

Conejo Recreation & Park District

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DATE:

July 11, 2017

TO:

Board of Directors

FROM:

Jim Friedl, General Manager

SUBJECT:

California's Severe Drought and Conejo Recreation and Park District's

Response in Terms of Water Conservation Recommendations

On May 7, 2015, the Board directed staff to provide monthly reports of the District's water use, water savings projects, and activities to date.

Water Use

Attached is the monthly water use report, including:

- Water use from June 1, 2015 to June 1, 2017 as compared to same months in 2013
- District's Water Usage per Acre (All Funds)
- Overall Water Costs (All Funds)
- Rainfall

FY 2016/2017 Water Savings Projects and Activities

- Capital Projects
 - Drought Response Irrigation Improvements and Turf Conversions Districtwide
 - ◆ Twenty-six parks approved by Metropolitan Water District (MWD) for turf rebate funds in the amount of \$720k. All funds received.
 - Received additional rebate funds (\$233k) from Cal Water for turf conversions over and above MWD program
 - o Investigate/Develop Conversion to Reclaimed Water at Triunfo Community Park
 - ◆ Turf rebate application submitted and approved for \$50k. Waiting on rebate.
 - ♦ Work completed April 2017
 - Six Pickleball Courts and Turf Conversion at Rancho Conejo Playfield
 - Turf rebate application approved (NTE \$50k). Rebate submitted for approval.
 - Work completed May 2017. Turf Conversion completed April 2017.

- Master Plan Development and Turf Conversion at Banyan Neighborhood Park
 - ◆ Project out to bid Spring 2017
- Phase 3 Development and Turf Conversion at Northwood Neighborhood Park
 - ◆ Turf rebate application submitted and approved for \$50k. Waiting on rebate.
 - ♦ Work started December 6, 2016
 - ◆ Estimated completion July 2017. Turf Conversion completed March 2017.
- Modifying Turf Refurbishments
 - Ongoing
- Public Outreach
 - Website updated information, maps of turf conversion areas (www.crpd.org/water)

STRATEGIC PLAN COMPLIANCE

Meets 2017 Strategic Plan Element 6.9: Evaluate enhanced recycling and energy conservation practices. Evaluate and enhance our recycling and energy conservation practices within the District and at District properties and events to assure that we continuously improve the District's recycling, energy conservation, resource utilization and related practices.

Respectfully submitted by,

T. P. Hare

Administrator, Parks and Planning

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Attachments

CRPD WATER USAGE DATA AS OF JUNE 1, 2017 DISTRICTWIDE CUMULATIVE MONTH ACTUAL UNITS MONTH DIFFERENCE MONTH % CHANGE **CUMULATIVE % CHANGE** YEAR YEAR UNITS DIFFERENCE JUNE 2015 JUNE 2013 22,657 47,823 -25,166 -52.62% -25,166 -52.62% JULY 2015 28,177 JULY 2013 50,433 -22,256 -44.13% -47,422 -48.26% AUGUST 2015 27,366 **AUGUST** 2013 55,126 -27,760 -50.36% -75,182 -49.02% SEPTEMBER 2015 26,335 2013 47,862 -48.06% SEPTEMBER -21,527 -44.98% -96,709 2013 -44.94% **OCTOBER** 2015 22,427 **OCTOBER** 29,358 -6,931-23.61% -103,640 **NOVEMBER** 2015 17,639 **NOVEMBER** 2013 22,783 -5,144 -22.58% -108,784 -42.93% DECEMBER 2015 12,586 2013 -40.77% DECEMBER 11,995 591 4.93% -108,193 **JANUARY** 2016 4,290 **JANUARY** 2013 6,121 -1,831 -29.91% -110,024 -40.52% **FEBRUARY** 2016 9,773 **FEBRUARY** 2013 5,646 4,127 73.10% -105,897 -38.21% MARCH 2016 13,080 MARCH 2013 17,803 -4,723 -26.53% -110,620 -37.50% APRIL 2016 17,304 APRIL 2013 27,198 -9,894 -36.38% -120,514 -37.41% MAY 2016 25,034 MAY 2013 43,744 -18,710 -42.77% -139,224 -38.05% JUNE 2016 32,835 JUNE 2013 -14,988 -37.27% 47,823 -31.34% -154,212 JULY 2016 36,874 JULY 2013 50,433 -13,559 -26.89% -167,771 -36.15% **AUGUST** 2016 41,678 **AUGUST** 2013 55,126 -13,448 -24.40% -181,219 -34.90% 36,296 **SEPTEMBER** 2016 **SEPTEMBER** 2013 47,862 -11,566 -24.17% -192,785 -33.99% 2016 29,814 2013 456 OCTOBER **OCTOBER** 29,358 1.55% -192,329 -32.24% NOVEMBER 2016 13,066 NOVEMBER 2013 22,783 -9,717 -42.65% -202,046 -32.63% **DECEMBER** 2016 7,092 **DECEMBER** 2013 11,995 -4,903 -40.88% -206,949 -32.78% JANUARY 2017 2,145 **JANUARY** 2013 6,121 -3,976 -64.96% -210,925 -33.09% FEBRUARY 2,514 **FEBRUARY** -33.29% 2017 2013 5,646 -3,132-55.47% -214,057 MARCH 2017 7,818 MARCH 2013 17,803 -9,985 -56.09% -224,042 -33.90% APRIL 2017 22,617 APRIL 2013 27,198 -4,581 -16.84% -228,623 -33.23% 32,958 -10,786 MAY 2017 MAY 2013 43,744 -24.66% -239,409 -32.72% JUNE 2017 JUNE 2013 47,823 0.00% JULY 2017 JULY 2013 50,433 0.00% **AUGUST** 2017 **AUGUST** 2013 55,126 0.00% SEPTEMBER 2017 SEPTEMBER 2013 47,862 0.00% OCTOBER 2017 OCTOBER 2013 29,358 0.00% **NOVEMBER** 2017 **NOVEMBER** 2013 22,783 0.00%

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