



Westlands Water District

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This notice contains important information about the following:

- **District Election**

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The District will conduct an all-mail election for the Board of Directors on August 27, 2013. Ballots will be mailed to each District landowner beginning the last week of July, 2013.

Voting By Trusts

To ensure the timely receipt of ballot materials by landowners, the District needs to update its election ownership information with respect to lands that are held in the name of a trust. Consequently, the District requests that all landowner trusts provide a copy of its Grant Deed. The Deed should reflect the current trustee(s) of the trust. In addition to the deed, the District also needs a current mailing address for the trustee(s). With this information, the District can then issue and mail ballots directly to the trustee(s), eliminating the need for the trust to complete a "Signature Authorization to Vote" form.

Secondary Ownership Address Needed

Before an election, the District updates its land ownership records from data provided by the Fresno and Kings County Assessors' offices. This data, however, only contains the addresses for the primary owners. To avoid your receiving multiple ballots and having to forward them to co-owners, the District requests that primary owners provide the District with co-owner mailing addresses. Updating the addresses will allow the District to mail the ballots directly to these owners, thereby avoiding delays and any inconvenience.

Please submit the information requested above in writing, by July 8, 2013, to the District at P.O. Box 6056, Fresno, CA 93703-6056. For additional assistance or information, please contact Deborah Tuggle at (559) 241-6212 or Lucinda Anderson at (559) 241-6218.

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