



# San Gabriel Valley Council of Governments

## AGENDA AND NOTICE OF THE **SPECIAL** JOINT MEETING OF THE WATER POLICY COMMITTEE & WATER TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE (TAC)

**Tuesday, April 16, 2019, 10:00 AM**

**Upper San Gabriel Valley Municipal Water District Office  
602 E. Huntington Drive, Suite B Monrovia, CA 91016**

### Water Policy Committee

**Chair: Judy Nelson**  
City of Glendora

**Vice-Chair:**  
**Gloria Crudgington**  
City of Monrovia

**Members**  
Claremont  
Glendora  
Monrovia  
Rosemead  
Sierra Madre  
South Pasadena  
West Covina  
LA County District 1  
Upper San Gabriel Valley  
MWD

### Water TAC

**Chair: Tom Love**  
Upper San Gabriel Valley  
Municipal Water District

**Vice Chair: Alex Tachiki**  
City of Monrovia

**Members**  
Alhambra  
Arcadia  
Bradbury  
Covina  
Duarte  
Monrovia  
Pomona  
Sierra Madre  
LA County DPW  
San Gabriel Valley MWD  
Upper San Gabriel Valley  
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**Ex-Officio Members**  
LA County Sanitation  
Districts  
SG Basin Watermaster

Thank you for participating in today's meeting. The Water Committee encourages public participation and invites you to share your views on agenda items.

**MEETINGS:** *Regular Meetings of the Water Committee are held on the second Tuesday of each month at 10:00 AM at the Upper San Gabriel Valley Municipal Water District Offices (602 E. Huntington Drive, Suite B Monrovia, CA 91016).* The agenda packet is available at the San Gabriel Valley Council of Government's (SGVCOG) Office, 1000 South Fremont Avenue, Suite 10210, Alhambra, CA, and on the website, [www.sgvco.org](http://www.sgvco.org). Copies are available via email upon request ([sgv@sgvco.org](mailto:sgv@sgvco.org)). Documents distributed to a majority of the Committee after the posting will be available for review in the SGVCOG office and on the SGVCOG website. Your attendance at this public meeting may result in the recording of your voice.

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**AGENDA ITEMS:** The Agenda contains the regular order of business of the Water Committee and the Water TAC. Items on the Agenda have generally been reviewed and investigated by the staff in advance of the meeting so that the Committee/TAC can be fully informed about a matter before making its decision.

**CONSENT CALENDAR:** Items listed on the Consent Calendar are considered to be routine and will be acted upon by one motion. There will be no separate discussion on these items unless a Committee member or citizen so requests. In this event, the item will be removed from the Consent Calendar and considered after the Consent Calendar. If you would like an item on the Consent Calendar discussed, simply tell Staff or a member of the Committee.



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**PRELIMINARY BUSINESS**

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Public Comment (*If necessary, the Chair may place reasonable time limits on all comments*).
4. Changes to Agenda Order: Identify emergency items arising after agenda posting and requiring action prior to next regular meeting.

**CONSENT CALENDAR** (*It is anticipated that the Water Committee/TAC may act on the following matters*)

5. Water Committee/TAC Meeting Minutes – Page 1  
*Recommended Action: Approve Water Committee/TAC meeting minutes.*

**ACTION ITEMS**

6. HR 1497: Water Quality Protection and Job Creation Act – Page 5  
*Recommended Action: Recommend the Governing Board support HR 1497.*

**LEGISLATIVE UPDATE**

7. Legislative Updates – Page 15  
*Recommended Action: For information only.*

**UPDATE ITEMS**

8. Measure W Implementation Update  
*Recommended Action: For information only.*
9. State Auditor Report No. 2017-118 Recommendations Update  
*Recommended Action: For information only.*
10. E/WMP Updates  
*Recommended Action: For information only.*
11. Water TAC Chair Report  
*Recommended Action: For information only.*
12. Water Supply Update  
*Recommended Action: For information only.*
13. Water Boards Update  
*Recommended Action: For information only.*

**CHAIR'S REPORT**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**ADJOURN**



**SGVCOG Joint Water Policy Committee/TAC **Special Meeting**  
Unapproved Minutes**

Date: March 12, 2019  
Time: 10:00 AM  
Location: Monrovia Public Works  
600 S. Mountain Ave, Monrovia, CA

