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El Toro Water District



I plédge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all

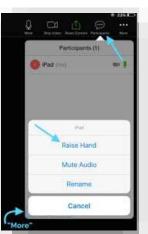
## ISDOC Quarterly "Luncheon" - October 29, 2020

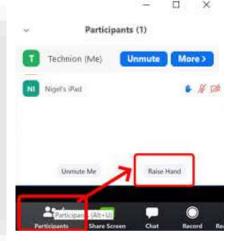


Thank you for joining today's meeting. Participants will be muted.

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- Please raise your hand
- Use the chat box (to text the host)
- Press \*9 to raise hand on phone







## Program Speaker



Don Barnes Orange County sheriff



# Member Spotlight



Moulton Niguel Water District



Brian Probolsky Board President





"Spotlight Member Presentation"

**ISDOC Quarterly Meeting** 

**January 28, 2021** 

### MOULTON NIGUEL WATER DISTRICT

- 7-Member Board of Directors
- 172,000 Residents
- Serve 6 Cities (Laguna Niguel, Aliso Viejo, Laguna Hills, Mission Viejo, Dana Point and San Juan Capistrano)
- AAA Credit Rating from Fitch and S&P
- #1 Top Workplace in Orange County and USA
- Recognized in California and nationally for Innovation, Environmental Stewardship and Customer Service
- Lowest Average Bill in South Orange County







### **OUR WATER SUPPLY**

- 75% of Water Demand Met Through Imported Water
- 25% of Water Demand Met Through Recycled Water (Used for Irrigation)
- Potable Water Supply System:
  - 700 Miles of Pipelines
  - 28 Storage Reservoirs
  - 150 Million Gallons of Storage Capacity
  - 30 Pump Stations
  - 20 Pressure Reducing Stations





## MOULTON NIGUEL'S COVID RESPONSE

## **COVID** Response Highlights:

- Provided PPE to Employees From Start
- Sent Early Direct Mail and Regular Communications to Customers
- Implemented Telecommuting Policy
- Shifted Internal/External Work to Digital Formats and Online Platforms
- Split Field Workers into Red & Blue
   Teams to Prevent Infection of Entire Crew
- Set COVID Protocols for Staff & Vendors



Moulton Niguel Water District worker Carlos Jimenez solders a new copper pipe while repairing an underground service line in front of a customer's Laguna Niguel home on Tuesday, October 20, 2020. (Photo by Mindy Schauer, Orange County Register/SCNG)



## **DISTRICT-WIDE SMART METER ROLLOUT!**

## **Installation Progress:**

 9,000 installed on recycled water and potable irrigation meters, commercial & multi-family properties

23,060 installed on single-family home properties

 Remaining 23,000 installations on single-family homes by mid-2022

 \$1.8 million in federal grants from US Bureau of Reclamation helped advance implementation





## DISTRICT-WIDE SMART METER ROLLOUT!

Key Customer & Operational Benefits:

- 24/7 myMNWD website portal
- Hourly Water Use Monitoring
- Customer Dashboard
- Leak Alerts
- Water Loss Control Programs
- Estimated 500 million gallons of water saved each year!



#### WHAT'S IN IT FOR ME?



Receive Alerts About Potential Leaks in Your Home



Monitor Your Hourly Water Usage



Avoid Unintentional High Water Consumption

#### HOW DO I ACCESS THIS INFORMATION?

- Sign up for our FREE customer portal, MyWater MNWD at mywater.mnwd.com or download the app.
- Sign up to receive leak alerts.
   For step-by-step instructions visit mnwd.com/smart-meters

Note: You can sign up for these alerts at any time, and will receive leak notifications once your meter has been upgraded.



