Yucaipa Valley Water District

Workshop Memorandum 12-052

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Subject: **Appurtenance Evaluation of Modular Backflow Assemblies**

The Yucaipa Valley Water District works closely with other regional water purveyors to review and evaluate new products and materials. Recently, the District has reviewed new plastic backflow assemblies that are easier to install and easier to repair.

At the board workshop, the District staff will provide a presentation on a new nylon composite backflow device that would be a major theft deterrent as the raw materials are useless to scrap yards when compared to expensive brass and copper.