Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago

Media Advisory

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MWRD commissioners to be installed

WHO: The Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago (MWRD)

Board of Commissioners

WHAT: The MWRD will formally install three newly elected commissioners and two re-

elected commissioners to govern the agency tasked with protecting the health and safety of 129 municipalities across Cook County by improving the regional water

environment and defending local homes and businesses from flooding.

WHERE: MWRD Main Office Building, Board Room, 100 E. Erie St., Chicago, Ill.

WHEN: Tuesday, December 4, 2018, 2 p.m.

An unprecedented five commissioners will be installed to lead the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago (MWRD), including three newcomers who bring various skills and talents to provide oversight to the agency working to protect the Chicago region's water environment.

Newly elected commissioners Cameron Davis, Kimberly Du Buclet and Marcelino Garcia will be officially installed alongside re-elected commissioners Debra Shore and Kari K. Steele. Three commissioners are elected every two years for six-year terms, but because of previous gubernatorial appointments, two additional commissioners—Davis and Du Buclet—were elected as well.

The five elected commissioners will take an oath in front of judges before being formally installed into their new roles. The MWRD is governed by a nine-member Board of Commissioners, who are elected at large.

The ceremony will stream live at <u>www.mwrd.org</u>.

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