

AGENDA NO. 10.9

FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE February 28, 2022

INFORMATION

Workforce Diversity Report

Summary:

In accordance with West Basin Municipal Water District's (West Basin) Strategic Business Plan objectives, the 2022 Workforce Diversity Report, which reflects the demographic breakdown by race and occupational category of West Basin's full-time employees, has been prepared for the Board's review.

Background:

The labor force data contained in the report comes from the 2019 American Community Survey (ACS), which is the primary source for producing population and demographic information about America's changing population, housing, and workforce. It is the U.S. Census Bureau's population estimates program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population. These tools provide data to be used by employers for Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) reports.

Benefit to West Basin:

Pursuant to Chapter 6 (Equal Opportunity Policy) of West Basin's Administrative Code, West Basin has a strong commitment to prohibit and prevent discrimination, harassment, and retaliation in its workplace and has zero-tolerance for any conduct that violates this policy. This policy prohibits harassment or discrimination because of an individual's protected classification, which includes race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, physical disability, mental disability, medical condition, genetic information, marital status, sex, gender, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, or military and veteran status, or any other basis protected by law. The individuals covered by this policy are: applicants, employees regardless of rank or title, elected or appointed officials, interns, volunteers, and contractors.

As such, West Basin conducts a yearly diversity report to demonstrate its compliance with the law and to further enhance its initiatives in diversity, equity, and inclusion. Further, reporting of this data meets the requirements of West Basin's Strategic Business Plan objectives of recruiting and hiring qualified candidates in a fair and equitable manner.

Strategic Business Plan Implementation:

Goal 4: Sound Financial & Resources Management – West Basin is committed to efficient business operations, financial planning and asset management.

Fiscal Impact:

Not applicable.

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Environmental Compliance:

Not applicable.

Committee History:

This item was reviewed by the Finance and Administration Committee on Wednesday, February 16, 2022 (Agenda Item 6B).

Recommendation:

This item is for information only.

List of Attachments

WORKFORCE DIVERSITY REPORT (01-2022)
WORKFORCE DIVERSITY REPORT BASED BY RAW PERCENTAGE (1-2022)

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WEST BASIN MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT WORKFORCE DIVERSITY REPORT January 2022

Occupational C	Category	Caucasian	African- American	Hispanic	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other	Total
Management, Business and Finance Professionals Male 30.43%		8	3	5	7	0	23
Female 69	9.57%	34.78%	13.04%	21.74%	30.44%	0.00%	100%
Computer, Engineering Science Profession Male 60		7	0	9	4	0	20
Female 40	40.00%	35.00%	0.00%	45.00%	20.00%	0.00%	100%
Administrative Supp	ort 0.00%	0	0	3	2	0	5
Female 80	80.00%	0.00%	0.00%	60.00%	40.00%	0.00%	100%
Total Employees Male 41		15	3	17	13	0	48
Female 58		31.25%	6.25%	35.42%	27.08%	0.00%	100%

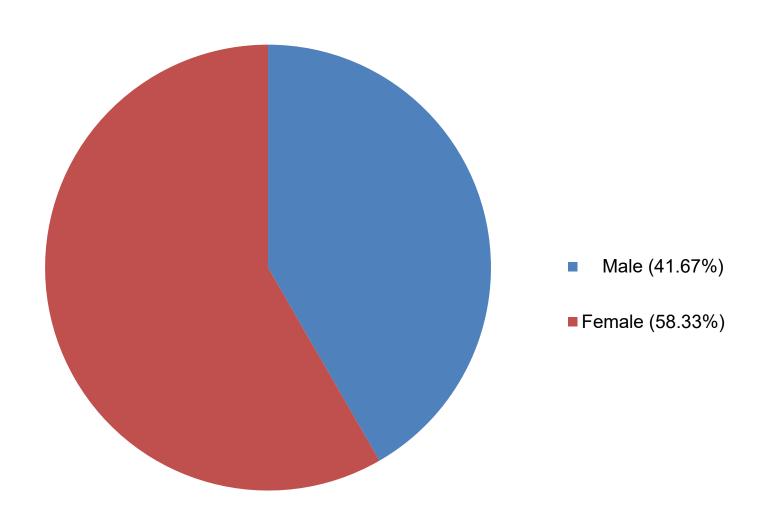
U.S. Census Bureau - Los Angeles County (2019) by Race and Occupation**

