



MAYORS WATER COUNCIL
City Water Resource Challenges
Palm Beach, Florida
The Breakers Hotel
November 19 - 20, 2008

Agenda

Wednesday, November 19

2:00 PM – 4:00 PM
(Gulf Stream 3 & 4)

Registration

2:00 PM – 2:15 PM
(Gulf Stream 3 & 4)

Welcome Remarks

Mayor Martin J. Chávez, City of Albuquerque, NM
Co-Chairman, Mayors Water Council

2:15 PM – 3:15 PM

**Water and Wastewater Carbon Footprint:
Benchmarking and Reductions**

**“Opportunities to Reduce Energy Use and Greenhouse Gas
Emissions in Wastewater Treatment Plants”**

*Jason Turgeon, Environmental Protection Specialist, U.S. Environmental
Protection Agency, New England*

**“San Francisco Uses Solar Energy to Offset GHGs Associated with
Wastewater Treatment Plant”**

*Laura Spanjian, Assistant General Manager for External Affairs with the
SFPUC*

**“Energy Management and Alternative Energy Use in the Water
Sector”**

John Young, President, American Water Works Service Company

Commentator: Brian Casey, President, SourceOne, Inc., Veolia Energy

Federal Financial Assistance Legislation

*Commentator: Michael Deane, Associate Assistant Administrator,
Office of Water, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency*

Authorizing Legislation - “Waters of the United States”

10:00 AM – 10:45 AM

Alternative Financing and Asset Management Strategies

“Public-Private Partnerships in North America”

Mark Kropilak, Senior Vice President, United Water

Alberto Usobiaga, Industrial Engineer, Bal-Ondeo, Mexico

“Life Cycle Savings through Asset Management Programming”

*Alan Ispass, Vice President, CH2M HILL-Utilities Management
Solutions*

10:45 AM – 11:00 AM

Break

11:00 AM – 11:20 AM

Importance of Municipal Water – Report from Co-Chair and Staff

“Local Government Investment in Municipal Water and Sewer Infrastructure: Adding Value to the National Economy”

Update on City Purchase of Bottled Water

11:20 AM – 12:00 PM

City Water Supply Issues

“Bulk Water as a Resource For Disaster Preparedness and Recovery”

Cindy Penn, Vice President, Bruarfoss

“What Every Mayor Should Know about Community Water Supply Planning”

Les Lampe, P.E., Vice President, Black & Veatch

12:00 PM – 1:30 PM

Luncheon and Keynote Address

“Facing the Freshwater Crisis: Some Lessons for Local Officials”

Professor Peter P. Rogers, Ph.D.

Harvard School of Engineering and Applied Sciences

Luncheon Sponsored by American Water

1:30 PM – 2:00 PM

Water Conservation I

“Water Conservation for Future Economic Viability – City of McKinney Partnership with Texas A&M Urban Solutions Group”

Mayor Bill Whitfield, McKinney, TX

*Milt Engelke, Associate Center Director, Professor, Texas AgriLife
Research, Urban Solutions Center*

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Water Conservation II

Moderator: Mayor Martin J. Chávez, City of Albuquerque, NM

“The Use of Emerging Technologies for Comprehensive Water Conservation and Preservation”

Wayne Morgan, President, West Virginia, American Water

Pamela Malone, Vice President, Itron, Inc.

“Improving Environmental and Economical Sustainability in Underground Assets”

Tony Radoszewski, Executive Director, Plastics Pipe Institute

“Conservation Through Automation”

Isaiah “Ike” Moss, Vice President, Aclara

Laura Wainwright, Product Marketing Manager, Aclara

3:00 PM

Closing Remarks – Adjourn

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