

PALMDALE WATER DISTRICT

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Agenda for Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Palmdale Water District to be held at the District's office at 2029 East Avenue Q, Palmdale Wednesday, April 23, 2014

7:00 p.m.

<u>NOTE:</u> To comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act, to participate in any Board meeting please contact Dawn Deans at 661-947-4111 x1003 at least 48 hours prior to a Board meeting to inform us of your needs and to determine if accommodation is feasible.

Agenda item materials, as well as materials related to agenda items submitted after distribution of the agenda packets, are available for public review at the District's office located at 2029 East Avenue Q, Palmdale. Please call Dawn Deans at 661-947-4111 x1003 for public review of materials.

<u>PUBLIC COMMENT GUIDELINES:</u> The prescribed time limit per speaker is three-minutes. Please refrain from public displays or outbursts such as unsolicited applause, comments, or cheering. Any disruptive activities that substantially interfere with the ability of the District to carry out its meeting will not be permitted and offenders will be requested to leave the meeting.

Each item on the agenda shall be deemed to include any appropriate motion, resolution, or ordinance to take action on any item.

- 1) Pledge of Allegiance.
- 2) Roll Call.
- 3) Adoption of Agenda.
- 4) Public comments for non-agenda items.
- 5) Presentations:
 - 5.1) No presentations scheduled at this time.

- 6) Action Items Consent Calendar (The public shall have an opportunity to comment on any action item as each item is considered by the Board of Directors prior to action being taken.)
 - 6.1) Approval of minutes of regular meeting held April 9, 2014.
 - 6.2) Approval of minutes of workshop meeting held April 14, 2014.
 - 6.3) Payment of bills for April 23, 2014.
- 7) Action Items Action Calendar (The public shall have an opportunity to comment on any action item as each item is considered by the Board of Directors prior to action being taken.)
 - 7.1) Consideration and possible action on proposal(s) received for conducting a Water Rate Study and Outreach. (\$50,000.00 Budgeted General Manager LaMoreaux/Finance Committee)
 - 7.2) Consideration and possible action on Special District LAFCO Representative. (General Manager LaMoreaux)
 - 7.3) Consideration and possible action on District participation in ACWA/JPIA Commitment to Excellence Program. (Facilities Manager Moore)
 - 7.4) Consideration and possible action on Internship Program. (Human Resources Manager Emery/Personnel Committee)
 - 7.5) Consideration and possible action on alcohol at annual Employee Memorial Picnic. (Human Resources Manager Emery)
 - 7.6) Consideration and possible action on revised Organization Chart. (General Manager LaMoreaux)
 - 7.7) Consideration and possible action on Board and staff attendance at conferences, seminars, and training sessions as follows: none at this time.
- 8) Information Items:
 - 8.1) Reports of Directors: Meetings/Committee Meetings/General Report.
 - 8.2) Report of General Manager.
 - a) Palmdale Recycled Water Authority status.
 - b) Monthly Department Reports.
 - c) 2014 Water Supply Status.
 - 8.3) Report of Attorney.
- 9) Public comments on closed session agenda matters.
- 10) Closed session under:
 - 10.1) Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1), pending litigation: Antelope Valley Ground Water Cases.

- 10.2) Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1), pending litigation: *United States, et al. v. J-M Manufacturing Company, Inc., et al., United States District Court for the Central District of California Case No. ED CV06-0055-GW.*
- 10.3) Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1), pending litigation: Central Delta Water Agency vs. Department of Water Resources, Sacramento Superior Court Case No. 34-2010-80000561.
- 10.4) Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1), pending litigation: *Omar Ramirez v. Palmdale Water District*.
- 11) Public report of any action taken in closed session.
- 12) Board members' requests for future agenda items.
- 13) Adjournment.

DENNIS D. LaMOREAUX,

General Manager

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