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Meeting of the Authority Board of Directors

Thursday, August 5, 2021 Convenes at 2:00 p.m.

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-----AGENDA-----

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1. ROLL CALL

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

At this time, members of the public may comment on any item not appearing on the agenda. Under state law, matters presented under this item cannot be discussed or acted upon by the Board at this time. For items appearing on the agenda, the public is invited to make comments at the time the item comes up for Board consideration. Any person addressing the Board will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes or the Chairman's discretion. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name for the record.

3. ANNOUNCEMENTS

4. MINUTES

a. <u>ACTION</u> – Approval of July 9, 2021 Special Meeting of the Board Minutes.

5. ADMINISTRATION

- **a.** <u>ACTION</u> Consider Approval of Third Amended Employment Services Contract with TBID.
- **b.** Discussion on Groundwater Extraction Fee and Invoicing (Board may provide direction to staff).
- **c.** Report from ETGSA Land Subsidence Management Zone Ad-Hoc Committee. (*Board may provide direction to staff*).
- **d.** Staff update on the ETGSA Opt-in Agreement.
- e. Report from 4Creeks on ETGSA Accounting and Invoicing.

6. STAKEHOLDER OUTREACH AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

a. Report on ongoing ETGSA outreach efforts.

7. REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

- a. Receive reports from Stakeholder Committee members.
- **b.** Receive reports from Executive Committee members.

8. BILLS AND WARRANTS

- a. Receive Finance Committee Monthly Reports.
- **b.** <u>ACTION</u> Review the Financial Statements; consider ratification of bills paid and approval of bills to be paid. (*Materials to be distributed on the day of the Board Meeting.*)

9. TULE SUBBASIN AND REGIONAL REPORTS AND ITEMS

a. Report on Tule Subbasin Coordination and TH&Co Task Items.

10. <u>CLOSED SESSION:</u>

a. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION:

[Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(2)]

Number of Potential Cases: Three

12. CLOSED SESSION ITEMS:

a. Report Action Taken in Closed Session Required by Government Code 54957.1

14. NEXT MEETING DATE

a. Next Regular Meeting – Thursday, September 2, 2021 at 2 p.m.

15. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

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