**PRELIMINARY BUSINESS**

1. Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 10:04 A.M.
2. Roll Call

**Water Policy Committee Members Present**

H. Nguyen, LA County District #1  
G. Boyer, Glendora  
D. Mahmud, South Pasadena  
Claremont, J. Stark

**Water Policy Committee Members Absent**

J. Capoccia, Sierra Madre  
A. Fellow, USGVMWD  
G. Crudgington, Monrovia  
M. Clark, Rosemead  
West Covina

**Water TAC Members Present**

D. Dolphin, Alhambra  
N. Delgado, USGVMWD  
A. Tachiki, Monrovia  
J. Carlson, Sierra Madre  
R. Wang; F. Villaluna LACDPW

**Water TAC Members Absent**

S. Costandi, Covina  
M. Jiang, Arcadia  
J. Carver, Pomona  
E. Reyes, SGVMWD  
Bradbury, K. Kearney

**Ex Officio Members Present**

K. Gardner, SG Watermaster

**Ex Officio Members Absent**

S. Green, LACSD

**Guests**

M. Lyons, Assemblymember Holden  
B. Matsumoto; K. Orbe, Nature for All  
R. Romero, Assemblymember Chau  
K. Sanchez; L. O'Brien, City of La Verne  
V. Murphy, Senator Portantino  
J. Dever, SGV Mosquito Vector Control District

W. La, SGMRC  
R. Tahir

**SGVCOG Staff**

P. Duyshart  
K. Ward

3. Public Comment.  
No public comment.
4. Changes to Agenda Order.  
No changes to the agenda order.

**CONSENT CALENDAR**

5. Water Committee/TAC Meeting Minutes  
**There was a motion to approve the consent calendar. (M/S: J. Carlson/A. Tachiki).**

[MOTION PASSED]

<b>AYES:</b>	Alhambra, Claremont, Monrovia, Glendora, Sierra Madre, South Pasadena, USGVMWD, LACDPW, LA County District #1
<b>NOES:</b>	
<b>ABSTAIN:</b>	
<b>ABSENT:</b>	Bradbury, Covina, West Covina, Rosemead, Pomona, Arcadia, SGVMWD

**ACTION ITEMS**

6. AB 755 (Holden): California Tire Fee/Stormwater Permit Compliance Fund  
 K. Ward presented on this item. M. Lyons commented that there is renewed enthusiasm for the bill this year. A hearing is scheduled for March 25 on this bill. There was a recommendation to approach ACWA for support of this bill.  
**There was a motion to recommend the Governing Board support AB 755 (Holden) (M/S: J. Carlson/G. Boyer).**

[MOTION PASSED]

<b>AYES:</b>	Alhambra, Claremont, Monrovia, Glendora, Sierra Madre, South Pasadena, USGVMWD, LACDPW, LA County District #1
<b>NOES:</b>	
<b>ABSTAIN:</b>	
<b>ABSENT:</b>	Bradbury, Covina, West Covina, Rosemead, Pomona, Arcadia, SGVMWD

7. AB 1093 (Rubio): Stormwater Financial Capability Analysis  
 K. Ward presented on this item. D. Mahmud provided additional background information on the bill, including emphasizing that this bill has been introduced on three occasions to the State Legislature.  
**There was a motion to recommend the Governing Board support AB 1093 (Rubio) (M/S: G. Boyer/D. Dolphin).**

[MOTION PASSED]

<b>AYES:</b>	Alhambra, Claremont, Monrovia, Glendora, Sierra Madre, South Pasadena, USGVMWD, LACDPW, LA County District #1
<b>NOES:</b>	
<b>ABSTAIN:</b>	
<b>ABSENT:</b>	Bradbury, Covina, West Covina, Rosemead, Pomona, Arcadia, SGVMWD

8. AB 1204 (Rubio): Primary Drinking Water Standards Implementation Date  
 K. Ward presented on this item. D. Mahmud stressed the need for this bill for cities that have a city owned water utility. K. Gardner mentioned that ACWA is working to add language in the bill to clarify that the EPA will still have enforcement capability over non-compliance with drinking water standards.  
**There was a motion to recommend the Governing Board support AB 1204 (Rubio) (M/S: D. Mahmud/J. Carlson).**

[MOTION PASSED]

