



RAC Member Composition 2017-2018

(NTL): No term limit

(2015-2018): Currently serving 4-year term

(2017-2020): New Members as of 2017

Regional Water Management Group (3)

1. City of San Diego – Lan Wiborg (NTL),
2. County of San Diego – Ramin Abidi (NTL), A: Stephanie Gaines
3. San Diego County Water Authority – Toby Roy (NTL), A: Mark Stadler

Water Supply (5)

Agencies and entities tasked with supplying water to homes, businesses, and agriculture

1. Retail (North County-Inland) – Greg Thomas/Rincon del Diablo MWD (2015-18), A: Julia Escamilla
2. Retail (North County-Coastal) – Bill Hunter/Santa Fe Irrigation District (2015-18), A: Michael Bardin
3. Retail (East County) – Brian Olney/Helix Water District (2015-18), A: Michelle Berens
4. Retail (South County) – Ron Mosher/Sweetwater Authority (2017-2020), A: Michael Garrod
5. Retail (At Large) – Kim Thorner/Olivenhain Municipal Water District (2017-2020), A: Joey Randall

Water Quality (6)

Agencies and entities tasked with managing storm runoff, both quantity and quality, in man-made conveyances and/or collecting and disposing of wastewater, including water recycling

1. Stormwater Management (North County) – Justin Gamble/ City of Oceanside (2017-2020), A: Alicia Appel/City of Escondido
2. Stormwater Management (South/East County) – Chris Helmer/City of Imperial Beach (2015-18), A: Joe Kuhn
3. Water Quality (NGO) – Meredith Meyers/San Diego CoastKeeper (2015-18), A: Kristin Kuhn
4. Water Quality (NGO) – Janice DuVall/San Diego County Board of Education (2017-2020), A: Bob Mueller
5. Wastewater/Recycled Water (Metro JPA) – Roberto Yano/City of Chula Vista (2017-2020), A: Yazmin Arellano/City of El Cajon
6. Wastewater/Recycled Water (Non-Metro JPA) – Mike Thornton/San Elijo JPA (2015-18), A: Chris Trees

Natural Resources and Watersheds (5)

Agencies and entities tasked with preserving, enhancing, and managing natural resources and watersheds

1. Water Conservation (NGO) – Robin Rierdan/ Lakeside River Park Conservancy (2017-2020), A: Julia Richards
2. Protection and Restoration (NGO) – Phil Pryde/San Diego River Park Foundation (2015-18), A: Rob Hutsel
3. Protection and Restoration (NGO) – Sandra Jacobson/California Trout (2017-2020), A: Jack Marshall
4. Recreation – Al Lau/Padre Dam Municipal Water District (2017-2020), A: Arne Sandvik
5. Coastal Ecosystems (Bays, Estuaries, Lagoons) – Kimberly O’Connell/UCSD Clean Water Utility (2017-2020), A: Hawkeye Sheene

DAC/Environmental Justice (2)

Agencies and entities who represent disadvantaged communities and/or environmental justice concerns

1. Urban DAC – Oscar Romo/Alter Terra (2017-2020)
2. Rural DAC – Olga Morales/Rural Community Assistance Corporation (2015-18), A: Jennifer Hazard

Other Members (7)

Other agencies and entities with interest in and/or impact on water resource management

1. Flood Management – Mark Seits/Floodplain Management Association (2015-18), A: Alex Yescas
2. Business Community – Michael McSweeney/Building Industry Association (2015-18), A: S. Wayne Rosenbaum
3. Agriculture – *Open* (2017-2020)
4. Tribal – John Flores/San Pasqual Band of Mission Indians (2015-18), A: Rob Roy
5. Land Use Planning – Sarah Pierce/SANDAG (2017-2020), A: Keith Greer
6. At Large – Ann Van Leer/Escondido Creek Conservancy (2015-18), A: Betsy Keithley
7. At Large* -- Robyn Badger/Zoological Society of San Diego (2017-2020), A: Kelly Craig

** For At Large seats, consideration should be given but not limited to the following criteria: academia, climate change, energy/water nexus, solid waste/water nexus, sustainability.*

Non-Voting Members (6)

State, federal, and regional agencies who are interested parties

1. Regional Water Quality Control Board – Laurie Walsh (NTL)
2. U.S. Bureau of Reclamation – Jack Simes (NTL)
3. Military Community – John Simpson/USMC Camp Pendleton (NTL)
4. Tri-County FACC (Upper Santa Margarita RWMG) – Justin Haessly/Rancho California Water District (NTL)
5. Tri-County FACC (South Orange RWMG) – Marilyn Thoms/County of Orange (NTL)
6. State Coastal Conservancy – *open*
7. U.S. Forest Service, Cleveland National Forest – Gloria Silva (NTL), A: Emily Fudge
8. U.S. Indian Health Services – Sean Bush (NTL)