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# SPECIAL BOARD MEETING

Tuesday, December 19, 2023

Open Session 2:00 p.m.

Closed Session 2:30 p.m.

## THE PURPOSE OF THE SPECIAL BOARD MEETING IS TO DISCUSS THE ATTACHED AGENDA

District Office 3707 Old Highway 395 Fallbrook, CA 92028

## **Board Agenda Policies**

<u>Board of Directors Meeting Schedule</u> Regular Board meetings are normally scheduled for the 4th Tuesday of the month with Open Session discussions starting time certain at 1:00 p.m.

Breaks It is the intent of the Board to take a ten-minute break every hour and one-half during the meeting.

<u>Public Input on Specific Agenda Items</u> Any person of the public desiring to speak shall fill out a "Speaker's Slip", encouraging them to state their name, though not mandatory. Such person shall be allowed to speak during public comment time and has the option of speaking once on any agenda item when it is being discussed. Speaking time shall generally be limited to three minutes, unless a longer period is permitted by the Board President.

Agenda Posting and Materials Agendas for all regular Board of Directors' meetings are posted at least seventy-two hours prior to the meeting on bulletin boards outside the entrance gate and the main entrance door of the District, 3707 Old Highway 395, Fallbrook, California 92028. The agendas and all background material may also be inspected at the District Office.

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Time Certain Agenda items identified as "time certain" indicate the item will not be heard prior to the time indicated.

<u>Board meetings</u> will be audio and video recorded with copies available upon request. Requests for audio recordings will be fulfilled once draft minutes for such meeting have been prepared. There are no costs associated with obtaining copies of audio and video recordings; however, these recordings will only be retained according to the policies provided in the District's Administrative Code. Copies of public records are available as a service to the public; a charge of \$.10 per page up to 99 pages will be collected and \$.14 per page for 100 pages or more.

If you have special needs because of a disability which makes it difficult for you to participate in the meeting or you require assistance or auxiliary aids to participate in the meeting, please contact the District Secretary, (760) 728-1178, by at least noon on the Friday preceding the meeting. The District will attempt to make arrangements to accommodate your disability.

Notice is hereby given that the Rainbow Municipal Water District Board of Directors will hold an Open Session at 2:00 p.m. and Closed Session at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, December 19, 2023, at the District Office located at 3707 Old Highway 395, Fallbrook, CA 92028. At any time during the session, the Board of Directors Meeting may adjourn to Closed Session to consider litigation or to discuss with legal counsel matters within the attorney client privilege.

## **AGENDA**

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 3. ROLL CALL: Gasca\_\_\_\_ Hamilton\_\_\_\_ Johnson\_\_\_\_ Mack\_\_\_\_ Townsend Smith\_\_\_\_
- 4. ADDITIONS/DELETIONS/AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA (Government Code §54954.2)
- 5. INSTRUCTIONS TO ALLOW PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS FROM THOSE ATTENDING THIS MEETING VIA TELECONFERENCE OR VIDEO CONFERENCE

**CHAIR TO READ ALOUD** - "If at any point, anyone would like to ask a question or make a comment and have joined this meeting with their computer, they can click on the "Raise Hand" button located at the bottom of the screen. We will be alerted that they would like to speak. When called upon, please unmute the microphone and ask the question or make comments in no more than three minutes.

Those who have joined by dialing a number on their telephone, will need to press \*6 to unmute themselves and then \*9 to alert us that they would like to speak.

A slight pause will also be offered at the conclusion of each agenda item discussion to allow public members an opportunity to make comments or ask questions."

6. ORAL/WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC
OPPORTUNITY FOR MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC TO ADDRESS THE BOARD REGARDING
ITEMS ON THIS AGENDA

Under Oral Communications, any person in attendance wishing to address the Board regarding matters on this agenda should indicate their desire to speak by filling out and submitting a "Speaker's Slip" to the Board Secretary before the meeting begins. Any person attending remotely wishing to address the Board regarding matters on this agenda should indicate their desire to speak or may email or mail their comments to the Board Secretary one hour before the Open Session scheduled start time. All written public comments received will be read to the Board during the appropriate portion of the meeting. No action will be taken on any oral communications item since such item does not appear on this Agenda, unless the Board of Directors makes a determination that an emergency exists or that the need to take action on the item arose subsequent to posting of the Agenda (Government Code §54954.2). Speaking time shall generally be limited to three minutes unless a longer period is permitted by the Board President.

