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**East Valley Water District Recognized as an Inland Empire Top Workplace**  
*The District received the first-place award for its dedication to building a people-centered organization.*

**Highland, Calif., (February 2, 2021)** - East Valley Water District received the Inland News Group Top Workplace Award on January 31, 2021, in recognition of its people-centered organization. The award showcases the District's efforts in leadership, partnership, and stewardship within the industry. This recognition is the District's sixth year receiving the award as management continues to build an employee focused organization.

"East Valley Water District has made a commitment to provide world-class service to our community; at the foundation of that effort is our top-notch team of employees." said Board Chairman David Smith. "Winning this award, for the sixth time, demonstrates the importance of not only attracting individuals to the District, but having an active dialogue with our staff to make sure we are reaching the best solutions together." The District has taken steps to create a professional environment that encourages employees to better serve the community through employee growth, development, and retention.

The Top Workplace award is based upon anonymous employee feedback on topics such as management, work environment, job satisfaction and social responsibility. For award evaluation, the District received 100% employee participation on the voluntary employee engagement survey. The Top Workplace Award categories are broken up into three sections, large employer, mid-size, and small employer with East Valley Water District winning the first-place award for small employers.

"The District has established an organization focused on creating a healthy and innovative organizational culture," noted John Mura, General Manager/ CEO. "East Valley Water District is proud to be recognized as a workplace built on trust, community and accountability. When we love our job, we work in the same direction to achieve the goals of the District and provide our community with the best possible service."

For information about East Valley Water District, including the latest job opportunities, visit [eastvalley.org](http://eastvalley.org).

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*East Valley Water District was formed in 1954 and provides water and wastewater services to over 103,000 residents within the City of Highland and portions of both the City and County of San Bernardino. EVWD operates under the direction of a 5-member elected Board. More information is available at [www.eastvalley.org](http://www.eastvalley.org).*