



UPPER SAN GABRIEL VALLEY
MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT

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**Media Advisory – Groundbreaking Ceremony
Recycled Water Conversion at Whittier Narrows Golf Course**

- Date/Time:** October 29, 2008 – Sign-in 8:30 a.m.; Program 9-10:00 a.m.
- Place:** Whittier Narrows Golf Course (Driving Range adjacent to main parking lot and clubhouse)
8640 Rush Street; Rosemead, CA 91770; (626) 288-1044
- Who:** Upper San Gabriel Valley Municipal Water District
- What:** Recycled Water Program for Whittier Narrows Golf Course
- overview of project history, financing, operation & schedule
 - summary of water conservation, energy conservation, and economic benefits
 - perspectives of elected officials and water agency experts
 - groundbreaking ceremony and photo
 - refreshments provided

Dignitaries: Invitees likely to attend include:

- State of California
 - Assemblyman Edward P. Hernandez (D-57)
 - Assemblyman Mike Eng (D-49)
 - Regional Water Quality Control Board
- County of Los Angeles
 - Supervisor Gloria Molina (First District)
 - Russ Guiney, Director of the L.A. County Department of Parks and Recreation
 - Paul Wong/Carlos Borja L.A. County Department of Public Health
 - Steve Maguin, Los Angeles County Sanitation Districts
- Water Districts and Water Agencies
 - Leon M. N. Garcia, Board President, Upper San Gabriel Valley Municipal Water District
 - Timothy C. Jochem, General Manager, Upper San Gabriel Valley Municipal Water District
 - Timothy F. Brick, Chairman, Metropolitan Water District
 - Jeffrey Kightlinger, General Manager, Metropolitan Water District
 - Mike Whitehead/Dan Arrighi, San Gabriel Valley Water Company
 - Dennis Wolfe, US Bureau of Reclamation

The Upper District provides wholesale water service to 17 cities and 22 retail water utilities in the San Gabriel Valley. Nearly one million people live and work in the Upper District's 144 square mile service area. Annually, demand for treated, untreated and recycled water in the Upper District service area averages more than 78 billion gallons.