JAMES IRRIGATION DISTRICT ORGANIZO FEBRUARY 16, 1920 SAN JOAQUIN, CA

BOARD OF DIRECTORS - SPECIAL MEETING

AGENDA

Monday, April 13, 2020, 3:00 p.m. 8749 9th Street, Post Office Box 757, San Joaquin, California 93660-0757

Remote Participation Meeting

Call-in Number: 1(877)873-8017, Participant Passcode: 6934356

Executive Order (N-29-20)

In accordance with the Governor's Executive Order (N-29-20) and the declared State of Emergency as a result of the threat of COVID-19, members of the Board of Directors, and District staff will be participating in this meeting remotely from multiple locations. Members of the public are encouraged to use the call-in number, which will allow them to fully participate in the meeting without having to be present in person. If members of the public have any problems using the call-in number during the meeting, please contact the District office at (559) 693-4356.

Americans With Disabilities Act

A person with a qualifying disability under the Americans With Disabilities Act of 1990 may request the District provide a disability-related modification or accommodation in order to participate in any public meeting of the District. Such assistance includes appropriate alternative formats for the Agendas and Agenda packets used for any public meetings of the District. Requests for such assistance and for Agendas and Agenda packets shall be made in person, by telephone, facsimile or written correspondence to the General Manager at the District office at least 48 hours before a public District meeting.

Standing Request for Notice

Any request for mailed copies of Regular and Special Board Meeting agendas shall be valid for the calendar year in which it is filed and must be renewed in writing January 1st of each year. The District reserves the right to establish a fee for mailing agendas provided the fee does not exceed the cost of providing the service. Materials related to an agenda item submitted to the Board of Directors after distribution of the agenda are available for public inspection at the District office during normal business hours.

Public Comment on Agenda Items

Any member of the public may address the Board concerning any time on the Agenda before or during consideration of that item, as appropriate.

I. CALL TO ORDER (R.MOTTE / M.COMBS)

II. OTHER BUSINESS / PUBLIC COMMENTS

- A. <u>PUBLIC COMMENTS</u> Any member of the public may address the Board concerning any matter not on the Agenda, but within the Board's jurisdiction. Public comment is limited to no more than three minutes per person. For good cause, the President of the Board may waive this limitation.
- B. ► <u>ADDITIONS/CORRECTIONS TO THE AGENDA</u> Consider approval of additions/corrections as necessary.
- C. <u>POTENTIAL CONFLICTS OF INTEREST</u> Any Board member who has a potential conflict-of-interest may now identify the item(s) and recuse themselves from discussing and voting on the matter(s). FPPC §87105

III. GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

The General Manager will report on operations, maintenance, projects and other District matters.

The public may comment on the following Closed Session items prior to the Board's adjourning to Closed Session.

CLOSED SESSION

IV. <u>CLOSED SESSION: GOVERNMENT CODE §54956.9 - CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-ANTICIPATED LITIGATION</u>

1 CASE

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V. <u>CLOSED SESSION: GOVERNMENT CODE §54956.9 - CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION</u>

- A. AS DEFENDANT: 3 CASES
 - NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL, ET AL, V BERNHARDT, ET AL
 U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of California
 Case No. 1:5-CV-01207LJO-GSA
 - 2. MCMULLIN AREA GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY VS. JAMES IRRIGATION

 DISTRICT; JAMES GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY

 Fresno County Superior Court Case No. 20CECG00507
 - 3. <u>AMY BEZERA VS. JAMES IRRIGATION DISTRICT</u>
 Fresno County Superior Court Case No. 20CECG00572
- B. AS PLAINTIFF: 3 CASES
 - 1. <u>KINGS RIVER WATER ASSOCIATION ET AL V. JAMES VERBOON ET AL</u>
 Kings County Superior Court, Case No. 15 C0304
 - 2. <u>JAMES IRRIGATION DISTRICT VS. KINGS RIVER WATER ASSOCIATION ET AL</u> Fresno County Superior Court Case No. 19CECG00769
 - 3. <u>JAMES IRRIGATION DISTRICT V. WESTLANDS WATER DISTRICT</u> Fresno County Superior Court Case No. 20CECG00688
- C. AS INTERVENOR: 1 CASE
 - CITY OF FRESNO, ET AL V. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
 United States Court of Federal Claims, Case No. 1:16-CV-01276-MCW
- D. AS CLAIMANT: 1 CASE
 - PG&E CORPORATION AND PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY (04/13/2020)
 United States Bankruptcy Court, Northern District of California
 San Francisco Division, Chapter 11 Case No. 19-30088 (DM) (Lead Case) (Jointly Administered)

VI. CLOSED SESSION: GOVERNMENT CODE §54956.8 - CONFERENCE WITH REAL PROPERTY NEGOTIATOR

A. WATER BANKING & TRANSFERS (04/19/2018)

Negotiating Parties: <u>James Irrigation District</u>: Steven Stadler

San Luis Water District: Lon Martin

Other CVP Contractors: General Managers/Designees

Under Negotiation: Price, terms and conditions of possible water supply

transactions.



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OPEN SESSION

VII. REPORT ON ANY ACTION TAKEN DURING CLOSED SESSION

The presiding officer will report on any actions taken during the above Closed Session items.

VIII. ADJOURN

➤ Adjourn to next Regular Meeting scheduled for Tuesday, May 12, 2020, at 10:00 a.m., unless otherwise decided by the Board.