



FEDERAL UPDATE AFTER THE ELECTION WHAT COMES NEXT



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ISSUES

Election Returns Dictate Lame Duck Session Productivity



Impacts to OC San Legislative Priorities



Impacts for California Water Policy and Beyond



Key Issues for 2025

Election Returns Dictate Lame Duck Session Productivity

- ❑ 77+ Retiring House Members Deliver Small Working Majority
- ❑ Senate Flip to Republicans Complicates Compromises
- ❑ Must Do Legislation:
 - ✓ Fiscal Year 2025 Spending Bills
 - ✓ Water Resources Development Act
 - ✓ Permitting Reform
 - ✓ Disaster Assistance Supplemental
- ❑ Leadership Votes
- ❑ Congressional Review Act



OC San Areas of Interest and Impacts

- Administration Moves on Last Minute Policy and Rules
 - ✓ Wastewater Facility Survey
 - ✓ Biosolids Risk Assessment Model
 - ✓ Biosolids Risk Management Findings
- National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Ten-Year Permits
- Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances Liability Under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

Key Issues For 2025

- Fiscal Year 2026 Budget and Community Project Requests
- Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act Extension
- PFAS Clean-Up and Liability Protection
- Reorganize Federal Bureaucracy
- Confirmation on Nominees
- Rule Rollbacks
- Taxes, Taxes, Taxes**

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QUESTIONS?

