# **Executive Officer's Report**

- Racial Equity Action Plan Public Workshops
- Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4) Staff Workshop
- Drought Conservation Regulations

Santa Ana Water Board Meeting Jayne Joy, Executive Officer July 22, 2022

## Racial Equity Action Plan Workshops

**Public Notice** 

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA (Remote/In-person)**

July 25, 2022, 4:00 - 6:30 pm

North Shore Beach & Yacht Club Community Center

99155 Sea View Dr, Mecca, CA 92254

### **CENTRAL CALIFORNIA (Remote/In-person)**

July 27, 2022, 4:00 - 6:30 pm

Self-Help Enterprises

8445 W. Elowin Ct, Visalia, CA 93291

### **OUTREACH TO THE PUBLIC**

- Racial equity is a Water Boards' priority.
- We are working toward a future where race no longer predicts a person's access to water or the quality of water resources they receive, where race does not predict professional outcomes for our employees, and where we consistently consider racial equity impacts before we make decisions.
- Workshop will educate the public of the Water Board's racial equity effort and actively participate in developing a draft Racial Equity Plan.

### **Municipal Separate Storm Sewer** System (MS4) Permit Renewal

**Initiated Action:** Water Board Workshop (February 4, 2022) Presented the Staff Working Proposal (three permits into one)



Weekly Internal Meeting (Since March 2022)

Working through informal comments

**Meetings with Permittees (Since March 2022) Review of Staff Working Proposal by Sections** 

> Met with Orange County Coastkeepers (April 2022) **Review of Staff Working Proposal**

### **Staff Level Public Workshop (August 2, 2022)**

Riverside Public Library, 3900 Mission Inn, Riverside Public/Stakeholder input on the Staff Working Proposal

### **Emergency Conservation Requirements Drought Response**

#### Regulation

- Commercial, industrial, and institutional decorative grass should not be watered
- Give all trees just what they need: avoid overwatering
- Follow the local requirements of your water supplier
- Urban water suppliers should implement all Level 2 demand reduction actions by June 10, 2022

#### **State Board's Website**

- Water Conservation Portal Emergency Conservation Regulation | California State Water Resources Control Board
- To report water waste, go to <u>SaveWater.CA.Gov</u> or

