



LVMWD and JPA Board of Directors Announce New Leadership Positions

The Las Virgenes Municipal Water District (LVMWD) and Las Virgenes – Triunfo Joint Powers Authority (JPA) Board of Directors announce new officer positions.

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Calabasas, CA – Both the LVMWD and JPA Board of Directors announce the new appointment of Board Officers for calendar year 2021.

In January 2021, LVMWD Board Directors began a term in service to our communities. Director Jay Lewitt (Division 5) will continue to serve as Board President, Director Len Polan (Division 4) will continue to serve as Vice-President, Director Lee Renger (Division 3) will serve as Secretary, Director Lynda Lo-Hill (Division 2) will continue serving as Treasurer, and Director Charles Caspary (Division 1) will continue serving as Board Director. Renger, a retired scientist and electrical engineer for NASA, has served on the Board for 16 years and has been an area resident since 1967. He succeeds Director Caspary (Division 1) in his new role.

“It’s been a pleasure serving the LVMWD community for the last several years and I look forward to continuing my service as Board President,” commented President Jay Lewitt. “We have a lot of work to do to continue providing the best product, highest quality customer service, and assurances to our customers that when you turn on your tap, the water is there.”

Additionally, Triunfo Water & Sanitation District (TWSD) Chair Ray Tjulander was recognized as the new Chair of the Las Virgenes - Triunfo JPA at their first Board meeting of the year. Elected in 2018 after being appointed the year prior, Tjulander joined the TWSD Board after 38 years of service as an aerospace engineer with NASA. He’s served on several other leadership committees, including the Ventura County Grand Jury and the Thousand Oaks Cable TV Oversight Committee, among others.

Chair Tjulander succeeds Director Jay Lewitt, who will serve as Vice Chair. Other remaining JPA Board member include Director Charles Caspary (LVMWD), Lynda Lo-Hill (LVMWD), Lee Renger (LVMWD), Len Polan (LVMWD), James Wall (TWSD), Jane Nye (TWSD), Leon Shapiro (TWSD), and Janna Orkney (TWSD).

Ray Tjulander
Chair, Las Virgenes-Triunfo
Joint Powers Authority
Chair, Triunfo Water & Sanitation District
Board of Directors

Jay Lewitt
Vice Chair, Las Virgenes-Triunfo
Joint Powers Authority
President, Las Virgenes Municipal Water District
Board of Directors

“I’m honored to step into this leadership role for the JPA,” said Chair Tjulander. “I joined the Board of Directors to serve my community, and I’m certainly excited to work to continue to meet the challenges faced by our region.”

Las Virgenes - Triunfo Joint Powers Authority (JPA) was established between Las Virgenes and Triunfo Water & Sanitation Districts to treat wastewater within the Malibu Creek watershed. The JPA owns and operates the Tapia Water Reclamation Facility and the Rancho Las Virgenes Composting Facility.

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