



MEMORANDUM

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TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Richard Santos,
ECCC Chair

SUBJECT: Environmental Creek Cleanup
Committee (ECCC) January 20, 2026
Meeting Summary

DATE: March 10, 2026

This memorandum summarizes discussion and action from the meeting of the Environmental Creek Cleanup Committee (ECCC) held on January 20, 2026.

ELECT 2026 ENVIRONMENTAL CREEK CLEANUP COMMITTEE OFFICERS

It was moved by Director Beall, seconded by Vice Chairperson Hsueh, and unanimously carried to re-elect Chairperson Santos and Vice Chairperson Hsueh to their respective positions.

RECEIVE UPDATE ON VALLEY WATER'S ENCAMPMENT CLEANUP OPERATIONS

Discussion ensued relating to minimal activity on the lower peninsula watershed and whether encampments are changing locations, Ordinance signage used indicating that there is no camping on Valley Water-owned land, reductions in encampments on off-railroad property, plans to repair sites damaged by encampments, reduced fence cutting, participation from law enforcement from varying municipalities, services for abandoned animals, and trash cleanup.

The Committee received the information and took no formal action.

RECEIVE UPDATE ON VALLEY WATER'S WATER RESOURCES PROTECTION ZONES (WRPZ) ORDINANCE IMPLEMENTATION

Discussion ensued relating to Valley Water's participation in the County of Santa Clara's Homeless Action Plan, and housing bond allocations in the State legislature.

The Committee received the information and took no formal action.

REVIEW THE ENVIRONMENTAL CREEK CLEANUP COMMITTEE (ECCC) WORK PLAN

The Committee received the information, took no formal action, and requested that staff report at a future Committee meeting relating to Valley Water's use of the Coyote Alamitos Canal in the Santa Teresa Hills.

Board member comments and suggestions can be forwarded to Dave Leon, Assistant Deputy Clerk II at (408) 630-2006 or by email to daveleon@valleywater.org.

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