

STAFF REPORT

To: Coastside County Water District Board of Directors

From: Mary Rogren, General Manager

Agenda: May 13, 2025

Report

Date: May 9, 2025

Agenda Title: Consider Resolution 2025-02 Approving Placing in Nomination John Muller as a Member of the Association of California Water Agencies ("ACWA") Region 5 Board of Directors

Recommendation/Motion:

Approve Resolution 2025-02 placing in nomination John Muller as a Member of the Association of California Water Agencies ("ACWA") Region 5 Board of Directors.

Background:

The Nominating Committee is currently seeking candidates for the Region 5 Board, which is comprised of a Chair, Vice Chair and up to five Board Members for the 2026-2027 Term.

The leadership of ACWA's ten geographical regions is integral to the leadership of the Association as a whole. The Chair and Vice Chair of Region 5 serve on ACWA's Statewide Board of Directors and recommend all committee appointments for Region 5. The members of the Region 5 Board determine the direction and focus of region issues and activities. Additionally, they support the fulfillment of ACWA's goals on behalf of members.

Pursuant to the Region 5 Rules and Regulations, Region 5 Board Members must be a local agency board member. The nomination process requires that the agency's Board of Directors approve a resolution of support for the nominee.

Director Muller is currently a ACWA Region 5 Board Member and is interested in serving another term. His nomination form is attached.

Attachments:

- A. Resolution 2025-02
- B. Nomination Form

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-02
A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF THE COASTSIDE COUNTY WATER DISTRICT
PLACING IN NOMINATION JOHN MULLER
AS A MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATION OF CALIFORNIA WATER AGENCIES
REGION 5 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Be it resolved by the Board of Directors of Coastside County Water District as follows:

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the Coastside County Water District does encourage and support the participation of its members in the affairs of the Association of California Water Agencies (ACWA).

WHEREAS, John Muller is currently serving as Director for ACWA Region 5 and serving on the Board of Directors of Coastside County Water District, and

WHEREAS, John Muller has indicated a desire to serve as a Board Member of ACWA Region 5.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of the Coastside County Water District

1. Does place its full and unreserved support in the nomination of John Muller for the Board of Directors of ACWA Region 5.
2. Does hereby determine that the expenses attendant with the service of John Muller in ACWA Region 5 shall be borne by the Coastside County Water District.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 13th day of May 2025, by the following vote of the Board:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

Glenn Reynolds, President
Board of Directors

ATTEST:

Mary Rogren, General Manager
Secretary of the District

REGION BOARD CANDIDATE NOMINATION FORM '25



Submit completed form by **June 20, 2025** to **regionelections@acwa.com**

Name of Candidate: John H Muller	Title: Director
Agency: Coastside County Water District	Agency Phone: 650-726-4405
Direct Phone: 650-464-8226	E-mail: jmuller@coastsidewater.org
Address: 766 Main Street, Half Moon Bay, CA	ACWA Region: 5 County: San Mateo

Region Board Position Preference
If you are interested in more than one position, please indicate priority – 1st, 2nd and 3rd choice.

☐ Chair:

☐ Vice Chair:

☒ Board Member:

If you are not chosen for the recommended slate, would you like to be listed in the ballot's individual candidate section?
If neither is selected, your name will **NOT** appear on the ballot.

☒ Yes ☐ No

Agency Function(s)
Check all that apply

☐ Wholesale

☒ Urban Water Supply

☒ Ag Water Supply

☐ Sewage Treatment

☒ Retailer

☐ Wastewater Reclamation

☐ Flood Control

☐ Groundwater Management / Replenishment

☐ Other:

Describe your ACWA-related activities that help qualify you for this office:

I was a member of the San Francisco Water Quality Control Board Region 2 for 21 years, Chair for 13 years. I am a life long farmer of the San Mateo County Coast. I SERVED AS AN ACWA MEMBER FOR 8 YERARS AND BOARD MEMBER FOR 3 YEARS. I know the importance of the availability of good quality water for all our population in our State. I attend Region 5 Board Meetings and share my CCWD experiences we face in our District.

Write below or attach a half-page bio summarizing the experience and qualifications that make you a viable candidate for ACWA Region leadership. Please include the number of years you have served in your current agency position, the number of years you have been involved in water issues and in what capacity you have been involved in the water community. You may share a candidate photo along with your application. Candidate photos and bios will be shared on the ACWA region election webpage.

I served as an ACWA member previously from 2002-2008 as a member and 2003-2005 as a Board Member and have been active for many years through my involvement with my good friend and fellow farmer, Randy Fiorini.
Please See Attached Sheet.
Thank you

I acknowledge that the role of a region board member is to actively participate on the Region Board during my term, including attending region board and membership meetings, participating in region conference calls, participating in ACWA's Outreach Program, as well as other ACWA functions to set an example of commitment to the region and the association.

I hereby submit my name for consideration by the Nominating Committee.

 Signature

Director

Title

 Date

Please attach a copy of your agency's resolution of support / sponsorship for your candidacy.