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Auburn - The Placer County Water Agency Board of Directors on Thursday (Mar. 4) recognized PCWA Legal Counsel Edward J. Tiedemann for 45 years of service to the water agency.

A senior attorney with the Sacramento-based law firm of Kronick, Moskovitz, Tiedemann & Girard, Mr. Tiedemann, a Placer County resident, has worked with the water agency since February 1959.

From 1959-61, he served as assistant county executive for both PCWA and the County of Placer. He then entered private practice in 1961, becoming general counsel and water attorney for PCWA, a position he continues to hold today.

“Ed’s emphasis is and has always been on preventive law,” said PCWA General Manager David A. Breninger, in remarks during the surprise recognition ceremony.

“He has always kept the agency apprised of changes and has offered advice on how to best adapt to changing legal conditions, whether with the Board of Directors on policy matters or with management on administrative matters.

“We are most grateful to Ed and we recognize his 45 years of dedicated service to the people of Placer County, the Board of Directors and the PCWA staff,” Breninger said.

Members of the board and several guests offered memories and compliments as part of the recognition ceremony.