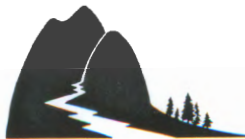


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Superior Court of California, County of Riverside
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RE: 2012-2013 Grand Jury Report - Riverside County Water and Sanitation Districts Compensation and Transparency

Dear Honorable Judge Cope,

This letter is in response to the 2012-2013 Grand Jury's Report and recommendations we received dated, June 28, 2013.

Recommendation (2):

Each water and sanitary district shall provide a district website to provide access to public documents including financial, contractual, budgetary and compensation information for board of directors and general managers. These documents shall include benefits paid by the district on behalf of board members and general managers, and include the general managers contract. The districts shall maintain and update agendas, minutes, and financial reports as issued.

Response:

The District agrees with the Grand Jury's recommendation that we provide and maintain a district website. Sometimes you need a little nudge to take action; we would like to thank the Grand Jury for their hard work and valuable insight. The following action has been implemented: our website address is www.fernvalleywater.com. Once the corrective actions have been fully implemented, all of the Grand Jury's recommendations will be incorporated within this website, demonstrating transparency and accountability.

Sincerely,

Steve Erler
General Manager

cc: Riverside County Grand Jury
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