NET ZERO POLICY

Public Works Commission Meeting
February 10, 2022
Prior PWC Discussion on Net Zero

Net Zero policies come in different forms (Santa Monica, City of Ventura, etc.)

- Conserve water or implement measures to remain at Net Zero Demand
- Or pay a Fee in Lieu or both
City’s Net Zero policy comes in the form of conservation and its implementation of current Water Capacity (WC) and Water Supply Fees (WSF)

- Developer’s conserve water or develop measures to reduce water demand

- Developer’s pay for the incremental increase in demand via the current WC and WSF or both
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• In Lieu Fees Comparison

  - City of Santa Monica - $.18/gal (1)
  - Ventura Water - $.07/gal (2)
  - City of Beverly Hills WSF - $.08/gal
  - City of Beverly Hills WCF - $.044/gal

Notes: 1. City Santa Monica Water Neutrality Ordinance
      2. Ventura Water Water Resource NetZero Policy