<b>AYES:</b>	Alhambra, Claremont, Monrovia, Glendora, Sierra Madre, South Pasadena, USGVMWD, LACDPW, LA County District #1
<b>NOES:</b>	
<b>ABSTAIN:</b>	
<b>ABSENT:</b>	Bradbury, Covina, West Covina, Rosemead, Pomona, Arcadia, SGVMWD

## **UPDATE ITEMS**

### **9. Measure W Implementation Update**

K. Ward presented on this item. Self-selection of the Watershed Area Steering Committee appointments have been made. The remaining Committee appointment positions are expected to be considered by the LA County Board of Supervisors in early April. The low-income senior exemption form and the feasibility equivalency guidance are still in development. The County will look to the COG, Cities, and other willing parties to help share news/documents once available, in addition to having online and promoting elsewhere. The Measure W implementation ordinance is still being drafted based on input from the time of the public hearing and subsequent meetings to date. The timeline for the public review period of the implementing ordinance is still to be determined.

### **10. E/WMP Updates.**

A. Tachiki reported on this item. He provided updates on the Rio Hondo and San Gabriel EWMP, the Regional Water Board is recommending approval for the revised EWMP. D. Dolphin reported on the Upper LA EWMP. He reported that the group was updated on Measure W and cities are able self-score their projects to see how they rank.

### **11. Water TAC Chair Report**

A. Tachiki reported on this item. The TAC was not able to meet due to a lack of a quorum of members. The TAC is currently working to compile cost data individually and anticipate presenting primarily information at the next Water Board meeting.

### **12. Water Supply Update**

K. Gardner reported on this item. The SG Watermaster Board adopted resolution for long-term conversation and sustainability. A template resolution will be distributed to have other agencies adopt a similar resolution to make conservation as a way of life.

### **13. Water Boards Update**

D. Mahmud reported on this item. New permits anticipated to be issued by December 2019.

### **14. Stormwater Litigation Update**

D. Mahmud reported on this item.

### **15. Revised Definition of “Waters of the United States”**

K. Ward reported on this item.

### **16. Correspondence**

D. Mahmud commented on this item.

## **CHAIR’S REPORT**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **ADJOURN**

The meeting adjourned at 11:44 p.m.



DATE: April 16, 2019

TO: Water Policy/Technical Advisory Committee

FROM: Marisa Creter, Executive Director

RE: **HR 1497: WATER QUALITY PROTECTION AND JOB CREATION ACT**

## **RECOMMENDED ACTION**

Recommend the Governing Board support HR 1497.

## **BACKGROUND**

At the March 2019 Governing Board meeting, members adopted Resolution 19-11 updating the SGVCOG strategic plan. This updated plan identified water resiliency and supporting member agency stormwater MS-4 permit requirements as a strategic goal. As a result, staff is taking a continued effort to identify initiatives that further this strategic goal. HR 1497, known as the Water Quality Protection and Job Creation Act (Act), was introduced by Congressman Peter DeFazio (D-OR), Congresswoman Grace Napolitano (D-CA), Congressman Don Young (R-AK), and Congressman John Katko (R-NY). The Act addresses local water quality challenges by providing an infusion of Federal assistance for the construction, repair, and replacement of the Nation's network of wastewater and stormwater conveyance and treatment facilities.

Additionally, the Act authorizes \$20 billion in Federal assistance to States and communities through the Clean Water State Revolving Fund program, which is a primary source of Federal assistance for wastewater infrastructure construction. The Clean Water State Revolving Fund provides funding directly to States, which in-turn, provide below-market rate loans to communities to finance local wastewater infrastructure needs.

The Act also appropriates funding to the following areas:

- Authorizes an additional \$900 million for grants to municipalities to capture, treat, or reuse combined and sanitary sewer overflows or stormwater.
- Authorizes \$1.5 billion over five years for grants for State water pollution control agencies to implement State water pollution control programs.
- Provides \$600 million over five years for Clean Water pilot programs for watershed-based or system-wide efforts to address wet weather discharges, to promote stormwater best management practices, to undertake integrated water resource management, and to increase the resiliency of treatment works to natural or man-made disasters.
- Authorizes \$375 million in grants over five years for alternative water source projects, including projects that reuse wastewater or stormwater to augment the existing sources of water.

