



WEST VALLEY WATER DISTRICT  
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REGULAR BOARD MEETING  
AGENDA

THURSDAY, AUGUST 4, 2022  
CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM • OPEN SESSION – 6:45 PM

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Channing Hawkins, President  
Greg Young, Vice President  
Angela Garcia, Director  
Dan Jenkins, Director  
Kelvin Moore, Director

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"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."

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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, the District is adopting the State protocol which allows meetings in person and/or via teleconference. 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 and in person. 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 [administration@wvwd.org](mailto:administration@wvwd.org). If you require additional assistance, please contact [administration@wvwd.org](mailto:administration@wvwd.org).

## OPENING CEREMONIES

Pledge of Allegiance  
Opening Prayer  
Call to Order  
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 Acting Board Secretary, if you are attending in person. For anyone joining on Zoom, please wait for the Board President's instruction to indicate that you would like to speak. 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.***

## 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. Adopt Resolution No. 2022-20 A Resolution Of The Board Of Directors Of The West Valley Water District 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 August 14, 2022, Through September 14, 2022, Pursuant To Brown Act Provisions.
2. Approval of Monthly Financial Reports for May 2022 (PO, Treasurer, Cash Disbursement, Revenues & Expenditures, Funds Transfer).
3. Approval of Monthly Financial Reports for June 2022 (PO, Treasurer, Cash Disbursement, Revenues & Expenditures, Funds Transfer).
4. Approval of Payment to Liebert Cassidy Whitmore, for Professional Services rendered in May 2022, Invoice No. 220803; \$4,010.50.

5. Approval of Payment to Liebert Cassidy Whitmore, for Professional Services rendered in June 2022, Invoice No. 222540; \$1,212.00.
6. Approval of Payment to Leal Trejo, for Professional Services rendered in February 2022, Invoice Nos. 18810 and 18811; totaling \$10,020.00.
7. Approval of Payment to Leal Trejo, for Professional Services rendered in March 2022, Invoice Nos. 18880, 18881, 18882, and 18558; totaling \$29,118.48.
8. Approval of Payment to Tafoya Law Group, APC, for Professional Services rendered in June 2022, Invoice No. 22-1006; \$23,460.00.
9. Approval of Payment to Tafoya Law Group, APC, for Professional Services rendered in July 2022, Invoice No. 22-1007; \$20,079.00.

## **BUSINESS MATTERS**

### **Consideration of:**

10. Public Affairs 2022 Plan of Action.

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

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

## **UPCOMING MEETINGS**

- August 8, 2022- Human Resources Committee Meeting at 6:00 p.m. at District Headquarters.
- August 9, 2022- Safety & Technology Committee Meeting at 6:00 p.m. at District Headquarters.
- August 10, 2022- Engineering, Operations & Planning Committee Meeting at 6:00 p.m. at District Headquarters.
- August 11, 2022-External Affairs Committee Meeting at 6:00 p.m. at District Headquarters.
- August 16, 2022- SBVMWD Regular Board of Directors Meeting at 2:00 p.m. at 380 East Vanderbilt Way, San Bernardino, CA 92408.

- August 18, 2022, West Valley Water District Regular Board of Directors Meeting at 6:00 p.m. at District Headquarters.
- August 23, 2022- Policy Review Committee Meeting at 6:00 p.m. at District Headquarters.
- August 24, 2022- Finance Committee Meeting at 6:00 p.m. at District Headquarters.

### **UPCOMING EDUCATIONAL & TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES**

- August 12, 2022 - Southern California Water Conference, 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
- August 22-25, 2022 - California Special Districts Association Annual Conference.
- Oct. 4-6, 2022 - WaterSmart Innovations Conference.

### **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: Four (4).
- CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR (54957.6) DISTRICT NEGOTIATORS; Van Jew, Haydee Sainz, Robert Tafoya, Union Negotiators; Re: International Union Of Operating Engineers, Local 12.
- CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - EXISTING LITIGATION - Pursuant to Paragraph one (1) of Subdivision (d) of the Government Code Section 54956.9 Case Name: Patricia Romero v. West Valley Water District, Case No. CIVDS2024402.
- CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - EXISTING LITIGATION - Pursuant to Paragraph one (1) of Subdivision (d) of the Government Code Section 54956.9 Case Name: Naisha Davis v. West Valley Water District et al. Case No. 20STCV0323.
- CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - PUBLIC EMPLOYEE APPOINTMENT - Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957, Title(s) General Manager.
- CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - PUBLIC EMPLOYEE APPOINTMENT - Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957, Title(s) Chief Financial Officer.
- CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - PUBLIC EMPLOYEE APPOINTMENT - Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957, Title(s) Board Secretary.

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 August 1, 2022.



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Nancy Albitre, Acting 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 [www.wvwd.org](http://www.wvwd.org) 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 the Acting Board Secretary, Nancy Albitre, at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting to ensure availability of the requested service or accommodation. Ms. Albitre may be contacted by telephone at (909) 875-1804 ext. 346, or in writing at the West Valley Water District, P.O. Box 920, Rialto, CA 92377-0920.