

# MINUTES REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

District Board Room, 2890 Mosquito Road, Placerville, California February 27, 2023 — 9:00 A.M.

# **Board of Directors**

Brian K. Veerkamp—Division 3

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Vice President

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Director

Pat Dwyer—Division 2

Director

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Director

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#### **CALL TO ORDER**

President Veerkamp called the meeting to order at 9:00 A.M.

# Roll Call Board

Present: Directors Dwyer, Veerkamp, Anzini and Day

Absent: Director Osborne

# Staff

Present: General Manager Abercrombie, General Counsel Poulsen and Board Clerk Sullivan

# Pledge of Allegiance and Moment of Silence

Director Dwyer led the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### ADOPT AGENDA

ACTION: Agenda was adopted.

#### **MOTION PASSED**

Ayes: Directors Day, Dwyer, Veerkamp and Anzini

Absent: Director Osborne

Director Veerkamp was present for the adoption of today's agenda, *Public Comment*, and deliberations and vote on Action Item No. 6 listed on this agenda. Director Veerkamp left the meeting at 9:48 A.M. and was absent for the remainder of the meeting.

## **COMMUNICATIONS**

**Awards and Recognitions** 

General Manager Abercrombie recognized EID staff member Bill Cassady.

## **PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

# **COMMUNICATIONS**

## **General Manager**

Staff reported that the District received the Association of California Water Agencies Joint Powers Insurance Authority President's Special Recognition Award for its Workers' Compensation Program.

## Clerk to the Board

None

## **Board of Directors**

Director Anzini reported that Mountain Counties Water Resources Association will co-host the California-United Water 2023 Silicon Valley Tour scheduled for June 21-23, 2023.

#### APPROVE CONSENT CALENDAR

**ACTION:** Consent Calendar was approved.

#### **MOTION PASSED**

Ayes: Directors Anzini, Dwyer and Day Absent: Directors Osborne and Veerkamp

## **CONSENT CALENDAR**

#### 1. Clerk to the Board (Sullivan)

Consider approving the minutes of the February 13, 2023 regular meeting of the Board of Directors.

**ACTION:** Option 1: Approved as submitted.

#### **MOTION PASSED**

Ayes: Directors Anzini, Dwyer and Day Absent: Directors Osborne and Veerkamp

# 2. Finance (Bandy)

Consider receiving and filing the District's Investment Report for the quarter ending December 31, 2022.

**ACTION:** Option 1: Received and filed the District's Investment Report for the quarter ending December 31, 2022.

# **MOTION PASSED**

Ayes: Directors Anzini, Dwyer and Day Absent: Directors Osborne and Veerkamp

# 3. Finance (Royal)

Consider awarding a contract to Sierra Nevada Tire & Wheel in the not-to-exceed amount of \$140,000 for fleet tires, recaps and tire services for a one-year period and authorize the General Manager to extend the contract for two additional single-year periods subject to the annual contract amount increasing by no more than 15 percent annually.

**ACTION:** Option 1: Awarded a contract to Sierra Nevada Tire & Wheel in the not-to-exceed amount of \$140,000 for fleet tires, recaps and tire services for a one-year period and authorized the General Manager to extend the contract for two additional single-year periods subject to the annual contract amount increasing by no more than 15 percent annually.

#### **MOTION PASSED**

Ayes: Directors Anzini, Dwyer and Day Absent: Directors Osborne and Veerkamp

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# 4. Operations (Crane)

Consider awarding a contract to Kinetic Energy Systems Corporation in the not-to-exceed amount of \$152,851 for the purchase of a high-head, high-flow, portable emergency bypass pump and authorize additional funding of \$35,000 for the purchase of high-pressure discharge hose and associated components for a total funding request of \$187,851 for the Collection System Emergency Bypass Project, Project No. 23011.01.

ACTION: Option 1: Awarded a contract to Kinetic Energy Systems Corporation in the not-to-exceed amount of \$152,851 for the purchase of a high-head, high-flow, portable emergency bypass pump and authorized additional funding of \$35,000 for the purchase of high-pressure discharge hose and associated components for a total funding request of \$187,851 for the Collection System Emergency Bypass Project, Project No. 23011.01.

#### **MOTION PASSED**

Ayes: Directors Anzini, Dwyer and Day Absent: Directors Osborne and Veerkamp

#### **END OF CONSENT CALENDAR**

#### **ACTION ITEMS**

# 5. Finance (Bandy)

Consider ratifying EID General Warrant Registers for the periods ending February 7 and February 14, 2023, and Employee Expense Reimbursements for these periods.

**ACTION:** Option 1: Ratified the EID General Warrant Registers and Employee Expense Reimbursements as submitted.

#### **MOTION PASSED**

Ayes: Directors Anzini, Dwyer and Day Absent: Directors Osborne and Veerkamp

# 6. Finance (Bandy)

Consider awarding a contract to NBS Government Finance Group in the not-to-exceed amount of \$115,750 to conduct a Cost of Service Analysis.

Director Veerkamp was present for deliberations and vote on this item.

**MOTION:** Motion by Director Dwyer and seconded by Director Veerkamp to approve option 1 and award a contract to NBS Government Finance Group in the not-to-exceed amount of \$115,750 to conduct a Cost of Service Analysis.

#### **MOTION FAILED**

Ayes: Directors Dwyer and Veerkamp

Noes: Directors Anzini and Day Absent: Director Osborne

**MOTION:** Motion by Director Day and seconded by Director Anzini to approve option 2 and take other action as directed by the Board and award a contract to Raftelis for their proposal amount of \$83,777 and negotiate an additional \$20,000 for additional hours including in-person meetings in the not-to-exceed amount of \$103,777 to conduct a Cost of Service Analysis.

#### **MOTION FAILED**

Ayes: Directors Anzini and Day

Noes: Directors Dwyer and Veerkamp

Absent: Director Osborne

**ACTION:** Motion by Director Anzini and seconded by Director Dwyer to approve option 2

and take other action as directed by the Board and postpone this item to the next

regular meeting of the Board on March 13, 2023.

## **MOTION PASSED**

Ayes: Directors Anzini, Dwyer, Veerkamp and Day

Absent: Director Osborne

# 7. Engineering (Eden-Bishop)

Consider awarding a contract to WesTech, Inc. in the not-to-exceed amount of \$955,986 for the purchase of filter and clarifier equipment and authorize additional funding of \$955,986 for the El Dorado Hills Wastewater Treatment Plant Filters 5 and 6 Rehabilitation Project, Project No. 22039.01.

**ACTION:** Option 1: Awarded a contract to WesTech, Inc. in the not-to-exceed amount of

\$955,986 for the purchase of filter and clarifier equipment and authorized

additional funding of \$955,986 for the EDHWWTP Filters 5 and 6

Rehabilitation Project, Project No. 22039.01.

#### **MOTION PASSED**

Ayes: Directors Anzini, Dwyer and Day Absent: Directors Osborne and Veerkamp

#### **REVIEW OF ASSIGNMENTS**

Director Day requested staff notify NBS Government Finance Group and Raftelis of today's action on Action Item No. 6 regarding the Cost of Service Study Analysis.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

Vice President Day adjourned the meeting at 10:07 A.M.

Brian K. Veerkamp Board President EL DORADO IRRIGATION DISTRICT

**ATTEST** 

Jennifer Sullivan Clerk to the Board EL DORADO IRRIGATION DISTRICT

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