



**OFFICE OF MAYOR JERRY SANDERS
CITY OF SAN DIEGO**

MEMORANDUM

DATE : October 27, 2010

TO : Council President Hueso & Honorable Members of the San Diego City Council

FROM : Mayor Jerry Sanders

SUBJECT : Appointment to the San Diego County Water Authority Board of Directors

It is my pleasure to appoint Roger Bailey to the San Diego County Water Authority Board of Directors, subject to your confirmation.

Roger Bailey was appointed as the City's Public Utilities Director on September 27, 2010. He relocated to San Diego from the City of Glendale, Arizona, where he served as the Utilities Director since 2002. Glendale is the fourth largest city in Arizona with a population of approximately 250,000 people. Mr. Bailey was responsible for a \$175 million budget and a ten-year CIP of over \$500 million. Glendale was a recipient of the Metropolitan Water Agencies (AMWA) Gold Award for Competitiveness Achievement while Mr. Bailey led the Utilities Department.

Mr. Bailey also served as the Assistant Director of the Water, Sewer and Drainage Department in Valdosta, Georgia and the Utilities Director at the Village of Royal Palm Beach, Florida. He began his career as an engineer, working first for Mead Corporation in Ohio, followed by Florida's Department of Environmental Protection, and also for the City of Tallahassee. He belongs to numerous professional organizations, including International City Management Association (ICMA), American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) and American Water Works Association (AWWA).

He received a Bachelor of Science in Physics and Mathematics at the University of Winnipeg. He also holds a Bachelor of Science and Master of Science in Civil Engineering from Florida A&M University. Mr. Bailey will replace Jim Barrett as the Utilities Department representative on the Board for a term expiring February 24, 2013. He resides in University City.

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I ask that you confirm this appointment and join me in acknowledging Roger Bailey for his willingness to give his time and expertise to serve the City of San Diego in this critical capacity.

Handwritten signature of Jerry Sanders in black ink, consisting of stylized initials 'JS' followed by a horizontal line.

JERRY SANDERS

Mayor

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cc: City Attorney Jan Goldsmith
City Clerk Elizabeth Maland