#### WHAT CAN I EXPECT?

- The District has hired Ferguson
   Waterworks to accelerate our program and provide smart
   meter technology to all customers by 2022.
- Within the next few weeks, a Ferguson Waterworks technician will be in your neighborhood to install an upgraded radio to your current water meter that will connect to the District's network.
- This process is generally complete within 15 minutes.
   You are not required to be home during the installation.
- Your water service will continue and there is no expected interruption of water service during installation.
- We would greatly appreciate it if you can ensure your water meter box is clear of any clutter or landscaping before we make the upgrade.
- You will be notified via door hanger the day your installation has been completed.

"Note: For your safety and security, every Moulton Nigoemployee and contractor carries a picture ID card, will be wearing a company uniform, will arrive in a company vehicle, and will never sak to enter your home.





#### YOUR WATER METER RECEIVED A TECHNOLOGY UPGRADE!

Moulton Niguel Water District has upgraded your water meter technology as pert of our Smart Meter Program to help you save water and money.



#### WHAT'S IN IT FOR YOU?



Receive Alerts About Potential Leaks in Your Home



Access Your Hourly Water Usage



Avoid Unintentional High Water

#### REGISTER FOR MYWATER MNWE

To receive leak alerts and monitor your hourly water usage, visit our customer portal online at onywates, moved, earn or download the app through the App Store (on your Applie device) or Google Play (on your Android device).



Note: To sign up, you will need your account number, pip code, and a valid email address.

LEARN HOW TO SIGN UP FOR LEAK ALERTS



### H2O FOR HOA'S PARTNERSHIP GROWS

## Partnership Elements:

- Annual Event Since 2017
- Intended for HOA Board Members,
   Community Managers, Landscape Industry
   Professionals and Residents
- Different Host City Location Each Year
- First Ever Virtual Program in 2020
  - Broadcast via Zoom Webinar
  - Pre-recorded with live Q&A feature
  - Viewed by 110 attendees



H2O FOR HOAS: AN EDUCATIONAL EVENT FOR HOA BOARD MEMBERS, PROPERTY MANAGERS, PROFESSIONAL LANDSCAPERS, AND RESIDENTS FOCUSING ON

Stormwater Best Management Practices Devin Slaven, City of Lake Forest

Water Efficiency: Best Practices, Tools, and Resources Lindsey Stuvick, Moulton Niguel Water District

Building Better Communities with Community Associations Institute: Education Networking and Advocacy for Common Interest Developments Anna Lisa Lukes, Community Associations Institute – Orange County

> FireScape - Beautiful and Smart! Marianne Hugo, Orange County Coastkeeper

#### Partners

Cities: Aliso Viejo, Dana Point, Laguna Beach, Laguna Hills, Laguna Niguel, Laguna Woods, Lake Forest, Mission Viejo, Rancho Santa Margarita, San Clemente, and San Juan Capistrono

Water Agencies: El Toro Water District, Laguna Beach County Water District, Moulton Niguel Water District, South Margarita Water District, South Coast Water District, and Unincorporated OC





## H2O FOR HOA'S PARTNERSHIP GROWS

































## H2O FOR HOA'S PARTNERSHIP GROWS

## Featured Workshops in 2020:

- Protecting Watersheds with Stormwater Best Management Practices
- Water Efficiency Resources & Programs
- Community Associations Institute OC
- Firescaping Beautiful and Smart!
- Video and Presentations Available on Our Website (MNWD.com)

Next H20 for HOA's Event in Fall 2021!







## **THANK YOU ISDOC!**

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Joone Lopez, General Manager Moulton Niguel Water District

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Independent Special Districts of Orange County

**Executive Committee Report** 

Orange County Operational Area
Mark Monin
Director, El Toro Water District



Treasurer's Report

Bill Green
Director, South Coast Water
District





**CSDA** Report

Arlene Schafer
Director, Costa Mesa
Sanitary District





**LAFCO** Report

James Fisler Director, Mesa Water





**OCCOG** Report

Mike Scheafer
Director, Costa Mesa
Sanitary District







## **Announcements/Closing Comments**