Occupational Category	Caucasian	African- American	Hispanic	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other	Total
Management, Business and						
Finance Professionals						
Male 51.82%						
Female 48.18 %	44.94%	5.00%	21.67%	16.59%	11.80%	100%
Computer, Engineering and						
Science Professionals						
Male 72.57%	,					
Female 27.43 %	43.79%	3.69%	17.58%	24.44%	10.50%	100%
Administrative Support						
Male 32.87%						
Female 67.13%	34.15%	6.58%	32.45%	10.76%	16.06%	100%
Sales	36.62%	3.98%		9.70%	16.62%	100%
Other Professionals	49.38%	7.10%	22.14%	9.41%	11.97%	100%
Healthcare Professionals	34.34%	6.39%	19.93%	27.70%	11.64%	100%
Service	28.93%	5.43%	38.07%	8.21%	19.36%	100%
Food Preparation and						
Serving related Occupations	28.62%	2.86%	38.84%	9.08%	20.60%	100%
Building, Grounds Cleaning and						
Maintenance	25.69%	2.59%	46.10%	2.32%	23.30%	100%
Personal Care and Service	35.07%	6.17%	31.86%	11.16%	15.74%	100%
Protective Service	30.62%	15.16%	32.29%	6.23%	15.70%	100%
Natural resources, Construction						
and Maintenance	31.00%	2.00%	43.10%	2.95%	20.95%	100%
Transportation and Material						
Moving Operative	28.66%	4.07%	41.49%	5.07%	20.71%	100%

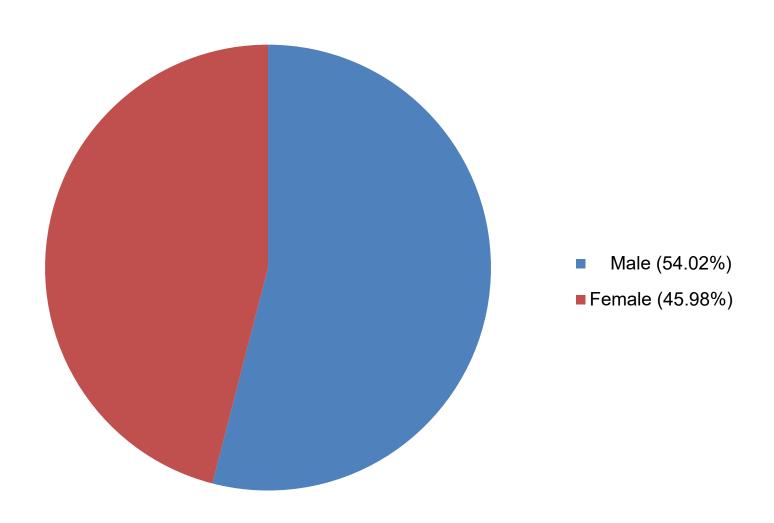
Labor Force	Caucasian	African- American	Hispanic	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other	Total
Los Angeles County						
Male 54.02%						
Female 45.98%	34.83%	4.96%	33.24%	9.95%	17.02%	100%

^{**} The 2019 American Community Survey (ACS) produces population and demographic data; it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population.

