



AGENDA
REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 2008 - 8:30 AM
1391 Engineer Street, Vista, CA 92081
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1. CALL TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL – DETERMINATION OF QUORUM

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

4. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF AGENDA

In the case of an emergency, items may be added to the Agenda by a majority vote of the Board of Directors. An emergency is defined as a work stoppage, a crippling disaster, or other activity that severely imperils public health, safety, or both. Also, items that arise after the posting of the Agenda may be added by a 2/3 vote of the Board. Items on the agenda may be taken out of sequential order as their priority is determined by the Board of Directors. The Board may take action on any item appearing on the agenda.

5. PUBLIC COMMENT TIME

Public comment time on items not appearing on the agenda will be limited to 5 minutes per person and 15 minutes per subject. The Board may find it necessary to limit total time allowable for all public comment on items not appearing on the agenda at any one meeting to one hour. Persons desiring longer public comment time and/or action on specific items shall contact the Secretary and request that the item be placed on the agenda for the next regular meeting.

6. CONSENT CALENDAR

Any member of the Board, staff or public may request that items from the Consent Calendar be removed for discussion. Items so removed shall be acted upon separately immediately following approval of items remaining on the Consent Calendar.

A. CLAIM FOR DAMAGES – Shannon Molloy Scott

Recommendation: For information only.

B. Minutes of Board of Directors meeting on 3/19/08 and workshop on 3/12/08

Recommendation: Approve draft minutes.

C. Resolution ratifying check disbursements

Recommendation: Adopt resolution ratifying checks numbered 32185 through 32297 in the amount of \$206,480.95 pursuant to the financial report detailing expenditures.

7. PRESENTATION OF CSDA SCHOLARSHIPS

Recommendation: Award a \$1,000 scholarship to Luis Velasquez from Rancho Buena Vista High School as VID's winner of the California Special Districts Association (CSDA) scholarship contest. Award \$500 scholarships to Brittany Smith from Rancho Buena Vista High School and Lukas Smith from Tri-City Christian high School as runners-up in the scholarship contest.

8. DIVISION REPORTS

Information reports by Administration, Engineering, Facilities, and Water Resources Divisions concerning District operations and activities.

9. REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP) FOR AUDITING SERVICES

Recommendation: Approve the Request for Proposal (RFP) for auditing services and authorize staff to send the RFP to those on the list contained in the Staff Report.

10. PUBLIC SECTOR WATER EFFICIENCY PROGRAM

Recommendation: For information only.

11. STRATEGIC PLANNING

Recommendation: Review and discuss scheduling and facilitation options for continuing the Board's discussions on District strategic planning.

12. MATTERS PERTAINING TO THE ACTIVITIES OF THE SAN DIEGO COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY

Informational report by staff and directors concerning the San Diego County Water Authority. No action will be required.

13. REPORTS ON MEETINGS AND EVENTS ATTENDED BY DIRECTORS, AND AUTHORIZATION FOR DIRECTOR ATTENDANCE AT UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- A. Brief reports by Directors on meetings and events attended*
- B. Schedule of upcoming meetings and events*

14. ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS AND/OR PRESS RELEASES

This item is placed on the agenda to enable the Board to identify and schedule future items for discussion at upcoming Board meetings and/or identify press release opportunities.

15. DIRECTOR COMMENTS

This item is placed on the agenda to enable individual Board members to convey information to the Board and the public not requiring discussion or action.

16. COMMENTS BY GENERAL MANAGER

Informational report by the General Manager on items not requiring Board action.

17. CLOSED SESSION FOR CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL

Conference with legal counsel to discuss the following pending litigation:

- A. City of Vista vs. HMS Construction, Inc., adv. Vista Irrigation District, Case No. 37-2007-00057856-CU-BC-NC, per Government Code section 54956.9(a).*
- B. San Luis Rey Indian Water Rights Settlement per Govt. Code section 54956.9(a).*

18. ADJOURNMENT

- The agenda package and materials related to an agenda item submitted after the packet's distribution to the Board, are available for public review in the lobby of the District office during normal business hours.*
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AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING

I, Marian Schmidt, Board Secretary of the Vista Irrigation District, hereby certify that I posted a copy of the foregoing agenda in the lobby of the District office at 1391 Engineer Street, Vista, California at least 72 hours prior to the meeting, in accordance with Govt. Code Sec. 54954.2(a).

Date: March 28, 2008


Marian Schmidt, Assistant Board Secretary