



**ANTELOPE VALLEY-EAST KERN WATER AGENCY
 ANTELOPE VALLEY-EAST KERN WATER AGENCY FINANCING AUTHORITY
 REGULAR BOARD MEETING AGENDA**

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2021, AT 5:30 PM

Teleconference: (669) 900-6833; ID No. 8 9 4 3 5 7 2 7 6 5 7 #; PASSCODE: 0

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1. CALL TO ORDER

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

OFFICERS: General Manager – Dwayne Chisam; Attorney – Jim Markman/Tilden Kim;
 Board Secretary/Treasurer – Holly Hughes

- 3. VOLUNTARY PUBLIC ROLL-CALL** – If any member of the public wishes to introduce themselves, please feel free to do so now.
- 4. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND PERIOD OPEN TO THE PUBLIC** – If anyone wishes to address the board on any item not on the agenda, please feel free to do so now.

5. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

5(a-1)	Adoption of Agenda for Board Meeting of September 14, 2021	Board Order 5(a-1)
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- 6. CONSENT CALENDAR** – 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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6(a-1)	Approve Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of August 24, 2021	Board Order 6(a-1)	5
6(a-2)	Accept and file the Check Register Lists from August 14, 2021 through September 3, 2021 (Finance Committee Review – 9/13/21)	Board Order 6(a-2)	11

7. ITEM(S) FOR CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

a. Planning Committee (SS/KD/RP) (8/12/21) Page

7(a-1)	Big Rock Creek Joint Groundwater Recharge Project Update – AVSWCA (Presentation by Paul Chau – Kennedy Jenks)	21
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b. Capital Improvement Program Committee (FD/KD/AM) 8/30/21 Page

7(b-1)	Consideration and possible action to award a contract to WM Lyles for the Rosamond Water Treatment Plant Blending Vault Project (Capital Project No. 20-11; \$571,000; Budgeted; Assistant General Manager Knudson)	Board Order 7(b-1)	37
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c. High Desert Water Bank Committee (FD/KD/SS) 9/9/21 Page

7(c-1)	Status/Update on the High Desert Water Bank Project (Engineering Manager Livesay)		n/a
7(c-2)	Consideration and possible action on Rental Agreement with Kern County Water Agency for use of Aqueduct Cofferdam for construction of new turnout (HDWB Capital Account; Engineering Manager Livesay)	Board Order 7(c-2)	41

8. GENERAL MANAGER’S REPORT ON WATER SUPPLY, PROJECTS, AND PROGRAM

9. DIRECTOR REPORTS

- a. Discussion of AVEK Staff Serving as Administrator of the Antelope Valley Watermaster (Director Donato)

10. ATTORNEY REPORT

11. REQUEST FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

12. CLOSED SESSION

- a. *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, 3275-021-027, 3275-021-028, 3275-021-030, 3275-021-035, 3275-021-038, 3275-021-039, and 3275-021-040.

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; Hector Lopez, Maura Lopez, Armando Funes, Ruth Funes; 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 Tochtermann and Ceclia C Tochtermann, Ya Ping Wang and Chun Hong Wang; Danny C Vidamo and Aida S Vidamo.

Under negotiation: Price and terms of payment for possible purchase

- b. *Possible* Closed Session – Conference with Legal Counsel – Existing Litigation, to which the local agency is a party pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1), one case, *CV Communities, LLC v. Antelope Valley-East Kern Water Agency*, Los Angeles County Superior Court Case No. 20STCV10953.
- c. *Possible* Closed Session – Conference with Legal Counsel – Anticipated Litigation, pursuant to Government Code section 54956.9, including significant exposure to litigation and consideration of initiation of litigation concerning supplemental water fees. (1 case)

13. CLOSED SESSION ANNOUNCEMENTS

14. ADJOURN TO A REGULAR BOARD MEETING SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2021, AT 5:30 P.M.

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

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Posted: September 10, 2021, at 12:00 p.m. by Holly Hughes, Board Secretary-Treasurer

