

# *The Board of Supervisors of C.9 Contra Costa County, California*

In the matter of congratulating Dennis M. Diemer on his retirement as General Manager of the East Bay Municipal Utility District (EBMUD) and thanking him for his dedicated service.

RESOLUTION NO. 2011/ 35

WHEREAS, Dennis M. Diemer served as the General Manager of the East Bay Municipal Utility District (EBMUD) for 15 years, successfully guiding the district through difficult times of drought, economic recession, and conflict among water districts; and

WHEREAS, Dennis Diemer started with EBMUD in 1981 as an engineer in its Wastewater Division, working his way up to General Manager in 1995; and

WHEREAS, Dennis Diemer led the District through major milestones including its internationally recognized Seismic Improvement program, a major retrofitting effort stemming from concerns raised after the 1989 Loma Prieta Earthquake, and the historic Freeport Regional Water Project which ended forty years of "water wars" between the East Bay and the Sacramento area, creating a water-sharing plan that is sensitive to the environment and the needs of both areas; and

WHEREAS, Dennis Diemer provided strong fiscal, engineering, and operational leadership to EBMUD during his tenure as General Manager; and

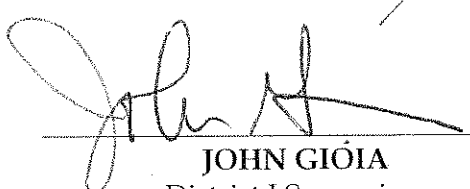
WHEREAS, a native of Los Angeles, David Diemer received his BS in Civil Engineering from Loyola University, and is a registered Civil Engineer with the State of California; and


WHEREAS, prior to coming to EBMUD, David Diemer worked for a leading consulting firm specializing on water and wastewater at EBMUD; David Diemer had overall management responsibility of a major water and wastewater utility serving 1.3 million customers, with a staff of over 2000; and

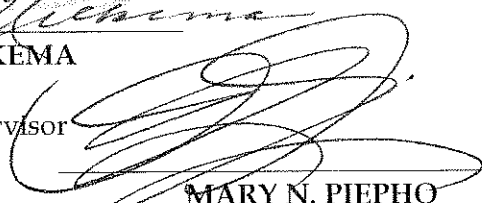
WHEREAS, David Diemer is retiring from EBMUD in June, 2011 leaving a model water district which serves its customers with excellence; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Contra Costa Board of Supervisors honors David M. Diemer for his 15 years of dedicated and insightful service as the General Manager of EBMUD and congratulates him on his retirement.

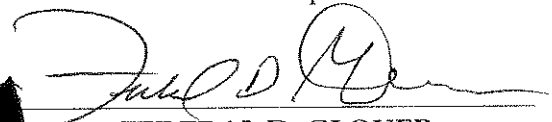
*PASSED by a unanimous vote of the Board of Supervisors members present this 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2011.*

  
JOHN GIOIA  
District I Supervisor

  
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Chair  
District II Supervisor

  
MARY N. PIEPHO  
District III Supervisor

  
KAREN MITCHOFF  
District IV Supervisor


  
FEDERAL D. GLOVER  
District V Supervisor



I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown:

ATTESTED: January 25, 2011

DAVID TWA, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and County Administrator

By , Deputy

*Introduced by Supervisor John Gioia*