

## CVWD Welcomes Two New Board Members

Rancho Cucamonga, CA (DECEMBER 29, 2008) – CVWD has seated two new board members who won a bid to serve on the water district board during the November 2008 election. Sworn into office were Henry “Hank” Stoy and Oscar Gonzalez. Also sworn into office were James V. Curatalo, Jr. and Randall James Reed, incumbents who both won re-election for their seats on the water board.

*“It is highly unusual that we would have four seats up for re-election, typically we only have three or two, however due to a vacancy that occurred outside of the normal election cycle we were required to hold an election for a two-year term seat”*, stated Robert A. DeLoach, General Manager/CEO for the Cucamonga Valley Water District.

The two-year term was won by Director Oscar Gonzalez. Director Gonzalez is a registered professional civil engineer with the State of California and has over 20 years of experience in water and wastewater engineering.

Also elected to office was Director Hank Stoy, who is no stranger to CVWD, having served two previous terms on the water district from 1997 – 2005. He is retired from the City of Los Angeles Department of Water & Power and is also a retired Lieutenant Colonel from the United States Air Force. Director Stoy graduated from the University of Washington in Seattle with a degree in economics.

Returning to serve on the CVWD board of directors are President James V. Curatalo, Jr. and Vice-President Randal James Reed. President Curatalo has been on the board of directors since November 1999 and is a Battalion Chief with the Rancho Cucamonga Fire Protection District. Vice-President Reed was initially elected to the board of directors in November 2003 and has worked in the

wastewater field for the past 15 years as an electrical and instrumentation supervisor.

*“We welcome the two new board members and look forward to the contributions they will make to CVWD. There are a number of issues that will confront our agency in 2009 dealing with water supply reliability and educating our customers about efficient water use. We appreciate the enthusiasm and commitment of our new board members to work as a team for the betterment of all customers of the Cucamonga Valley Water District”,* stated James Curatalo, Jr., President of the CVWD board of directors.

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