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January 4, 2013

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, January 9, 2013

7:00 p.m.

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PUBLIC COMMENT GUIDELINES: **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 workshop meeting held December 11, 2012.

6.2) Approval of minutes of regular meeting held December 12, 2012.

6.3) Ratification of payment of bills for December 26, 2012.

6.4) Payment of bills for January 9, 2013.

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) Status report on Cash Flow Statement and Current Cash Balances as of November 30, 2012. (Financial Advisor Egan)

7.2) Status report on 2012 Financial Statements, Revenue and Expense and Departmental Budget Reports for November 30, 2012. (Finance Manager Williams)

7.3) Status report on committed contracts issued. (Engineering Manager Knudson)

7.4) Consideration and possible action on adoption of 2013 Budget. (General Manager LaMoreaux/Department Heads)

7.5) Consideration and possible action on Palmdale Water District 2012 redistricting. (Engineering Manager Knudson/National Demographics Corporation)

7.6) Consideration and possible action on Board and staff attendance at conferences, seminars, and training sessions as follows:

a) Association of California Water Agencies/Joint Powers Insurance Authority "Employment Litigation: Limiting Liability Through Governance" to be held January 23, 2013 at the Palmdale Water District.

b) CareerTrack Seminar "Dealing with Difficult People" to be held February 14, 2013 in Lancaster.

c) Antelope Valley Board of Trade Business Outlook Conference to be held February 22, 2013 in Lancaster.

d) WateReuse California Annual Conference to be held March 17 – 19, 2013 in Monterey.

8) Information Items:

8.1) Reports of Directors: Meetings, Committee meetings, and general report.

8.2) Report of General Manager.

a) District vacancies.

8.3) Report of Attorney.

9) Public comments on closed session agenda matters.

10) Closed session under:

10.1) Government Code Section 54956.9(a), existing litigation: *Antelope Valley Ground Water Cases.*

10.2) Government Code Section 54956.9(a), existing 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(a), 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(a), pending litigation: *Velez v. City of Palmdale, et al, Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. MC023216.*

10.5) Government Code Section 54956.9(c), potential litigation – one item.

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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