# Amended Agenda Sacramento Suburban Water District Regular Board Meeting

3701 Marconi Avenue, Suite 100 Sacramento, California 95821

Monday, August 16, 2021 6:00 p.m.

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## Call to Order

## Pledge of Allegiance

#### Roll Call

#### **Announcements**

#### **Public Comment**

This is the opportunity for the public to comment on non-agenda items within the Board's jurisdiction. Comments are limited to 3 minutes.

## **Consent Items**

The Board will be asked to approve all Consent Items at one time without discussion. Consent Items are expected to be routine and non-controversial. If any Board member, staff, or interested person requests that an item be removed from the Consent Items, it will be considered with the Items for Discussion and/or Action.

- 1. Minutes of the July 19, 2021, Regular Board Meeting *Recommendation: Approve subject minutes*.
- 2. Policy Review Purchasing Card Policy (PL Fin 006) *Recommendation: Approve subject policy with changes.*
- 3. Policy Review Impaired Capital Asset Policy (PL Fin 008) *Recommendation: Approve subject policy with changes.*
- 4. Treasurer's Report *Recommendation: Approve the items in the report as recommended.*
- 5. Surplus Real Property
  Recommendation: Declare the identified four parcels "surplus" to permit their disposal: APNs: 218-0153-015, 218-0054-019, 218-0282-009, and 220-0231-018.

6. 2021 Mid-Year Budget Update

Recommendation: No action. Review report from staff on the 2021 first half financial results of the Calendar Year 2021 budget.

## **Items for Discussion and/or Action**

7. Annual Fraud Prevention Presentation

Recommendation: No Action. Discuss and review fraud prevention policies and procedures for District operations. Direct staff as appropriate.

- 8. Calendar Year 2022 Budget Timeline and Budget Assumptions
  Recommendation: Approve the attached proposed Budget Timeline and Budget
  Assumptions.
- 9. Employee Handbook Review Sick Leave Recommendation: Review staff recommendation and direct staff as appropriate.

# **General Manager's Report**

- 10. General Manager's Report
  - a. Grant of Easement and Right of Way

## **Department/Staff Reports**

- 11. Financial Report
  - a. COVID-19 Financial Update
  - b. Financial Highlights
  - c. Budgets
  - d. Information Required by LOC Agreement
- 12. District Activity Report
- 13. Engineering Report
  - a. Major Capital Improvement Program (CIP) Projects
  - b. Planning Documents
  - c. Other

#### **Information Items**

- 14. Merit Program Implementation Analysis
- 15. Sacramento Suburban Water District Goals 2021 Update
- 16. Upcoming Water Industry Events
- 17. Upcoming Policy Review
  - a. Water Banking and Transfer Policy (PL BOD 006)

## Director's Reports (Per AB 1234, Directors will report on their meeting activities)

18. a. Regional Water Authority (Director Jones)
Agenda for the July 15, 2021 Special Board Meeting.

Regional Water Authority Executive Committee (General Manager York) None.

- b. Sacramento Groundwater Authority (Director Wichert) Agenda for the August 12, 2021 Board Meeting.
- c. Director Reports AB 1234

## **Committee Reports**

- 19. a. Carmichael Water District/SSWD 2x2 Ad Hoc Committee (Director Locke) Agenda from the July 23, 2021 meeting.
  - b. Finance and Audit Committee Meeting (Director Thomas) Draft notes from the August 2, 2021 meeting.
  - c. Regulatory Compliance Committee Meeting (Director Wichert) Agenda from the August 11, 2021, meeting.

## **Director's Comments/Staff Statements and Requests**

The Board and District staff may ask questions for clarification and make brief announcements and comments, and Board members may request staff to report back on a matter or direct staff to place a matter on a subsequent agenda.

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# **Closed Session (Closed Session Items are not opened to the public)**

20. Conference with legal counsel – potential litigation; Government Code sections 54954.5(c) and 54956.9(a) and (d)(4); consideration of initiating litigation involving the State Water Resources Control Board's proceedings related to the California Water Fix and the Bay-Delta Water Quality Control Plan Update.

# Adjournment

# **Upcoming Meetings**

Tuesday, August 24, 2021, at 3:30 p.m., CWD/SSWD 2x2 Ad Hoc Committee Meeting Monday, September 20, 2021, at 6:00 p.m., Regular Board Meeting

I certify that the foregoing agenda for the August 16, 2021, meeting of the Sacramento Suburban Water District Board of Directors was posted by August 9, 2021, in a publicly-accessible location at the Sacramento Suburban Water District office, 3701 Marconi Avenue, Suite 100, Sacramento, California, and was freely available to the public.

Dan York
General Manager/Secretary
Sacramento Suburban Water District