



ANTELOPE VALLEY-EAST KERN WATER AGENCY
ANTELOPE VALLEY-EAST KERN WATER AGENCY FINANCING AUTHORITY
REGULAR BOARD MEETING AGENDA
6450 WEST AVENUE "N," PALMDALE, CA 93551
TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2020 AT 6:30 PM

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. ROLL CALL: Division 7 – Gary Van Dam _____; Division 6 – Audrey T. Miller _____;
 Division 5 – Robert Parris _____; Division 4 – Justin Lane _____; Division 3 – Frank Donato _____;
 Division 2 – Keith Dyas _____; Division 1 – Shelley Sorsabal _____

4. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

5. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND PERIOD OPEN TO THE PUBLIC – This portion of the agenda allows an individual the opportunity to address the Board on any item regarding Board business that is not on the agenda. Without taking action or entering dialogue with the public, Board members may ask clarifying questions about topics posed by the public. Your matter may be referred to Agency staff.

6. NEW BUSINESS: ITEM(S) FOR CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION:

None.

7. CONSENT CALENDAR – ACTION ITEMS – The public and board shall have an opportunity to comment on any action item(s) on the Consent Calendar as the Consent Calendar is considered collectively by the Board of Directors prior to action being taken.

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7(a-1)	Approve Minutes of the Board Meeting of February 11, 2020	Board Order 7(a-1)	5
7(a-2)	Accept and file the Check Register Lists from February 15, 2020 through 28, 2020	Board Order 7(a-2) [Finance Review 3/09/20]	9
7(a-3)	Approve the Press Release for AVC Scholarship Endowment	Board Order 7(a-3) [Public Info Review 3/6/20]	17

8. ITEM(S) FOR CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

a. Finance Committee (FD/SS/KD) 03/09/20 Page

8(a-1)	Consideration and possible action on two additions to the Approved Conference and Event List for the Groundwater Resources Association of California (GRAC) and select Agency-related events sponsored by The Seminar Group (TSG) (Secretary-Treasurer Hughes)	Board Order 8(a-1)	21
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b. New Projects Funding Source/Grants Committee (RP/SS/FD) 03/03/20 Page

8(b-1)	SNIP Phase II Federal Funding Process – Status/Update (General Manager Chisam)		n/a
8(b-2)	Consideration and possible action on Amendment No. 2 to the Townsend Public Affairs Professional Services Agreement (General Manager Chisam)	Board Order 8(b-2)	25

9. OLD BUSINESS

10. GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT ON WATER SUPPLY, PROJECTS, AND PROGRAMS

- a. Agency Activity Report – Month Ending February 2020 29

11. DIRECTORS REPORTS

12. ATTORNEY REPORT

13. REQUEST FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

14. CLOSED SESSION

- a. Possible Closed Session, Conference with Legal Counsel – Litigation, to which the local agency is a party pursuant to Government Code Section §54956.9(d)(1), three cases: *Diamond Farming Company vs. Palmdale Water District and Bolthouse, Inc. vs. Palmdale Water District and Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40 vs. Diamond Farming Company, Et Al*; one case to discuss ongoing Adjudication Principal's Mediation Efforts

- b. *Possible* Closed session pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.8
Conference with Real Property Negotiators

Property: APN's: 3275-021-003, 3275-021-004, 3275-021-008, 3275-021-009, 3275-021-011, 3275-021-015, 3275-021-016, 3275-021-027, 3275-021-028, 3275-021-030, 3275-021-035, 3275-021-038, 3275-021-039, 3275-021-040, and 3275-002-011.

Agency Negotiator: General Manager Dwayne Chisam

Negotiating parties: AVEK and Ariel and Edna Braza, Marco and Estela Segui; Abraham L and Francisca T. Castillo; Mohammadnejat Davoodian, Kobra Sofavi, Bill Chuan, Kelly Yip, Arley Wolf, Gabriel T Fabella, Julia R Fabella, Emmanuel Fabella, Inez Gatmaitan-Fabella, Remedios Balleza, Benigno G Tuazon; Martin Allen Hamilton, Hector Lopez, Maura Lopez, Armando Funes, Ruth Funes; Anthony James Mcgrane, Man Leung Ng, Quang Thanh Su, Ellen Tam Su, Wing Kit Law, Steve B Phui, Nhi M. Vong-Phui; Jumayde N Paayas and Editha T Paayas; Raquel Sisayan LLC; Raquel Sisayan LLC, Steven G Johnson and Stephanie A Johnson; Elizabeth Y Tan, Maria Isabella T Santos, Juan Emanuel T Santos; Frederick C Tochterman and Ceclia C Tochterman, Ya Ping Wang and Chun Hong Wang; Danny C Vidamo and Aida S Vidamo.

Under negotiation: Price and terms of payment for possible purchase

- c. *Possible* Closed Session - Conference with Legal Counsel - Anticipated Litigation, significant exposure to litigation, subject to Government Code Section §54956.9 (b)(3)(A), 1 Potential Case

15. CLOSED SESSION ANNOUNCEMENTS

16. ADJOURN TO A REGULAR BOARD MEETING SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2020 AT 6:30 P.M.

Note: The Board reserves the right to discuss and/or take action on all of the above agenda items.

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Posted: March 6, 2020, at 4:30 p.m. by Holly Hughes, Board Secretary-Treasurer

