

PRELIMINARY PROXY — SUBJECT TO COMPLETION

CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP
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**SCAN TO
VIEW MATERIALS & VOTE**

**VOTE BY INTERNET**

Before The Meeting - Go to www.proxyvote.com or scan the QR Barcode above

Use the Internet to transmit your voting instructions and for electronic delivery of information. Vote by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time May 30, 2023 for shares held directly and by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time May 28, 2023 for shares held in a Plan. Have your proxy card in hand when you access the web site and follow the instructions to obtain your records and to create an electronic voting instruction form.

During The Meeting - Go to www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/CWT2023

You may attend the meeting via the Internet and vote during the meeting. Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow available and follow the instructions.

VOTE BY PHONE - 1-800-690-6903

Use any touch-tone telephone to transmit your voting instructions. Vote by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time May 30, 2023 for shares held directly and by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on May 28, 2023 for shares held in a Plan. Have your proxy card in hand when you call and then follow the instructions.

VOTE BY MAIL

Mark, sign and date your proxy card and return it in the postage-paid envelope we have provided or return it to Vote Processing, c/o Broadridge, 51 Mercedes Way, Edgewood, NY 11717.

TO VOTE, MARK BLOCKS BELOW IN BLUE OR BLACK INK AS FOLLOWS:

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KEEP THIS PORTION FOR YOUR RECORDS
DETACH AND RETURN THIS PORTION ONLY

THIS PROXY CARD IS VALID ONLY WHEN SIGNED AND DATED.

CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP

The Board of Directors recommends you vote **FOR** each of the nominees listed in proposal 1.

1. ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

Nominees:

For Against Abstain

1a. Gregory E. Aliff

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1b. Shelly M. Esque

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1c. Martin A. Kropelnicki

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1d. Thomas M. Krummel, M.D.

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1e. Yvonne A. Maldonado, M.D.

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1f. Scott L. Morris

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1g. Carol M. Pottenger

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1h. Lester A. Snow

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1i. Patricia K. Wagner

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The Board of Directors recommends you vote **FOR** proposal 2, for **ONE YEAR** on proposal 3, and **FOR** proposals 4 and 5.

For Against Abstain

2. Advisory vote to approve executive compensation.

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1 Year 2 Years 3 Years Abstain

3. Advisory vote on the frequency of future advisory votes to approve executive compensation.

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4. Ratification of the selection of Deloitte & Touche LLP as the Group's independent registered public accounting firm for 2023.

For Against Abstain

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5. Approval of Amendment to the Group's Certificate of Incorporation to reflect new Delaware law provisions regarding officer exculpation.

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The Board of Directors recommends you vote **AGAINST** proposal 6.

For Against Abstain

6. Stockholder proposal requesting additional emissions reduction targets and reporting.

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NOTE: I authorize the proxies to vote according to their discretion on any other matters that properly come before the Annual Meeting of Stockholders or any adjournment or postponement thereof.

Please sign exactly as your name(s) appear(s) hereon. When signing as attorney, executor, administrator, or other fiduciary, please give full title as such. Joint owners should each sign personally. All holders must sign. If a corporation or partnership, please sign in full corporate or partnership name by authorized officer.

Signature [PLEASE SIGN WITHIN BOX]

Date

Signature (Joint Owners)

Date

Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Annual Meeting:
The Proxy Statement and the Annual Report are available at www.proxyvote.com.

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**CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP
THIS PROXY IS SOLICITED ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

MARTIN A. KROPELNICKI and MICHELLE R. MORTENSEN, and each of them with full power of substitution, are hereby authorized to vote, as designated on the reverse side, all the shares of California Water Service Group common stock of the undersigned at the Annual Meeting of Stockholders of California Water Service Group to be held on May 31, 2023, or at any adjournment or postponement thereof (including, if applicable, for the election of any substitute nominee named by the Board of Directors if any nominee named in proposal 1 becomes unavailable to serve). By my signature on the reverse side of this proxy, I acknowledge that I have received a copy of the Notice of Meeting and Proxy Statement relating to this meeting and of the Group's most recent Annual Report to Stockholders.

THIS PROXY, WHEN PROPERLY EXECUTED, WILL BE VOTED IN THE MANNER DIRECTED HEREIN BY THE UNDERSIGNED STOCKHOLDER(S), AND IN THE DISCRETION OF THE PROXY HOLDERS UPON ANY OTHER MATTER THAT MAY PROPERLY COME BEFORE THE MEETING AND ANY ADJOURNMENT OR POSTPONEMENT THEREOF. **IF NO DIRECTION IS MADE, THIS PROXY WILL BE VOTED FOR THE ELECTION OF EACH OF THE NOMINEES LISTED IN PROPOSAL 1, FOR PROPOSAL 2, FOR ONE YEAR ON PROPOSAL 3, FOR PROPOSAL 4, FOR PROPOSAL 5, AND AGAINST PROPOSAL 6.**

Please date, sign and mail in the enclosed envelope, or vote by Internet or telephone, as soon as possible.

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