



**AUGUST 21, 2009
HEARING AGENDA**

9:00 a.m. - 9:20 a.m. Welcome Remarks

- Assemblyman Jose Solorio and select committee members

9:20 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Panel 1: Best Practices in Conservation

- **“Smart Irrigation Systems”**
Robert Wade, Director of Legislation, California Landscape Contractors Association
- **“Progressive Approach to Tiered Rates and Water Report Cards”**
Paul Jones, General Manager, Irvine Ranch Water District
- **“How to Sell Conservation”**
Larry D. Dick, Board Member, Municipal Water District of Orange County

10:00 a.m. - 10:40 a.m. Panel 2: Regional Solutions to Delivering New Sources of Drinkable Water

- **“The Groundwater Replenishment System Works”**
Michael Markus, General Manager, Orange County Water District
- **“Diversifying Orange County Water Supply Through Seawater Desalination”**
Scott Maloni, Vice President, Poseidon Resources
- **“Emerging Desalination Technologies: Natural Pressure Reverse Osmosis”**
Michael Motherway, President, DXV Water Technologies

10:40 a.m. - 11:20 a.m. Panel 3: Suggestions to Solve the State’s Water Crisis

- **“Near and Long-Term Options for California Water Sustainability”**
Jeff Kightlinger, General Manager, Metropolitan Water District of Southern California
- **“So Cal’s “New Blue” Water Solution”**
Steve Sheldon, President, Orange County Water District
- **“Building Water Consciousness in the Business Community”**
Lucy Dunn, President, Orange County Business Council
- **“Collaboration Will Solve the Water Crisis”**
Garry Brown, Founder, President and Chief Executive Officer of Orange County Coastkeeper

11:20 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. Public Comments

11:45 a.m. - 11:55 a.m. Closing Remarks

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11:55 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. Break

12:15 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Lunch / Policy Briefing

- **Update on Bay Delta Conservation Plan**
Keith Coolidge, Chief Deputy Director of CALFED Bay-Delta Program