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<p>Fred R. Bockmiller <i>Director</i> Mesa Consolidated Water District (MCWD)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ No current participation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ President of Mesa's board for three terms (1999, 2000 and 2004) ◆ Member, ACWA Energy Committee ◆ MCWD's representative, Orange County Council of Government ◆ MCWD's representative, Costa Mesa Westside Revitalization Oversight Committee ◆ MCWD's representative, ACWA/JPIA ◆ Registered Professional Engineer, Certified Energy Manager, and LEED Accredited Professional ◆ Principal Engineer, University of California, Facilities Management Department
<p>David Breninger <i>General Manager</i> Placer County Water Agency (NWRA Incumbent)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Actively involved with NWRA since 2001 ◆ Served on NWRA Budget Committee ◆ Vice President, NWRA Municipal Caucus ◆ Member, NWRA Irrigation Caucus ◆ Attendance at NWRA annual conferences and seminars 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Member, ACWA Local Government Committee ◆ Member, ACWA Federal Affairs Committee

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<p>Wayne A. Clark <i>President</i> Municipal Water District of Orange County</p> <p>(NWRA Incumbent - Alternate)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Member, NWRA Municipal Caucus ◆ Member, NWRA subcommittee on climate changes ◆ Participated in NWRA strategic planning efforts ◆ Attendance at NWRA annual conferences and seminars 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Member, ACWA Federal Affairs Committee ◆ Former board president, Irvine Ranch Water District ◆ Member, Colorado River Water Users Association ◆ Co-founded Urban Water Institute, served as executive director 1992- 2006 ◆ Part of team supporting 1982 ballot measure designed to build Peripheral Canal ◆ A leader in the Statewide Water 2000 effort, precursor of the CALFED Bay-Delta Program
<p>Bill George <i>Director</i> El Dorado Irrigation District</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Attended NWRA 2007 Annual Meeting ◆ Attended NWRA 2006 Federal Water Issues Conference 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Director, ACWA Region 3 Board ◆ Vice President, Mountain Counties Water Resources Association ◆ Executive Committee member, Regional Water Authority ◆ Vice President, Taxpayer's Association of El Dorado County ◆ Member, El Dorado Citizens for Water ◆ Currently works for Intel Corp, Technical Assistance Center

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<p>E.G. "Jerry" Gladbach <i>Director</i> Castaic Lake Water Agency</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Attended NWRA conferences ◆ Assisted in preparation of a "White Paper," from ACWA, that provided new direction for NWRA, capped California's dues and allocated two additional seats for California on its Board of Directors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Vice Chair, ACWA's Local Government Committee ◆ Former ACWA President, 2004-2005 ◆ Former ACWA Vice President, 2002-2003 ◆ Former ACWA Region 8 Chair 1998-2001 ◆ Former President, Castaic Lake WA Board ◆ Former Chair LAFCO – Los Angeles ◆ Los Angeles Department of Water and Power – leadership in Engineering, Management, Environmental Planning / retired after 35 years
<p>James Heitzman <i>General Manager</i> Marina Coast Water District</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ No current participation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Member, ACWA's Water Recycling & Reuse Subcommittee ◆ Member, ACWA's Desalination Subcommittee ◆ Grade V, Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator ◆ Fellow, University of California, Santa Cruz Center of Integrated Water Research
<p>Lawrence M. Libeu <i>Director</i> Rancho California Water District (NWRA Incumbent -- President)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Actively involved with NWRA since 1990 ◆ Currently NWRA President 2009-2010 ◆ NWRA Vice Present 2007-2008 ◆ NWRA Treasurer 2004-2006 ◆ Attendance at NWRA annual conferences and seminars 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Member, ACWA Federal Affairs Committee since 1994 ◆ A founder of Western Coalition of Arid States (WESTCAS) ◆ Served Eastern MWD for 23 years ◆ Former General Manager, San Bernardino Valley Water Conservation District

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<p>Adrienne "Ann" J. Mathews <i>Director of Division 5</i> Kern County Water Agency</p> <p>(NWRA Incumbent - Alternate)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Attendance at NWRA annual conferences and seminars ◆ Member, NWRA Legislative Committee ◆ Over 22 years active NWRA involvement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Director, Kern County Water Agency Board for 25 years; president 3 years ◆ Alternate Chair, ACWA Region 7 Board ◆ Member, Water Association of Kern County ◆ Member, California Elected Women's Association for Education and Research ◆ Alternate Commissioner, Local Agency Formation Commission of Kern County ◆ Trustee, Southern California Water Committee Board ◆ Director, California Special Districts Association Board
<p>Charles W. Muse <i>Director</i> Helix Water District (HWD)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ NWRA Municipal Caucus ◆ Helix Water District's NWRA representative ◆ District member of NWRA since its inception 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Retired President and CEO of GAF Financial and Insurance Services, a subsidiary of Great American Bank ◆ Former adjunct faculty at San Diego University Department of Finance ◆ Former board member, Lemon Grove Chamber of Commerce ◆ Planning Commissioner, City of La Mesa ◆ HWD's representative, Water Conservation Garden Joint Power Authority Board

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<p>Dr. Betty H. Olson <i>Vice President</i> Santa Margarita Water District</p>	<p>◆ No current participation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Member, Western States Water Council ◆ Professor, University of California, Irvine ◆ Participation on National Resource Council Committees and a part of the National Academies of Sciences Water Science and Technology Board ◆ Participation in the Science Advisory's Board on Drinking Water Committee
<p>Larry L. Russell, Ph.D., P.E. <i>Director of Division V</i> Marin Municipal Water District</p>	<p>◆ No current participation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Former Water Engineer, Montgomery Watson ◆ Worked extensively in applied hydrology and hydrogeology ◆ Former president, Russell Environmental Engineering and Development (REED) Corporation ◆ Former chairman, Aqua Resources, Inc. ◆ Former vice president, James M. Montgomery Consulting Engineers
<p>Yvette Stevenson-Rodriguez <i>Director</i> Orchard Dale Water District</p>	<p>◆ No current participation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Director, Orchard Dale Water District ◆ Former finance director – Steve Westley for Controller ◆ Former finance – Governor Gray Davis ◆ Benefits manager for Taft-Hartley Fund Commerce office