



Central Basin

Municipal Water District

To: Central Basin Water Purveyors
Subject: Eligible Candidates for Appointed Central Basin Director

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and Unincorporated Areas of Los Angeles County

The Central Basin Municipal Water District (Central Basin) opened nominations for Appointed Directors at the January 25, 2017 Purveyor Workshop. Nominated candidates where:

Large Water Purveyor:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">William C. Gedney, Golden State Water Company
City Purveyor:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">John Oskoui, City of DowneyDr. Michael Gomez, Nominated by the City of Huntington Park
All Water Purveyors:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Mark Grajeda, Pico Water DistrictJohn Oskoui, City of DowneyDr. Michael Gomez, Nominated by the City of Huntington Park

Enclosure 1 is an opinion from Alfred Smith of Nossaman, Central Basin's General Counsel, stating that Dr. Michael Gomez is not a qualified candidate for the city Directorship because he is not an employee or designated representative of the city. Consequently, John Oskoui is the sole candidate for the city Director position.

Dr. Gomez, Mr. Grajeda, and Mr. Oskoui are all qualified candidates for the "All Water Purveyor" seat. Please note, Mr. Oskoui is the sole city candidate and cannot fill two seats.

Enclosed is the ballot. Please be sure and return your ballot even if there is only one candidate. A return pre-paid FedEx envelope has been included, and is due back to the District by February 21, 2017. Results will be opened at the February 22, 2017 Purveyor Workshop. Appointed Directors will be installed on March 3, 2017.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (714) 334-6601 or via email at kevinh@centralbasin.org.

Sincerely,

Kevin P. Hunt, P.E.
General Manager

Enclosures (2)

CENTRAL BASIN MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT

OFFICIAL BALLOT (FOR CITIES)

This is an official ballot pursuant to Water Code Section 71267 as enacted in Assembly Bill 1794 and will be maintained by the District as a public record. Please cast your vote(s) for the nominated candidate of your choice only for each of the categories for which your agency qualifies under the provisions of that statute; should you have any uncertainty as to which categories for which your agency qualifies, please review Water Code section 71267. Please print clearly or type in providing the information requested, sign, date, and return this ballot to the District at 6252 Telegraph Road, Commerce, California 90040, Attention: Kevin P. Hunt, General Manager.

I am casting this ballot on behalf of the City of _____, an incorporated city.

As a city in the District, this vote is cast for the following nominated candidate:

☐ John Oskoui, City of Downey

As a water purveyor of the District, this vote is cast for the following nominated candidate:

- ☐ Mark Grajeda, Pico Water District
☐ Dr. Michael Gomez, Walnut Park Mutual Water Company
☐ John Oskoui, City of Downey

I certify that I have the authorization and capacity to act in this regard on behalf of my agency by virtue of (check as many as apply):

- ☐ a. an express authorization by a vote of my governing board at a properly noticed public meeting on _____
☐ b. my position with the agency as _____
☐ c. my position and authority as set forth in my agency's administrative code and/or a resolution delegating to me such general authority
☐ d. Other: please describe: _____

Dated: _____

Submitted by:

Name

Title

Signature