

**Water Advisory Committee (WAC)
Memorandum**

To: WAC Members
From: Natalie Rogers, WAC Chair
Date: October 27, 2025
Subject: 2026-2027 WAC Chair and Vice Chair Recommendation

The WAC Chair and Vice Chair positions are two-year appointments elected by the WAC in February of even years. The WAC identified a process for WAC leadership transition where the out-going Vice Chair typically assumes the Chair position and an Ad Hoc Committee, consisting of the current WAC Chair and WAC Vice Chair, solicits interest in the WAC Vice Chair position in August of odd years. At the August 4, 2025 WAC Meeting, the WAC approved forming an Ad Hoc Committee consisting of the current Chair and Vice Chair of the WAC and that the Ad Hoc Committee solicit interest for filling the WAC Vice Chair for the 2026 – 2027 term.

Since, in the normal course, the outgoing Vice Chair assumes the Chair for the next two years, it is expected that Jon Foreman, Valley of the Moon Water District, will move up to fill the WAC Chair position for the 2026 – 2027 term. The WAC Ad Hoc Committee solicited interest for the WAC Vice Chair and City of Sonoma WAC member Ron Wellander has agreed to be considered to fulfill the WAC Vice Chair position for the 2026 – 2027 term.

Recommended Action:

The WAC is requested to elect a Chair and Vice Chair for the 2026 - 2027 term, effective at the first WAC meeting in 2026.