## **SUPPORT AND OPPOSITION**

# REPORT

The following is a sample of agencies that support HR 1497 (a full list of supporters can be found in Attachment A):

- American Council of Engineering Companies
- American Public Works Association
- American Road & Transportation Builders Association
- American Society of Civil Engineers
- American Sustainable Business Council
- Bipartisan Policy Center
- California Association of Sanitation Agencies
- City of Atlanta Department of Watershed Management
- Council of Infrastructure Finance Authorities
- Earthjustice
- Environmental Law & Policy Center
- Grasslands Water District
- Green Bay Metropolitan Sewerage District
- League of Conservation Voters
- Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District
- National Association of Clean Water Agencies
- National Association of Counties
- National League of Cities
- National Water Resources Association
- National Wildlife Federation
- Natural Resources Defense Council
- Sierra Club
- U.S. Conference of Mayors
- U.S. Water Alliance


There is no known opposition for HR 1497.

Prepared by: \_\_\_\_\_



Katie Ward  
Senior Management Analyst

Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_



Marisa Creter  
Executive Director

## **ATTACHMENTS**

- Attachment A – HR 1497 Fact Sheet
- Attachment B – HR 1497 Bill Text



## Water Quality Protection and Job Creation Act

### Bill Text

#### Executive Summary.

The “Water Quality Protection and Job Creation Act of 2019,” authorizes approximately **\$23.5 billion** in direct infrastructure investment over the next five years to address America’s crumbling wastewater infrastructure and local water quality challenges.

This **bipartisan bill** renews the Federal commitment to addressing local water quality challenges by providing an infusion of Federal assistance for the construction, repair, and replacement of the Nation’s network of wastewater and stormwater conveyance and treatment facilities. The *Water Quality Protection and Job Creation Act of 2019* significantly increases the amount of Federal assistance made available to States and communities through the successful Clean Water State Revolving Fund program—the primary source of Federal assistance for wastewater infrastructure construction.

#### The Water Quality Protection and Job Creation Act of 2019

H.R. 1497 renews the Federal commitment to addressing our Nation’s substantial needs for wastewater infrastructure by authorizing **\$20 billion over five years** in wastewater infrastructure through the Clean Water State Revolving Fund and other efforts to improve water quality.

H.R. 1497 will create thousands of new, domestic jobs in the construction and wastewater sectors through increased investment in wastewater infrastructure. It will reduce the cost of constructing and maintaining that infrastructure, promote energy efficiency and water efficiency, and reduce the potential long-term operation and maintenance costs of publicly owned treatment works.

In the 110<sup>th</sup> and 111<sup>th</sup> Congresses, the House of Representatives passed legislation similar to the *Water Quality Protection and Job Creation Act* by significant bipartisan majorities. In the 110th Congress, the House passed H.R. 720 by a recorded vote of 303-108. Similarly, in the 111th Congress, the House passed H.R. 1262 by a recorded vote of 317-101. Neither bill was considered by the Senate.

#### Highlighted Provisions:

- Authorizes **\$20 billion in Federal grants over five years** to capitalize Clean Water SRFs. These funds provide low-interest loans and additional loan subsidizations (e.g., principal forgiveness and negative interest loans) to communities for wastewater infrastructure.
- Authorizes an additional **\$900 million for grants to municipalities** to capture, treat, or reuse combined and sanitary sewer overflows or stormwater.
- Authorizes **\$1.5 billion over five years** for grants for State water pollution control agencies to implement State water pollution control programs.
- Provides **\$600 million over five years** for Clean Water pilot programs (including Federal technical assistance and/or grants) for watershed-based or system-wide efforts to address wet weather discharges, to promote stormwater best management practices, to undertake integrated water resource management, and to increase the resiliency of treatment works to natural or man-made disasters.
- Authorizes **\$375 million in grants over five years** for alternative water source projects under section 220 of the Clean Water Act, including projects that reuse wastewater or stormwater to augment the existing sources of water.

#### Background: The Clean Water State Revolving Fund

Before adoption of the Clean Water Act, many rivers were little more than open sewers, with some so polluted that they literally caught fire. Also, because rivers and pollution do not respect local or state boundaries, Congress realized that a comprehensive national program was necessary to protect water quality. In 1972, Congress enacted the landmark Clean Water Act which fundamentally changed the way we address water pollution in this country, set strong standards, and provided substantial financial assistance to local communities to meet the water quality challenges.

