CEO BULLETIN



To:Board of DirectorsFrom:Norma J. Camacho, Interim CEO

Chief Executive Officer Bulletin Week of March 31- April 6, 2017

Board Executive Limitation Policy EL-7:

The Board Appointed Officers shall inform and support the Board in its work. Further, a BAO shall 1) inform the Board of relevant trends, anticipated adverse media coverage, or material external and internal changes, particularly changes in the assumptions upon which any Board policy has previously been established and 2) report in a timely manner an actual or anticipated noncompliance with any policy of the Board.

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The Water District Education Outreach Team Visits Boys and Girls Clubs of Silicon Valley

On March 29, 2017, the education outreach team visited the Boys and Girls Clubs of Silicon Valley (BGCSV) at the Levin Clubhouse location in San Jose.

During the hour-long visit, 15 students learned about where our water comes from and the importance of water supply stewardship. They participated in hands-on activities, including the "Incredible Journey" where they were transformed into water molecules as they went through the water cycle. In "Salmon Survival" they role-played being salmon on their return migration from ocean to stream and learned about the many obstacles they must overcome to survive and spawn.

This was the first visit in a series of nine visits that have been scheduled over the next three months, with an expected participation of over 200 students. The water district is working closely with BGCSV to build an ongoing relationship with its nine clubhouse locations in San Jose and Morgan Hill and provide hands-on learning and an understanding of local water resources to a new audience.

The BGCSV is a non-profit youth development organization that provides innovative and effective afterschool and summer enrichment programs primarily for low income, at-risk Santa Clara County youth ages 6-18 years. Its mission is "to inspire and empower all young people, especially those who need us most, to realize their full potential as productive, responsible and caring adults."

For further information, please contact Chris Elias at (408) 630-2379.

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Response to BMR R-17-0004 is included in the board's April 7, 2017, Non-Agenda package.

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