

# Elect Fred R. Bockmiller, P.E. to ACWA/JPIA Executive Committee

## Fred R. Bockmiller, P.E. Director, Mesa Water District



**OBJECTIVE:** To further the goals of ACWA/JPIA in best serving its members, by applying my analytical and leadership skills, and my risk management experience, as a member of the ACWA/JPIA Executive Committee.

### **STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Mesa Water District Director, 1996-present
- Five-term Board President, Mesa Water District
- ACWA/JPIA Board, 2006-present
- ACWA/JPIA Risk Management Committee, 2008-present
- ACWA Energy Committee, 2002-present
- Chair of all various Mesa Water District Committees (Executive, Audit Ad Hoc, Finance, Human Resources, IT Ad Hoc, Engineering and Operations, Public Information)
- Engineering Manager, UC Irvine Facilities Management Department

**BIOGRAPHY:** A Newport-Mesa native, Fred Bockmiller represents Division 1 -- encompassing the West Side of Costa Mesa and portions of Newport Beach -- on the Mesa Water District Board of Directors. Having been Board President for five prior terms -- in 1999, 2000, 2004, 2011, and 2012 -- Director Bockmiller currently serves as Chairman of Mesa Water's Engineering and Operations Committee.

Director Bockmiller represents Mesa Water on the Board of the Association of California Water Agencies (ACWA) Joint Powers Insurance Authority (JPIA). He also serves on the ACWA/JPIA Risk Management Committee and the ACWA Energy Committee.

Director Bockmiller has previously chaired every Mesa Water committee (Executive, Audit Ad Hoc, Finance, Human Resources, IT Ad Hoc, Engineering and Operations, and Public Information). Additionally, he has represented Mesa Water at the City/Districts Liaison Committee, Orange County Council of Governments, Orange County Water District, and the Costa Mesa Westside Revitalization Oversight Committee.

Throughout his elected service, Director Bockmiller has championed water quality and cost-efficient service reliability through a perpetual agency philosophy of long-term planning for the future of Mesa Water and continuous infrastructure maintenance, renewal, and improvement. He has been a relentless champion of high-quality, fact-based decision making.

Director Bockmiller is the Engineering Manager in the Facilities Management Department at UC Irvine (UCI), a leader in energy conservation and construction efforts for more than 20 years, including completion of more than \$3 billion in major capital construction projects, and extensive energy and water conservation retrofits, which tripled the developed building space, reduced energy consumption in laboratories by 50 percent, and decreased per capita water use by more than 30%. He also represents the department at the emergency operations center for the campus with a daytime population approaching 60,000 people on 1,500 acres.

Developing the next generation is an area of interest for Director Bockmiller. He is a regular guest lecturer in UCI's Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering, a mentor in the Junior Mentor Program at Newport Harbor High School, and was a Board member for 17 years of the Youth Employment Service -- a local charity that provides youth with the tools to find jobs -- where he served as CFO and President.