



Date: June 1, 2011

To: The Honorable Board of Directors

From: Thomas A. Love *TAL*
General Manager

Submitted by: Chris Berch *CB*
Manager of Planning & Environmental Compliance

Subject: Public Hearing and Adoption of the 2010 Urban Water Management Plan (UWMP)

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board of Directors:

1. Hold a Public Hearing to receive public comments for the Board to consider the adoption of Resolution No. 2011-6-1, regarding the 2010 Regional Urban Water Management Plan; (The final IEUA 2010 Urban Water Management Plan can be viewed at www.ieua.org/news_reports/notices.html)
2. After closing the Public Hearing:
 - a. Adopt Resolution No. 2011-6-1, adopting the 2010 Regional Urban Water Management Plan; and
 - b. Authorize the General Manager to submit copies of the 2010 Regional Urban Water Management Plan to the California Department of Water Resources, as described in Section 10644 (a) of the California Water Code.

BACKGROUND

The Urban Water Management Plan Act (Act) requires that every urban water supplier providing water for municipal purposes to more than 3,000 customers or supplying more than 3,000 acre-feet of water annually prepare and adopt, in accordance with prescribed requirements, an Urban Water Management Plan (UWMP). The Act requires urban water suppliers to describe and evaluate sources of water supply, efficient uses of water, demand management measures, implementation strategy and schedule, water quality impacts, and the coordination process with various stakeholders in preparation of the UWMP. The public review process included a number of opportunities to receive input during the draft stages of the UWMP development.

The completed IEUA 2010 UWMP incorporates the most current planning projections of supply capability and water demands developed through a collaborative process with the member agencies. Information in the IEUA 2010 UWMP is a product of numerous meetings and workshops over the last two years. The IEUA 2010 UWMP satisfies the content and the process reporting requirements mandated by the Act and provides a comprehensive summary of IEUA's water demand and supply outlook through 2035.

In accordance with Sections 10621 and 10642 of the Act, on March 21, 2011, IEUA published a notice of public hearing and released the draft IEUA 2010 UWMP for public review 60-days in advance. Comments received from the member agencies and the public during the review process have been incorporated into the final IEUA 2010 UWMP where appropriate.

PRIOR BOARD ACTION

On November 16, 2005, the IEUA Board of Directors adopted the IEUA 2005 Regional Urban Water Management Plan.

On December 7, 2000, the IEUA Board of Directors adopted the IEUA 2000 Regional Urban Water Management Plan.

IMPACT ON BUDGET

There is no impact on budget. The IEUA 2010 UWMP was completed in-house by IEUA staff.

RESOLUTION NO. 2011-6-1

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF THE INLAND EMPIRE UTILITIES AGENCY*
(IEUA), SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY,
CALIFORNIA, ADOPTING THE 2010 REGIONAL
URBAN WATER MANAGEMENT PLAN**

WHEREAS, the California Legislature enacted Assembly Bill 797, (Water Code Section 10610 et seq., known as the Urban Water Management Planning Act) during the 1983-1984 Regular Session, and as amended subsequently, which mandates that every supplier providing water for municipal purposes to more than 3,000 customers or supplying more than 3,000 acre-feet of water annually, prepare an Urban Water Management Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Inland Empire Utilities Agency* is a wholesale supplier of water for a 242-square miles in the western portion of San Bernardino County; and

WHEREAS, the Plan shall be periodically reviewed at least once every five years, and the Agency shall make amendments or changes to its plan which are indicated by the review.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Directors of the Inland Empire Utilities Agency* does hereby RESOLVE, DETERMINE, AND ORDER as follows:

Section 1. The Year 2010 Regional Urban Water Management Plan is hereby adopted.

Section 2. The General Manager is hereby authorized to file three hard copies and one electronic copy of the 2010 Regional Urban Water Management Plan with the State Department of Water Resources within 30 days following its adoption.

Section 3. The General Manager is hereby authorized and directed to implement the Water Programs as detailed in the adopted 2010 Regional Urban Water Management Plan, including recommendations to the Board of Directors regarding necessary procedures, rules, and regulations in an effort to carry out effective and equitable water programs.

Section 4. The Resolution shall take effect upon adoption.

ADOPTED this 1st day of June, 2011.

Terry Catlin
President of the Inland Empire Utilities
Agency* and of the Board of Directors
thereof

ATTEST:

Steven J. Elie
Secretary/Treasurer of the Inland Empire
Utilities Agency* and of the Board
of Directors thereof

(SEAL)

* A Municipal Water District

