

DEVELOPING FUNDING FOR DISADVANTAGED COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS

Tuesday, June 28, 2011

8:00 (Registration and Light Refreshments); 8:30 – 3:00 pm (Conference)

The Frontier Project, 10435 Ashford Street, Rancho Cucamonga, CA

CONFERENCE AGENDA*Morning Session Moderator: Susan Lien Longville, Director, CSUSB WRI & Associate Director, CSU WRPI***8:30 – 8:45: WELCOME AND PURPOSE OF ROUNDTABLE**

Fran Spivy-Weber, Vice Chair, State Water Resources Control Board

8:45 – 9:00: WELCOME AND INTRODUCTORY REMARKSProvost **Andrew R. Bodman Ph.D.** (invited) on behalf of President Albert Karnig Ph.D. CSUSB
Kathy Tiegs, President, Cucamonga Valley Water District**9:00—9:10: OVERVIEW OF CSU WRPI PROGRAM**

David Zoldoske, Director, CSU WRPI Program

9:10 – 10:00: INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS OF DISADVANTAGED COMMUNITIES AND THE FUNDING CHALLENGE**WATER DISTRICT PERSPECTIVE:** Ronald Sullivan, Board Director, Eastern Water District and**ELECTED OFFICIAL PERSPECTIVE:** George Aquilar; Board Director, San Bernardino Valley Municipal Water District and SAWPA Commissioner**ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE PERSPECTIVE:** Maria Elena Kennedy, Environmental Justice Pillar, SAWPA's One Water One Watershed IRWMP**10:00 – 10:15: BREAK****10:15 – 11:15: FUNDING SOURCES – WHAT ARE THEY?**

Ricardo Martinez, CalEPA Deputy Secretary for Environmental Justice, Tribal and Border Affairs,

Fran Spivy-Weber, Vice Chair, State Water Resources Control Board

Kelvin Yamada, California Department of Public Health

Dr. Glenda Humiston, State Director, USDA Rural Development

11:15 – 12:00: FUNDING SOURCES – HOW TO GET FUNDED**ENCHANTED HEIGHTS CASE STUDY:** Roger Shintaku, Technical Director, Elan and Associates and Dr. Ryan Sinclair, Loma Linda University School of Public Health**COACHELLA VALLEY IRWMP:** Daniel Cozad, President, Integrated Planning and Management Inc.**ELMER STREET CASE STUDY:** Dr. Nancy Steele, Executive Director, Los Angeles and San Gabriel Rivers Watershed Council**12:00—1:15: LUNCH**

Guest Speaker: Lisa Jackson, Administrator, USEPA (Invited)

*Afternoon Session Moderator, Dr. Karl Longley, Project Manager, CSU WRPI Program***1:15 – 1:45: ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH MANAGEMENT – A NEW APPROACH**

Celeste Cantu, General Manager, SAWPA

1:45 – 2:45: HISTORICAL AND FUTURE PERSPECTIVE OF EJs IN CALIFORNIA – WHERE WE HAVE BEEN AND WHERE WE ARE GOING

Penny Newman, Executive Director, Center for Community Action and Environmental Justice

Maria Elena Kennedy, Environmental Justice Pillar – One Water, One Watershed

Martha Guzman Aceves, Legislative Advocate and Director, Sustainable Communities Project, California Rural Legal Assistance Foundation

2:45 – 3:00: CONCLUDING REMARKS

Susan Longville, Director, CSUSB WRI & Associate Director, CSU WRPI