

### WEST VALLEY WATER DISTRICT 855 W. BASE LINE ROAD, RIALTO, CA 92376 PH: (909) 875-1804 FAX: (909) 875-1849

## REGULAR BOARD MEETING AGENDA

#### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2022 CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM • OPEN SESSION - 6:30 PM

## **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Channing Hawkins, President Dr. Michael Taylor, Vice President Greg Young, Director Angela Garcia, Director Vacant, Director

"In order to comply with legal requirements for posting of agendas, only those items filed with the District Secretary's office by noon, on Wednesday a week prior to the following Thursday meeting, not requiring departmental investigation, will be considered by the Board of Directors."

On March 4, 2020, Governor Newsom declared a State of Emergency resulting from the threat of COVID-19. On September 16, 2021, Governor Newsom signed Assembly Bill No. 361 into law. Assembly Bill No. 361 amends Government Code section 54953(e) by adding provisions for remote teleconferencing participation in meetings by members of a legislative body, without the requirements of Government Code section 54953(b)(3), subject to the existence of certain conditions. The West Valley Water District adopted a resolution determining, by majority vote, that, as a result of the declared State of Emergency, a meeting in person would present imminent risks to the health or safety of attendees. Accordingly, it has been determined that all Board and Workshop meetings of the West Valley Water District will be held pursuant to Assembly Bill No. 361, the Brown Act and will be conducted via teleconference. There will be no public access to the meeting venue. Members of the public may listen and provide public comment via telephone by calling the following number and access code: Dial: (888) 475-4499, Access Code: 840-293-7790 or you may join the meeting using Zoom by clicking this link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8402937790. Public comment may also be submitted via email to the Board Secretary, Peggy Asche at peggy@wywd.org. If you require additional assistance, please contact peggy@wvwd.org.

#### **OPENING CEREMONIES**

Call to Order Pledge of Allegiance Opening Prayer Roll Call of Board Members

## ADOPT AGENDA

## PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Any person wishing to speak to the Board of Directors on matters listed or not listed on the agenda, within its jurisdiction, is asked to complete a Speaker Card and submit it to the District Clerk. Each speaker is limited to three (3) minutes. Under the State of California Brown Act, the Board of Directors is prohibited from discussing or taking action on any item not listed on the posted agenda. Comments related to noticed Public Hearing(s) and Business Matters will be heard during the occurrence of the item.

Public communication is the time for anyone to address the Board on any agenda item or anything under the jurisdiction of the District. Also, please remember that no disruptions from the crowd will be tolerated. If someone disrupts the meeting, they will be removed.

#### PRESENTATION

• Oliver P. Roemer Water Filtration Facility Expansion Update.

#### CONSENT CALENDAR

All matters listed under the Consent Calendar are considered routine and will be enacted by one vote. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a member of the Board of Directors, Staff Member, or any member of the public request a specific item(s) be removed for separate action.

#### Consideration of:

- 1. January 13, 2022 Special Board Meeting Minutes. (Page No. 5)
- 2. Adopt Resolution No. 2022-4, Proclaiming a Local Emergency, Ratifying the Proclamation of a State of Emergency by Governor Gavin Newsom on March 4, 2020, and Authorizing Remote Teleconference Meetings of the Legislative Bodies of West Valley Water District for the Period February 14, 2022, through March 14, 2022, Pursuant to Brown Act Provisions. (Page No. 10)
- **3.** Letter of Support for Operation New Hope's (ONH) Application Submission for the WIOA and Related Youth Program Services. **(Page No. 15)**
- 4. Second Amendment to Water Facilities and Service Agreement with Lennar Lytle, LLC. (Page No. 18)
- 5. Approval of Payment to Liebert Cassidy Whitmore, for Professional Services rendered in November 2021, Invoice No. 209634; \$750.00. (Page No. 99)
- 6. Approval of Payment to Hunt Ortmann Palffy Nieves, for Professional Services rendered in December 2021, Invoice No. 91190; \$22,666.50. (Page No. 100)
- Approval of Payment to Carpenter Rothans & Dumont LLP, for Professional Services rendered in September 2021, Diana Gunn v. WVWD, Invoice No. 39375; \$1,504.04. (Page No. 101)