For close to 80 years, Congress has provided Federal funds to municipalities to address local water quality challenges, including sewage treatment and stormwater needs. Initially, this assistance was provided as direct grants to municipalities (covering 50 to 75 percent of the total costs of the projects). However, in 1987, Congress converted the direct grant program to a Clean Water State Revolving Fund (“Clean Water SRF”) authority that provides funding directly to States, which in-turn, provide below-market rate loans to communities to finance local wastewater infrastructure needs (typically required to be fully-repaid over 30 years).

#### **Supporters of the Water Quality Protection and Job Creation Act of 2019**

- **Alliance for the Great Lakes**
- American Concrete Pavement Ass’n
- American Concrete Pipe Association
- American Concrete Pressure Pipe Association
- American Concrete Pumping Ass’n
- **American Council of Engineering Companies**
- American Iron and Steel Institute
- **American Public Works Association**
- American Road & Transportation Builders Association
- **American Society of Civil Engineers**
- American Supply Association
- **American Sustainable Business Council**
- Associated Equipment Distributors
- **Associated General Contractors of America**
- **Bipartisan Policy Center**
- **BlueGreen Alliance**
- **California Association of Sanitation Agencies**
- **Cahaba River Society**
- **City of Atlanta Department of Watershed Management**
- **Clean Water Action**
- **Clean Water Council**
- Chesapeake Bay Foundation
- **Clean Water Construction Coalition**
- Concrete Foundations Association
- Concrete Reinforcing Steel Institute
- **Council of Infrastructure Finance Authorities**
- **Ducks Unlimited**
- **Ductile Iron Pipe Research Ass’n**
- **Earthjustice**
- **Environment America**
- **Environmental Law & Policy Center**
- **Freshwater Future**
- **Grasslands Water District**
- **Green Bay Metropolitan Sewerage District**
- **Healing our Waters-Great Lakes Coalition**

- Hydraulic Institute
- Illinois Council of Trout Unlimited
- International Union of Operating Engineers
- Laborers International Union of North America
- League of Conservation Voters
- Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District
- Missouri Coalition for the Environment
- Municipal Castings Association
- National Association of Clean Water Agencies
- National Association of Counties
- National Association of Sewer Service Companies
- National Concrete Masonry Ass'n
- National Electrical Contractors Ass'n
- National Heritage Institute
- National Latino Farmers & Ranchers Trade Association
- National League of Cities
- National Precast Concrete Association
- National Ready Mixed Concrete Ass'n
- National Rural Water Association
- National Utility Contractors Ass'n
- National Water Resources Association
- National Wildlife Federation
- Natural Resources Defense Council
- North American Concrete Alliance
- PennEnvironment
- PennFuture
- Pennsylvania Council of Churches
- Plastics Pipe Institute
- PolicyLink
- Portland Cement Association
- Precast/Prestressed Concrete Institute
- Prairie Rivers Network
- River Network
- Rural Community Assistance Partnership, Inc.
- Sierra Club
- Southern Environmental Law Center
- Tennessee Clean Water Network
- Tilt-Up Concrete Association
- U.S. Conference of Mayors
- U.S. Water Alliance
- United Association of Plumbers and Pipefitters
- Vinyl Institute
- Water & Sewer Distributors of America
- Water and Wastewater Equipment Manufacturers Association
- Water Environment Federation
- Water Infrastructure Network

- WaterReuse Association
- Western Recycled Water Coalition

Attachment B

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(Original Signature of Member)

116TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

**H. R.** \_\_\_\_\_

To amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to reauthorize certain water pollution control programs, and for other purposes.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. DEFAZIO (for himself, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. YOUNG, and Mr. KATKO) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on

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**A BILL**

To amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to reauthorize certain water pollution control programs, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Water Quality Protec-  
5 tion and Job Creation Act of 2019”.

1 **SEC. 2. STATE MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE.**

2 (a) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—Section  
3 106(a) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33  
4 U.S.C. 1256(a)) is amended—

5 (1) by striking “and” at the end of paragraph  
6 (1);

7 (2) by striking the semicolon at the end of  
8 paragraph (2) and inserting “; and”; and

9 (3) by inserting after paragraph (2) the fol-  
10 lowing:

11 “(3) such sums as may be necessary for each  
12 of fiscal years 1991 through 2019, and  
13 \$300,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2020 through  
14 2024;”.

