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Inland Empire Utilities Agency Seats Board Members and Elects Officers

Inland Empire - Michael Camacho, the newest Board Member of the Inland Empire Utilities Agency and Terry Catlin, who has served for the past 12 years, were seated on the Board at its January 7, 2009 meeting.

Terry Catlin was elected to serve as Board President at the January 7th meeting. "I'm honored to be able to guide IEUA over the next two years," Catlin said. "IEUA's water supply and water conservation programs are a top priority. With Southern California facing a substantial cutback on its imported water, water conservation is more important than ever. I look forward to the opportunity to lead IEUA during these challenging yet exciting times."

Angel Santiago, who has been on the Board since 2002 and represents the City of Fontana and portions of Rialto, was elected Vice President and the Agency's representative to the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California (MWD). "I look forward to serving as both IEUA Vice President and a member of MWD's Board," said Santiago. "I am dedicated to assuring continued, sufficient, quality water by advocating conservation and increasing community awareness."

Michael Camacho, who has over 20 years of experience in the water and construction industry, was elected Secretary/Treasurer. "I want to apply my skills to insure a fiscally responsible Agency that is careful with the consumers' dollars and operates an efficient and effective organization," stated Camacho. "Over the next few years, we will be faced with numerous challenges to our water supply. I look forward to the opportunity to be a part of the solution."

Catlin was also elected to represent IEUA on the Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority Board and John Anderson was elected to be the alternate.

IEUA's mission is to supply imported drinking water and collect, treat, and dispose of wastewater and provide other utility-related (renewable energy and compost) services in a regionally planned, managed and cost effective manner. IEUA provides these services to the Cities of Chino, Chino Hills, Fontana, Montclair, Ontario, and Upland as well as to the Cucamonga Valley and Monte Vista Water Districts and the Water Facilities Authority.

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