SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTOR

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NORTH YUBA WATER DISTRICT

Held at the District Office - Through Zoom

8691 LaPorte Road, Brownsville

Tuesday, May 25, 2021

NOTICE: THIS MEETING WILL BE HELD IN ACCORDANCE WITH EXECUTIVE ORDER N-29-20, ISSUED BY CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR GAVIN NEWSOM ON MARCH 17, 2020, THE RALPH M. BROWN ACT (CALIFORNIA GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54950, ET SEQ.), AND THE FEDERAL AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT. THIS MEETING WILL NOT BE PHYSICALLY OPEN TO THE PUBLIC. ALL MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC MAY PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETING VIA VIDEO CONFERENCE AT join Zoom Meeting at

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A. ROLL CALL

President Gary Hawthorne called the meeting to order at 3:32 PM at the District Office in Brownsville, CA.

PRESENT	ABSENT	VISITORS INCLUDING:
Gary Hawthorne		Lou Neil, Charles Sharp
Doug Neilson		Marieke, Rulik Perla,
Gretchen Flohr		
Ginger Hughes		
Fred Mitchell		
Jeff Maupin		
ATTORNEY Michael Vergara		
Penny		
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- B. <u>PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE</u>: The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Director Mitchell.
- C. <u>PUBLIC INPUT</u>: President Hawthorne read the rules of public comment.

OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDIZED ITEMS: As provided under Government Code section 54954.3 subdivision (a), during a Special Meeting any member of the public may address the Board concerning any item on the agenda. No other comments will be allowed. Any member of the public wishing to make comment shall identify the agenda item they intend to address, and they will be provided an opportunity to make comment on that item only. Public comment is limited to no more than three minutes per person.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Members of the public commented on the change of legal counsel for the district, more information on topics, questions for legal counsel, the reason for this special meeting, and South Feather not on the agenda.

ACTION ITEMS

D. CLOSED SESSION:

 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE EVALUATION (Gov.Code, \$54957, subd.(b)(4) Title: General Counsel

THE BOARD ENTERED INTO CLOSED SESSION TO DISCUSS ITEM D. AT 3:43 P.M.

BACK IN SESSION AT 3:55 P.M.

REPORT OUT OF CLOSED SESSION:

President Hawthorne reported that the Board voted to authorize the General Manager to sign and retain the Somac, Simmons and Dunn law firm for general counsel starting immediately.

E. ADJOURNMENT:

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There being no further business to discuss, Vice President Neilson made a motion to Adjourn. Director Mitchell seconded the motion. The motion passed with a unanimous vote.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:57 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Catherine L. Fonseca, Recording Secretary