CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP Form 8-K October 26, 2011

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

Current Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of

The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): October 26, 2011

CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware1-1388377-0448994(State or other jurisdiction(Commission file number)(I.R.S. Employerof incorporation)Identification Number)

1720 North First Street

San Jose, California 95112

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(408) 367-8200

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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| Item | 8.01. | Other Events |
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On October 26, 2011, California Water Service Group (the Company) issued a press release (a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference) announcing the declaration of a quarterly dividend of \$0.15375 per common share payable on November 18, 2011, to stockholders of record on November 7, 2011.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

We hereby furnish the following exhibit with this report:

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release issued October 26, 2011

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP

Date: October 26, 2011 By: /s/ Martin A. Kropelnicki

Name: Martin A. Kropelnicki

Title: Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and

Treasurer

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