

After several assertions by other OCWD staff, including Director of Public Affairs Eleanor Torres that no public meetings about Poseidon were held in by OCWD in the period leading up to the November 2017 election in which Director Cathy Green, a Poseidon project advocate, was running for reelection, Ms. Torres reported back that, in fact, one such meeting had occurred. She gives her account of that meeting in this email response to my inquiry.

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to me, John

Hi John,

We had one speakers bureau event in FV from August 2016 through November 8, 2016 offsite at the FV Rotary Club. On 10/4/16. The title of the presentation was "OC's Water Manufacturing Process." It focused on all our operations and included a slide regarding possible efforts to secure new water supplies (ie. GWRS Final Expansion, Desal, Increased Storage at Prado, water conservation).

Director Green presented. Attached is the PowerPoint presentation.

In terms of onsite presentations, detailed desal presentations would be limited to board/committee presentations. During the tour presentations, the extent of desal would be what was presented at the FV Rotary event all efforts we are exploring to secure new water supplies, plus a slide that may have had an aerial of the proposed plant. I couldn't say with certainty which of the tours received this presentation, but because we are often limited on time, I don't believe it was often since we really just focus on the GWRS and our current operations.

Thank you,
Eleanor