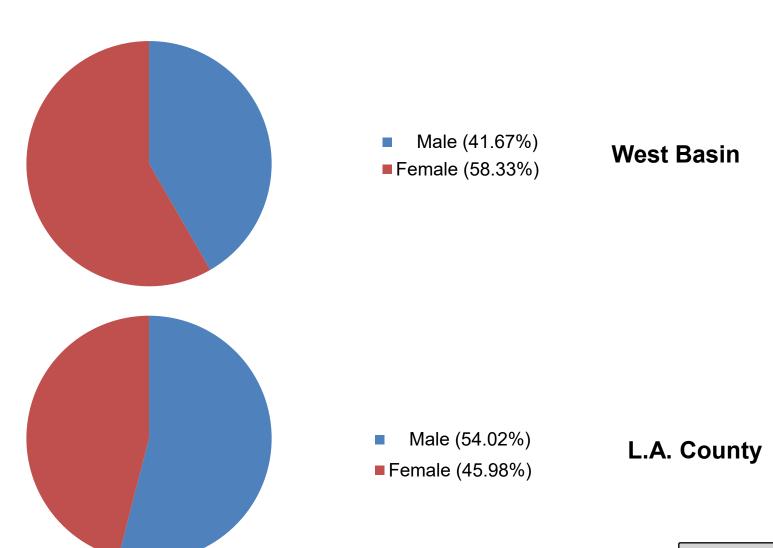
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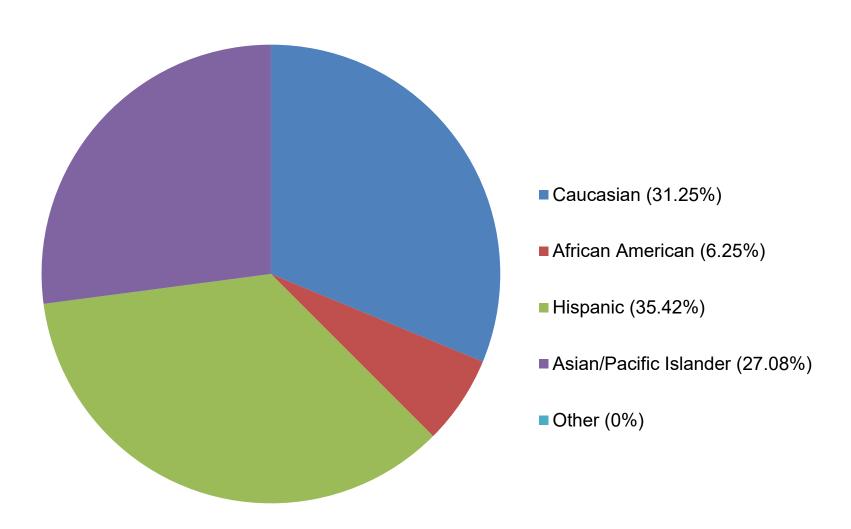
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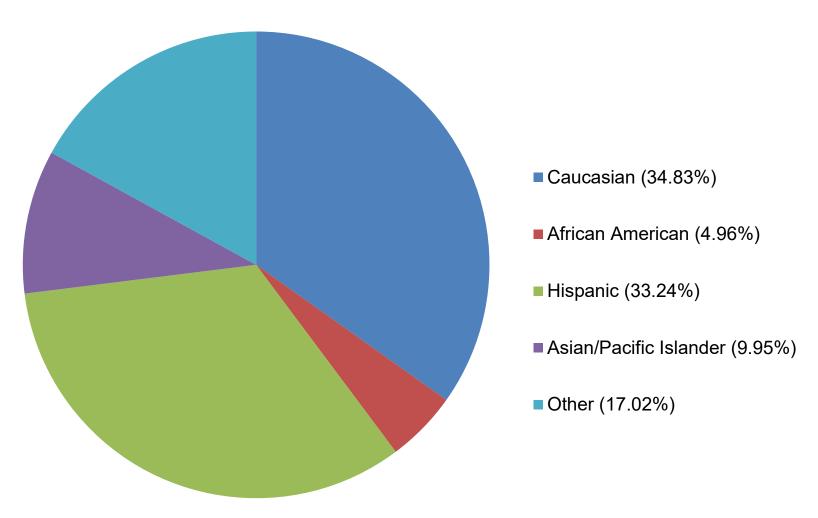
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West Basin Municipal Water District 2022 Workforce Diversity Report (as of January 2022) Racial Breakdown (West Basin)



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