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TO: Board of Supervisors members

Although this agenda item is for a general contract, I would urge the Board of Supervisors to instruct the Budget and Legislative Analyst (BLA) to conduct both financial and performance audits of the SFPUC.

Besides the SFPUC's debt portfolio of \$6 billion, I would urge the BOS to instruct the BLA to audit the following:

- The SFPUC's Urban Water Management Plan for **its** use of contractual millions of gallons per day (MGD) demand rather than actual MGD demand **and** for using an overly conservative design drought of 8.5 years instead of a more realistic design drought of 7.5 years.
- SFPUC water conservation/rationing strategies with the SFPUC emphasis on conservation by customers without conservation by the agency itself by identifying and replacing leaking water mains and by metering SFFD 60 psi hydrants.
- The SFPUC's achieving environmental goals related to Tuolumne River salmon populations and the SFPUC's multiple lawsuits against the State Water Resources Control Board.
- The SFPUC's stewardship of the Emergency Firefighting Water System (EFWS) formerly known as the Auxiliary Water Supply System (AWSS). The SFPUC is unwilling to expand dedicated, high pressure, high volume AWSS to the Westside. Instead, the SFPUC is insisting on expanding using potable (drinking) water AWSS. The possible submission of FEMA grant applications for the expansion of dedicated AWSS needs to be examined by the BLA.

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