

Directors Scott Sear, President Debra Canero, Vice President Dennis Coleman, Secretary/Treasurer Mike Duran, Director William Teague, Director General Manager Beverli A. Marshall

REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS Valley Sanitary District Board Room 45-500 Van Buren Street Indio, CA 92201

Tuesday, March 8, 2022, 1:00 p.m.

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<u>AGENDA</u>

Pursuant to the Brown Act, items may not be added to this agenda unless the Secretary to the Board has at least 72 hours advance notice prior to the time and date posted on this notice.

1. CALL TO ORDER

- 1.1 Roll Call
- 1.2 Pledge of Allegiance
- 1.3 March Employee Anniversaries
 - Steve Shepard, Development Services Supervisor 26 years

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

This is the time set aside for the public to address the Board of Directors.

3. CONSENT CALENDAR

Consent calendar items are expected to be routine and noncontroversial, to be acted upon by the Board of Directors at one time, without discussion. If any Board member requests that an item be removed from the consent calendar, it will be removed so that it may be acted upon separately.

- 3.1 Approve Minutes for February 22, 2022, Regular Meeting, and March 2, 2022 Special Meeting
- 3.2 Approve Warrants for February 17, 2022 through March 1, 2022

4. NON-HEARING ITEMS

- 4.1 Authorize the General Manager to Sign the Proposal for Financing Through Bank of America for the Recycled Water Project Phase 1
- 4.2 Authorize the General Manager to Amend the Contract with Advanced Resources for Contract Services
- 4.3 Authorize Emergency Repair for Hurst Powerflame Boiler

5. GENERAL MANAGER'S ITEMS

- 5.1 Monthly General Manager's Report January 2022
 - Administrative Services
 - Operations & Maintenance
 - Development Services
 - Collection Services
 - CIP Project Update
 - Laboratory & Compliance

6.1 Budget & Finance Committee – March 1, 2022

7. DIRECTOR'S ITEMS

8. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

8.1 Wastewater Sampling Presentation

9. PUBLIC COMMENT

This is the time set aside for public comment on any item to be discussed in Closed Session. Please notify the Secretary in advance of the meeting if you wish to speak on an item.

10. CONVENE IN CLOSED SESSION

Items discussed in Closed Session comply with the Ralph M. Brown Act.

10.1 Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957 Labor Negotiations Title: General Manager

11. CONVENE IN OPEN SESSION

Report out on Closed Session items

12. ADJOURNMENT

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