

East Bay Municipal Utility District

LANDSCAPE ADVISORY COMMITTEE Meeting Notice and Preliminary Agenda

Date: Monday, July 17th, 2017 3:30pm-5:00pm Location: EBMUD Administration Building 375 Eleventh Street, Oakland Large Training Room, 2nd Floor (510) 287-0593

3:30	Welcome and Introductions	Kristin Bowman / All
3:40	EBMUD Water Updates	PIO-Public Information Office
3:45	Sub-Committee Reports	Georgia Madden Eric Santos Wesley Bexton
4:00	Irrigation Assessment: A Business Opportunity	Lori Palmquist (CID, CIC, CLIA, CLWM)
4:45	Group Discussion	All
5:00	Meeting Adjourned	

EBMUD's Landscape Advisory Committee Sustainable Landscape Speaker Series:

Irrigation Assessment—A Much Needed Skill and Business Opportunity

Presenter: Lori Palmquist, Irrigation Designer and Consultant (CID, CIC, CLIA, CLWM)

There are thousands of existing irrigation systems in California that waste water and/or water plants incorrectly—and they need your help! In this presentation, Lori Palmquist will discuss how to assess existing irrigation systems and outline a step-by-step approach to recommend irrigation system repairs, design upgrades, and watering schedule adjustments to improve your customer's water efficiency. Data collection sheets and report templates will be provided.

Lori Palmquist is a landscape professional, specializing in irrigation and water efficiency in the landscape. She is a certified irrigation designer, contractor, auditor, water manager, and formerly a certified arborist. For the past 10 years, Lori has taught irrigation and water-efficiency trainings for landscape professionals and homeowners. She also speaks regularly to groups, such as Master Gardeners, the California Native Plant Society, horticulture classes, garden clubs, and has been a guest instructor for the Bay Friendly Training. Lori is also a web app developer for Water Wonk.

The General Meeting will also include EBMUD water updates, and brief reports from the LAC Education and Outreach, Professional Development and Technology sub-committees.

This event qualifies for CEU's from the Irrigation Association, QWEL, and ReScape (Bay Friendly).