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ORANGE COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICT

LEGISLATIVE AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

FEDERAL UPDATE

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THE ISSUES

- ❖ Infrastructure
- ❖ FY 2022 Appropriations
- ❖ PFAS/PFOA
- ❖ Nominations

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INFRASTRUCTURE

- House Passes INVEST Act
 - ❑ \$80 Billion State Revolving Fund (SRF)
 - ❑ \$50 Million/year: Water Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act WIFIA
 - ❑ **\$500 Million Smart Water Tech Grants**
 - ❑ \$5 Million Workforce Grants
 - ❑ \$1 Billion Pretreatment Standards Grants: PFAS

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INFRASTRUCTURE

- Senate Bi-Partisan Agreement
 - ❑ Limited State Revolving Fund - \$16 Billion
 - ❑ Reduced support for Alternative Water Supply Grants
- S. 914 Fall Back Option if Bi-Partisan Agreement Falters

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APPROPRIATIONS

- House EPA Funding Robust
 - ❑ \$1.9 Billion SRF/\$80 Million WIFIA
 - ❑ \$1 Billion Pretreatment Standards Grants to POTWs
 - ❑ \$248 Million Environmental Justice Grants
 - ❑ PFAS Designation Directive
 - ❑ Water Security Test Bed
 - ❑ \$241 Million Environmental Justice Grants Programs
 - ❑ \$228 Million WQS (Includes PFAS/Biosolids)

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PFAS/PFOA

- PFAS ACTION ACT (H.R. 2467)
Approved by Committee
 - ❑ National Drinking Water Standards
 - ❑ Superfund Designation
 - ❑ Clean-Up Assistance
 - ❑ Grants to Support Pretreatment Standards

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NOMINATIONS UPDATE

- Radhika Fox Confirmed Assistant Administrator, Office of Water, USEPA
- Mike Connor Nominated Assistant Secretary of Civil Works, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
- Camille Touton Nominated Commissioner U.S. Bureau of Reclamation

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Questions



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