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## Press Release

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### VWD Board makes new committee appointments

San Marcos, CA - Shortly after the Board meeting for Wednesday, June 2, 2010, was called to order, the Vallecitos Water District (Vallecitos) Board Directors voted unanimously to move forward with new committee appointments made by Board President Ferguson. Trish Hannan was appointed as the District representative to the San Diego County Water Authority (SDCWA) - replacing Board President Margaret E. Ferguson who recently resigned from the post after seven years - and Jim Poltl was appointed to serve as the District representative to the Encina Wastewater Authority (EWA).

Hannan's appointment to the SDCWA Board will assist in setting policy direction at the wholesaler organization responsible for all of the water Vallecitos provides its customers. Poltl's appointment to the EWA Board will assist in setting policy with the organization responsible for treating a portion of the wastewater collected within Vallecitos boundaries.

Trish Hannan, Division 2 representative, has served on the District Board since 1997. Her current term expires in 2010. Along with the new appointment as SDCWA representative, she also serves as a delegate to the Association of California Water Agencies Joint Powers Insurance Authority (ACWA/JPIA) and is the recent past President of the Board at the Encina Wastewater Authority. Hannan is also the past president of the local Boys & Girls and Soroptomist clubs. She is a retired business owner and has been active in San Marcos for more than 25 years.

Jim Poltl, Division 3 representative, has been a San Marcos resident 30 years. He was first appointed to the Vallecitos Board in 2006 with his current term expiring in 2010. His appointment to EWA accompanies his existing post as the District representative to the LAFCO-Special District Advisory Committee. Along with the Vallecitos Board, Jim's community involvement includes previously serving as a board director with the San Marcos Unified School District for 10 years, the San Marcos American Youth Soccer Organization for 5 years, and the San Marcos Parks and Recreation Commission for 2 years. He also owned his own heating and

air conditioning business in San Marcos for 17 years. Jim Poltl currently is the Director of Maintenance/Operations/Transportation for San Marcos Unified School District.

Hannan and Poltl are joined by Directors Margaret E. Ferguson, Division 4; Darrell Gentry, Division 5; and Timothy Shell, Division 1, to form Vallecitos's five-member board. They meet regularly the first and third Wednesday of the month. Open to the public, the board meetings start at 4 p.m. in the Vallecitos Administrative, Operations, and Maintenance Facility, 201 Vallecitos de Oro, in San Marcos.

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***Vallecitos Water District is an independent, special district dedicated to providing water, wastewater and reclamation services to approximately 85,600 people in a 45-square-mile area that includes San Marcos; the community of Lake San Marcos; portions of Carlsbad, Escondido and Vista; and other surrounding unincorporated areas. The public is invited to Board meetings, taking place at 4 p.m. the first and third Wednesday of each month at Vallecitos' Administration, Maintenance, and Operations Facility - 201 Vallecitos de Oro, San Marcos.***