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Slawson, Sullivan to lead Eastern Municipal Water District board

Perris, CA (February 2, 2007)— A new year brings a change of officers representing the board of directors of Eastern Municipal Water District. David J. Slawson, a member of the board since January 1995, was elected by the five-member board to a two-year term as president. Slawson, a licensed professional land surveyor, is president of Winchester Associates, a civil engineering and land surveying firm based in Moreno Valley. He is also a former Moreno Valley city planning commissioner.

His Division 5 includes the central and northern portions of Moreno Valley and the eastern portion of Riverside. Active in statewide issues, he is a member of the Association of California Water Agencies' (ACWA) Water Quality committee, and is a former member of the California Department of Consumer Affairs' Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors. His EMWD board term expires in January 2011.

Ronald W. Sullivan was elected vice president. He represents Division 4, including the City of Perris, Mead Valley, Good Hope, Quail Valley, Romoland, Menifee, Sun City and the eastern portion of the City of Canyon Lake. A board member since January 2003, Sullivan brings a wide variety of service with city and county organizations, including chair of the Riverside County Planning Commission, City of Hemet Planning Commission and Riverside County Aviation Commission.

A licensed general contractor, Sullivan is an owner in Sullivan & Sullivan Development & Consulting. He also served as a representative for former State Senator Marian Bergeson. His EMWD board term expires in January 2009.

Joseph J. Kuebler, CPA, is the board member representing Division 2—including Temecula and Murrieta, and the unincorporated area of Murrieta Hot Springs. He has been EMWD's treasurer since May 1996, and a board member since April 2006. He is president of Kuebler, Prudhomme & Company, one of southwest Riverside County's largest CPA practices serving a large client base of companies in the real estate development, engineering, medical, retail and agricultural industries.

Extending his water industry experience, he was appointed chair of ACWA's Region 9 for 2006-2007. His EMWD board term expires in January 2011.

Elected to a four-year term beginning in January 2007 is Philip E. Paule, from French Valley, who has served at various levels of government for the past two decades. His Division 1 extends from French Valley north through Winchester, into Hemet, including Valle Vista, Diamond Valley and Cactus Valley.

Randy A. Record, a fifth-generation San Jacinto native is the immediate past president. He was first elected to the EMWD board in 2000, representing Division 3, from San Jacinto through Lakeview, Nuevo, Homeland, Juniper Flats, Soboba Hot Springs, Gilman Hot Springs and the southern and eastern portions of Moreno Valley.

Record has represented EMWD on the board of the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California since January 2003. He has been active in the farming community and grows citrus in the San Jacinto Valley. His board term expires in January 2009.

EMWD board committee assignments include:

Executive	Randy A. Record, Chairman David J. Slawson
Administrative	Philip E. Paule Joseph J. Kuebler
Operations and Engineering	David J. Slawson Ronald W. Sullivan
Planning	Randy A. Record Ronald W. Sullivan
Real Estate	David J. Slawson Ronald W. Sullivan
EMWD Security Trust	David J. Slawson Joseph J. Kuebler
EMWD Facilities Corporation	All board members
<i>Ad Hoc Board Committees</i>	
Hemet/San Jacinto Groundwater Management Plan	Randy A. Record Philip E. Paule
Elsinore Valley Municipal Water District Liaison	Ronald W. Sullivan Philip E. Paule
Western Municipal Water District Liaison	David J. Slawson Ronald W. Sullivan
Rancho California Water District	Ronald W. Sullivan Joseph J. Kuebler
Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority	Ronald W. Sullivan, Commissioner David J. Slawson, Alternate Commissioner
Western Riverside Water and Wastewater Financing Authority	Ronald W. Sullivan Joseph J. Kuebler

Directors are elected to four-year terms and represent divisions roughly equivalent in population, or about 126,000 people each. Regular public meetings of the EMWD board are generally held on the first and third Wednesdays of each month. Work sessions begin at 9 am and board meetings start at 1 pm. Members of the public interested in attending a meeting should contact the board secretary during normal work hours at (951) 928-3777, ext. 4235, to be certain the meeting is being conducted on the normal date.

EMWD is the freshwater, wastewater service and recycled water provider to a 555-square mile area from Moreno Valley southward along the I-215 corridor to Temecula and eastward to Hemet and San Jacinto. Approximately 650,000 people live and work in this area. In addition to its own water customers, EMWD supplements water to seven subagencies. EMWD operates four water reclamation facilities and treats some 45 million gallons of wastewater daily. More information can be found at EMWD's web site www.emwd.org.