# **BOARD ACTION ITEMS**

\*7. CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE RESOLUTION NO. 23-35, A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF RAINBOW MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT COMMENDING MIGUEL GASCA FOR HIS OUTSTANDING SERVICE AS A DIRECTOR, BOARD VICE PRESIDENT AND REPRESENTATIVE

(Miguel Gasca served as the Division 3 director on Rainbow Municipal Water District's Board from February 2017 to December 2023. Resolution No. 23-35 commends Miguel Gasca for his dedicated service.)

\*8. CONSIDER ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION NO. 23-36 AND AWARD OF A CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$5,657,500 WITH PACIFIC HYDROTECH CORPORATION FOR THE WEST LILAC, RANCHO AMIGOS, AND DENTRO DE LOMAS PUMP STATIONS REPLACEMENT PROJECTS (DIVISION 1)

(The District is in need of permanent pump stations in its southern zone due to San Diego County Water Authority emergency water shutdowns. This project will eliminate the need to rent equipment for future anticipated and unanticipated shutdowns.)

\*9. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE RESOLUTION NO. 23-34 — A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF RAINBOW MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT ESTABLISHING CLASSIFICATIONS AND MONTHLY PAY RANGES FOR DISTRICT EMPLOYEES AND THE GENERAL MANAGER EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 19, 2023, THROUGH JUNE 30, 2024.

(In compliance with state and CalPERS regulations, the District maintains a Salary Grade structure that includes all job titles, salary grade levels, and monthly salary ranges for each grade.)

10. ORAL/WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC
OPPORTUNITY FOR MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC TO ADDRESS THE BOARD REGARDING
CLOSED SESSION AGENDA ITEMS (Government Code § 54954.2).

Under Oral Communications, any person in attendance wishing to address the Board regarding Closed Session agenda items should indicate their desire to speak by filling out and submitting a "Speaker's Slip" to the Board Secretary before the meeting begins. Any person attending the meeting remotely wishing to address the Board regarding Closed Session agenda items may email or mail in their comments to the Board Secretary one hour before the Closed Session scheduled start time to be read to the Board prior to their adjournment to Closed Session or may speak to the Board by calling (760) 728-1178, listening for "Thank you for calling Rainbow Municipal Water District ....", dialing Extension 429, and entering pin 8607 at the Closed Session scheduled start time. Once all public comment is heard, this call will be disconnected, and the Board will adjourn to Closed Session. To participate in the Open Session portion of the meeting, please follow the instructions provided at the top of Page 1 of this agenda. Speaking time shall generally be limited to three minutes unless a longer period is permitted by the Board President.

## 11. CLOSED SESSION

- **A.** Conference with Legal Counsel–Anticipated Litigation (Government Code § 54956.9(d)(2))
  - \* One Item
- B. Conference with Legal Counsel–Existing Litigation (Government Code §54956.9(d)(1))
  - \* San Diego County Water Authority v. Rainbow Municipal Water District, et al.
- 12. REPEAT CALL TO ORDER
- 13. REPEAT ROLL CALL
- 14. REPORT ON POTENTIAL ACTION FROM CLOSED SESSION

# 15. REPEAT INSTRUCTIONS TO ALLOW PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS FROM THOSE ATTENDING THIS MEETING VIA TELECONFERENCE OR VIDEO CONFERENCE

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\*16. CONSIDER ADOPTING RESOLUTION NO. 23-32 RECITING THE FACT OF THE SPECIAL DISTRICT ELECTION HELD ON NOVEMBER 7, 2023, DECLARING AND CERTIFYING THE RESULT AND SUCH OTHER MATTERS AS PROVIDED BY LAW REGARDING MEASURE "B" RELATED TO DETACHING FROM SDCWA

(Under applicable provisions of law, the Board is required to conclude the election process by adopting Resolution No. 23-32 to officially declare and certify the results of the Special District Election. \*Resolution 23-33 is attached as Exhibit "B" to Resolution No. 23-32.)

- 17. LIST OF SUGGESTED AGENDA ITEMS FOR THE NEXT REGULAR BOARD MEETING
- 18. ADJOURNMENT To Tuesday, January 23, 2024, at 1:00 p.m.

Julie Johnson 2 12-18-23 @ 1:00 p.m.

Date and Time of Posting

Secretary of the Board Outside Display Cases