8. Approval of Payment to Carpenter Rothans & Dumont LLP, for Professional Services rendered in October 2021, Diana Gunn v WVWD, Invoice No. 39638; \$4,697.78. (Page No. 102)

# **BUSINESS MATTERS**

**Consideration of:** 

None

**REPORTS - LIMITED TO 5 MINUTES MAXIMUM (Presentations or handouts must be provided to Board Members in advance of the Board Meeting).** 

- 1. Board Members
- 2. General Manager
- 3. Legal Counsel

## **UPCOMING MEETINGS**

- 1. February 9, 2022 West Valley Water District Finance Committee Meeting at 1:00 p.m., at District Headquarters.
- **2.** February 9, 2022 West Valley Water District Engineering, Operations & Planning Committee at 6:00 p.m., at District Headquarters.
- **3.** February 10, 2022 West Valley Water District External Affairs Committee Meeting at 6:00 p.m., at District Headquarters.
- **4.** February 14, 2022 West Valley Water District Human Resources Committee Meeting at 6:00 p.m., at District Headquarters.
- 5. February 15, 2022 West Valley Water District Safety & Technology Committee Meeting at 6:00 p.m., at District Headquarters.
- 6. February 15, 2022 San Bernardino Valley Municipal Water District Regular Board Meeting at 2:00 p.m., 380 E. Vanderbilt Way, San Bernardino, CA 92408.
- 7. February 17, 2022 West Valley Water District Regular Board of Directors Meeting at 6:30 p.m. (6:00 p.m. Closed Session), at District Headquarters.
- **8.** February 22, 2022 West Valley Water District Policy Review & Oversight Committee Meeting at 6:00 p.m., at District Headquarters.
- 9. March 1, 2022 San Bernardino Valley Municipal Water District Regular Board Meeting at 2:00 p.m., 380 E. Vanderbilt Way, San Bernardino, CA 92408.
- **10.** March 3, 2022 West Valley Water District Regular Board of Directors Meeting at 6:30 p.m. (6:00 p.m. Closed Session), at District Headquarters.

**11.** April 18, 2022 – Association of The San Bernardino County Special Districts Membership Meeting, at 6:00 p.m., hosted by West Valley Water District; located at Hilton Garden Inn, Fontana.

# **CLOSED SESSION**

- CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL ANTICIPATED LITIGATION Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to paragraph (2) of subdivision (d) of Section 54956.9(b): Number of Cases: Three (3).
- CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL EXISTING LITIGATION San Bernardino County vs. West Valley Water District et al. Case No. CIV SB 2113136.
- CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL PUBLIC EMPLOYEE APPOINTMENT Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957: Title(s) Chief Financial Officer.
- CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL EXISTING LITIGATION Pursuant to Paragraph One (1) of Subdivision (d) of the Government Code Section 54956.9 Case Name: Nadia Loukeh. vs West Valley Water District, Case No. CIVSB2116242.
- CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL EXISTING LITIGATION Pursuant to Paragraph One (1) of Subdivision (d) of the Government Code Section 54956.9 Case Name: Diana Gunn. vs West Valley Water District, Case No. CIVSB2117195.

# ADJOURN

# **DECLARATION OF POSTING:**

I declare under penalty of perjury, that I am employed by the West Valley Water District and posted the foregoing Agenda at the District Offices on January 31, 2022.

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Peggy Asche, Board Secretary

Please Note:

Material related to an item on this Agenda submitted to the Board after distribution of the agenda packet are available for public inspection in the District's office located at 855 W. Baseline, Rialto, during normal business hours. Also, such documents are available on the District's website at <u>www.wvwd.org</u> subject to staff's ability to post the documents before the meeting.

Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2(a), any request for a disability-related modification or accommodation, including auxiliary aids or services, in order to attend or participate in the above-agendized public meeting should be directed to Peggy Asche, at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting to ensure availability of the requested service or accommodation. Ms. Asche may be contacted by telephone at (909) 875-1804 ext. 703, or in writing at the West Valley Water District, P.O. Box 920, Rialto, CA 92377-0920.