15 (b) TECHNICAL AMENDMENT.—Section 106(e) of the  
16 Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1256(e))  
17 is amended by striking “Beginning in fiscal year 1974  
18 the” and inserting “The”.

19 **SEC. 3. WATERSHED PILOT PROJECTS.**

20 Section 122(c) of the Federal Water Pollution Con-  
21 trol Act (33 U.S.C. 1274(c)) is amended to read as fol-  
22 lows:

23 “(c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There  
24 is authorized to be appropriated to carry out this section  
25 \$120,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2020 through  
26 2024.”.

1 **SEC. 4. PILOT PROGRAM FOR ALTERNATIVE WATER**  
2 **SOURCE PROJECTS.**

3 (a) SELECTION OF PROJECTS.—Section 220(d) of  
4 the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C.  
5 1300(d)) is amended by striking paragraph (2) and redesi-  
6 gnating paragraph (3) as paragraph (2).

7 (b) COMMITTEE RESOLUTION PROCEDURE.—Section  
8 220 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33  
9 U.S.C. 1300) is amended by striking subsection (e) and  
10 redesignating subsections (f) through (j) as subsections (e)  
11 through (i), respectively.

12 (c) DEFINITIONS.—Section 220(h)(1) of the Federal  
13 Water Pollution Control Act (as redesignated by sub-  
14 section (b) of this section) is amended by striking “or  
15 wastewater or by treating wastewater” and inserting “,  
16 wastewater, or stormwater or by treating wastewater or  
17 stormwater”.

18 (d) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—Section  
19 220(i) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (as re-  
20 designated by subsection (b) of this section) is amended  
21 by striking “a total of \$75,000,000 for fiscal years 2002  
22 through 2004” and inserting “\$75,000,000 for each of fis-  
23 cal years 2020 through 2024”.

1 **SEC. 5. SEWER OVERFLOW AND STORMWATER REUSE MU-**  
2 **NICIPAL GRANTS.**

3 Section 221(f)(1) of the Federal Water Pollution  
4 Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1301(f)(1)) is amended by striking  
5 “2020” and inserting “2024”.

6 **SEC. 6. STATE WATER POLLUTION CONTROL REVOLVING**  
7 **FUNDS.**

8 Title VI of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act  
9 (33 U.S.C. 1381 et seq.) is amended—

- 10 (1) by striking section 607;  
11 (2) by redesignating section 608 as section 607;  
12 and  
13 (3) by adding at the end the following:

14 **“SEC. 608. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

15 “There is authorized to be appropriated to carry out  
16 this title \$4,000,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2020  
17 through 2024.”.

DATE: April 16, 2019  
TO: Water Policy/Technical Advisory Committee  
FROM: Marisa Creter, Executive Director  
**RE: LEGISLATIVE UPDATES**

## **RECOMMENDED ACTION**

For information only.

## **BACKGROUND**

Below are updates on legislation the Water Committee and Water TAC support and are currently tracking:

### **AB 1093 (Rubio) - Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems: Financial Capability Analysis**

- AB 1093 passed the Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee on April 9 on unanimous consent vote for referral to the Assembly Appropriations Committee with recommendation for a consent calendar vote.
  - **Support:** San Gabriel Valley Council of Governments (sponsor), Association of California Water Agencies, Los Angeles County Division, League of California Cities.
  - **Opposition:** None recorded

### **AB 755 (Holden) - California Tire Fee: Stormwater Permit Compliance Fund**

- AB 755 passed the Assembly Natural Resources Committee on March 25 by vote of 8-3 and the Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee on April 9 by vote of 6-3 and was referred to the Assembly Appropriations Committee.
  - **Support:** SGVCOG (sponsor), LA County Division of the League of California Cities, Upper San Gabriel Valley MWD, Sierra Club, Heal the Bay.
  - **Opposition:** Auto Care Assoc., Automotive Service Councils of California, California Autobody Association, California Automotive Business Coalition, California Chamber of Commerce, California Tire Dealers Association, CAWA, Independent Automotive Professionals, Specialty Equipment Market Association, U.S. Tire Manufacturers Association.

### **AB 1204 (Rubio) Public Water Systems: Primary Drinking Water Standards: Implementation Date**

- A first hearing of AB 1204 in the Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee on March 26 was canceled at the request of the author.
  - **Support:** Association of California Water Agencies (sponsor), SGVCOG
  - **Opposition:** Unknown

# REPORT

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Executive Director