional Civil Engineer, CA, American Water Works Association, American Society of Civil Engineers, WateReuse, and Association of California Water Agencies. Mr. Love holds a Bachelors degree in Civil Engineering from Utah State University and Post Graduate studies in Statistics from Utah State University.

The Inland Empire Utilities Agency employs 283 people and covers 242-square miles, distributes imported water, provides industrial/municipal wastewater collection and treatment services, and other related utility services to more than 850,000 people. The Agency's service area includes the Cities of Chino, Chino Hills, Fontana, Montclair, Ontario and Upland, as well as the Cucamonga Valley Water District and the Monte Vista Water District.