

# FINANCE, LEGAL, AND ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS INLAND EMPIRE UTILITIES AGENCY\* AGENCY HEADQUARTERS, CHINO, CALIFORNIA

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10, 2015 11:00 A.M.

Or immediately following the Engineering, Operations, and Biosolids Management Committee Meeting

### **CALL TO ORDER**

### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Members of the public may address the Board 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) of Section 54954.2 of the Government Code. Those persons wishing to address the Board on any matter, whether or not it appears on the agenda, are requested to complete and submit to the Board Secretary a "Request to Speak" form which is available on the table in the Board Room. Comments will be limited to five minutes per speaker. Thank you.

### **ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA**

In accordance with Section 54954.2 of the Government Code (Brown Act), additions to the agenda require two-thirds vote of the legislative body, or, if less than two-thirds of the members are present, a unanimous vote of those members present, that there is a need to take immediate action and that the need for action came to the attention of the local agency subsequent to the agenda being posted.

### 1. ACTION ITEMS

### A. MINUTES

The Committee will be asked to approve the Finance, Legal, and Administration Committee meeting minutes of May 13, 2015.

### B. TREASURER'S REPORT ON GENERAL DISBURSEMENTS

It is recommended that the Committee/Board approve the total disbursements for the month of April 2015 in the amount of \$15,881,432.46.

### C. <u>PUBLIC HEARING AND ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE NO. 102,</u> ESTABLISHING FISCAL CONTROL

It is recommended that the Committee/Board:

- 1. Hold a public hearing to receive public comments on the proposed Ordinance No. 102, establishing fiscal control; and
- 2. After closing the public hearing, adopt, by roll call vote, Ordinance No. 102.

## D. <u>PUBLIC HEARING AND ADOPTION OF THE AGENCY'S BIENNIAL</u> <u>BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEARS (FYS) 2015/16 AND 2016/17</u>

It is recommended that the Committee/Board:

- 1. Hold a public hearing to receive public comments on the proposed Agency's Biennial Budget for FY's 2015/16 and 2016/17;
- 2. After closing the public hearing, adopt Resolution No. 2015-6-1, approving the Agency's Biennial budget for FYs 2015/16 and 2016/17, including the Agency-wide departmental goals and objectives; an inter-fund loan from the Administrative Services (GG) fund to the Water Resources (WW) fund for a not-to-exceed amount of \$2 million in FY 2015/16, and Rate Resolution Nos. 2015-6-4 to 2015-6-7 for the Non-Reclaimable Wastewater System as outlined in the Biennial Budget;
- Approve an annual allocation of property taxes from the GG fund to the WW fund in the amount of \$1.5 million beginning in FY 2014/15; and
- 4. Increase the \$5.5 million inter-fund loan from the Regional Wastewater Capital Improvement (RC) fund to the Recycled Water (WC) fund approved by the Board of Directors in FY 2013/14 for a not-to-exceed amount of \$10.5 million for FY 2014/15.

## E. ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION NO. 2015-6-2, APPROVING THE SANTA ANA WATERSHED PROJECT AUTHORITY ADOPTED BUDGET FOR FY 2015/16 AND FY 2016/17

It is recommended that the Committee/Board:

 Ratify the Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority (SAWPA) adopted budget for Fiscal Years (FYs) 2015/16 and 2016/17, as submitted; and 2. Adopt Resolution No. 2015-6-2, approving the SAWPA general and specific project budgets for FYs 2015/16 and 2016/17.

## F. ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION NO. 2015-6-3, APPROVING THE BIENNIAL UPDATE OF THE AGENCY'S INVESTMENT POLICY

It is recommended that the Committee/Board adopt Resolution No. 2015-6-3, approving the biennial update of the Agency's Investment Policy for Fiscal Years (FYs) 2015/16 and 2016/17.

## G. <u>ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION NO. 2015-6-10, ESTABLISHING THE</u> APPROPRIATION LIMITS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2015/16

It is recommended that the Committee/Board adopt Resolution No. 2015-6-10, establishing the Appropriation Limits for Fiscal Year (FY) 2015/16.

### H. ADOPTION OF THE UPDATED RESERVE POLICY

It is recommended that the Committee/Board adopt the updated Reserve Policy as of June 2015 governing all Agency funds.

## 1. <u>AMENDMENTS TO EXTEND THE CONTRACTS FOR FEDERAL</u> <u>LEGISLATIVE SERVICES</u>

It is recommended that the Committee/Board:

- Amend Contract No. 4600001343 with Innovative Federal Strategies (IFS) to provide federal legislative services from July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016, at a monthly retainer fee of \$6,500 per month, plus reasonable business expenses, with no change in the current rate;
- 2. Amend Contract No. 4600001344 with Agricultural Resources to provide federal legislative services from July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016, at a monthly retainer fee of \$6,000 per month, plus reasonable business expenses, with no change in the current rate; and
- 3. Authorize the General Manager to finalize and execute the amendments.

### J. <u>AMENDMENT TO EXTEND THE CONTRACT WITH WEST COAST</u> ADVISORS

It is recommended that the Committee/Board:

 Amend Contract No. 4600001846 with West Coast Advisors to provide state legislative consulting services from July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016, at a monthly retainer fee of \$9,800 per month, plus reasonable business expenses, with no change in the current rate; and Finance, Legal, and Administration Committee June 10, 2015 Page 4

> 2. Authorize the General Manager to finalize and execute the amendment.

### K. AMENDMENT TO EXTEND THE CONTRACT WITH CALIFORNIA STRATEGIES, LLC

It is recommended that the Committee/Board:

- 1. Amend Contract No. 4600000419 with California Strategies, LLC to provide strategic local government consulting services from July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016, at a monthly retainer fee of \$6,000 per month, plus reasonable business expenses, with no change in the current rate: and
- 2. Authorize the General Manager to finalize and execute the amendment.

#### 2. **INFORMATION ITEMS**

- A. TREASURER'S REPORT OF FINANCIAL AFFAIRS (WRITTEN)
- B. FY 2014/15 THIRD QUARTER BUDGET VARIANCE, PERFORMANCE **GOALS UPDATES, AND BUDGET TRANSFERS (WRITTEN)**
- 3. **GENERAL MANAGER'S COMMENTS**
- 4. COMMITTEE MEMBER COMMENTS

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- 5. COMMITTEE MEMBER REQUESTED FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS
- 6. <u>ADJOURN</u>

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April Woodruff