Municipal Water District of Orange County
Legislative and Regulatory Policy Principles

Our Policy Principles inform MWDOC's engagement on federal, state, and local legislative and regulatory activities. They expand on the key strategic areas of the District's mission statement.

1. Imported Water Supply

MWDOC supports policies to develop, protect and conserve imported water supplies and maintain high quality water for its member agencies from two primary sources - the Colorado River Aqueduct and the California State Water Project.

2. Regional Water Resource Management

MWDOC collaborates with member agencies and Metropolitan Water District of Southern California to plan for future water supply demands and challenges via reliable, cost-effective, equitable, and sustainable policies and practices. These include supporting local and regional resource development, advancing water use efficiency, ensuring emergency preparedness capacity, and supporting ecosystem protection and restoration.

3. Resiliency, Adaptation, and Innovation

MWDOC supports robust and innovative policies to improve water system adaptation to the changing environmental landscape. The District strives to fulfill the demands of the current generation without environmentally or economically compromising the needs of future generations.