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To: Board of Directors
Member Agency Managers

From: Jeffrey Kightlinger, General Manager

Subject: California WaterFix Industry Outreach Day

Today, the state is announcing it will hold a California WaterFix "Industry Day" in Sacramento on December 6 for prospective consultants, contractors and other businesses. It will also announce it will be posting Requests for Proposals (RFPs) and Requests for Qualifications (RFQs) in December and additional RFPs/RFQs in the coming months. A second workshop for business, industry and labor will be held in Southern California in early 2018.

Metropolitan was asked to help facilitate these workshops because we have experience with large projects and have an outstanding business outreach program to promote the engagement of diverse contractors and subcontractors, including small and veteran-owned enterprises.

The event will be videotaped and posted on Metropolitan's website to allow those who are not able to attend to hear these presentations and discussions. More information about the project can be found here - [California WaterFix Industry Day Flyer](#).