## **GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY**

## **BOARD MEETING AGENDA**

January 26, 2023

4:30 P.M.

Camrosa Water District - 7385 Santa Rosa Road - Camarillo, CA 93012

### HYBRID MEETING

The public is invited to attend this meeting in-person at our district office or virtually via Zoom.

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### CALL TO ORDER

NOTE: As authorized by California Government Code section 54953(b), a board member will be participating in the meeting via teleconferencing. The teleconference location is accessible to the public. The address of the teleconference location is: 400 E. Tahquitz Canyon Way - Palm Springs, CA 92262

### PUBLIC COMMENTS

At this time, the public may address the Board on any item not appearing on the agenda that is subject to its jurisdiction. Persons wishing to address the Board must fill out a speaker card and are subject to a five-minute time limit.

Matters appearing on the Consent Agenda are expected to be noncontroversial and will be acted upon by the Board collectively, without discussion, unless a member of the Board or staff requests an opportunity to address a given item. Approval by the Board of Consent Items means that the recommendation of staff is approved along with the terms and conditions described in the Board Memorandum.

#### MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

ARNE ANSELM, Ventura County Public Works Agency JEFFREY C. BROWN, Camrosa Water District TERRY L. FOREMAN, Camrosa Water District TIMOTHY H. HOAG, Camrosa Water District ANDY F. NELSON, Camrosa Water District EUGENE F. WEST, Camrosa Water District

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### **CONSENT AGENDA**

### 1. Convene Meetings of the Board of Directors via Teleconference

The Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley Groundwater Sustainability Agency (ASRVGSA) Board of Directors has reconsidered the circumstances of the state of the emergency regarding COVID-19 and, having found that state and local officials continue to impose or recommend measures to promote social distancing, hereby determines to meet via teleconference and in-person (hybrid meeting).

- 2. Approve the Minutes of the September 29, 2022 Special Meeting
- 3. Approve the Minutes of the October 24, 2022 Special Meeting
- 4. Vendor Payments Ratification

Approve vendor payments as presented by staff.

### **PRIMARY AGENDA**

### 5. Accept Nominations for the Santa Rosa GSA Board Officers and the 2023 Calendar

- 1) Accept nominations and elect Chair and Vice Chair of the GSA.
- 2) Adopt the Camrosa Water District's Board Calendar to establish the Santa Rosa GSA's regularly scheduled meetings.

### 6. Set Stakeholder Workshop No. 3

Engage stakeholders interested in the Santa Rosa GSP and set a stakeholder workshop for February 28, 2023.

### 7. First Quarter Results

Review Fiscal Year 2022-23 First Quarter Results.

### COMMENTS BY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

### **COMMENTS BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

#### ADJOURN

## **GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY**

Camrosa Water District, 7385 Santa Rosa Road, Camarillo, CA 93012

## **BOARD MEMORANDUM**

- **DATE:** January 26, 2023
- TO: Board of Directors
- FROM: Tony Stafford, Executive Director
- **OBJECTIVE:** Convene meetings of the Board of Directors via teleconference.
- ACTION: The Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley Groundwater Sustainability Agency (ASRVGSA) Board of Directors has reconsidered the circumstances of the state of the emergency regarding COVID-19 and, having found that state and local officials continue to impose or recommend measures to promote social distancing, hereby determines to meet via teleconference and in-person (hybrid meeting).
- **SUMMARY:** Assembly Bill 361, signed into law September 16, 2021, amends sections of the Government Code relating to open meetings during states of emergency or other conditions requiring the use of teleconferencing to conduct legislative business. The act requires certain periodic findings by the legislative body of a local agency to continue operating remotely during a state of emergency. These include (A) the reconsidering of the circumstances of the state of emergency and (B) the finding that any of the following circumstances exist: the state of emergency continues to directly impact the ability of the members to meet safely in person; and state or local officials continue to impose or recommend measures to promote social distancing.

All other requirements of AB 361, regarding the administration of remote meetings, including but not limited to the provision of access to the general public and efforts to maintain transparency of the Board's business, are regularly met.

#### MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

## **GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY**

## MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD

## September 29, 2022

### 5:00 P.M.

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- **CALL TO ORDER** The meeting was called to order at 5:00 P.M.
  - Present: Arne Anselm Jeffrey C. Brown Terry L. Foreman Timothy H. Hoag Eugene F. West
  - Staff: Greg Jones, Legal Counsel Ian Prichard, Camrosa Water District Tony Stafford, Executive Director
  - Guests: Bryan Bondy, Bondy Groundwater Consulting, Inc. (via teleconference) Abhishek Singh, INTERA, Inc. Steven Humphrey, INTERA, Inc. Mark Burley

### PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

### SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

None

### **CONSENT AGENDA**

- 1. Approve the minutes of the June 29, 2022 Special Meeting
- 2. Approve the minutes of the August 4, 2022 Stakeholder Engagement Workshop No. 1
- 3. Ratify vendor payments

Motion to approve the Consent Agenda: Hoag. Second: Brown. The motion carried unanimously.

#### MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

### **PRIMARY AGENDA**

### 4. GSP Update

Bryan Bondy of Bondy Groundwater, Inc., the consulting project manager for the ASRGSA groundwater sustainability plan (GSP), gave an update on the GSP.

No action was necessary; the item was for information only.

### 5. Funding

The Board discussed the timing of appointing an ad hoc committee to help staff develop funding recommendations for the Board to consider. The Board determined to do so at a future date but directed staff to develop projected budgets for future years.

No action was necessary; the item was for information only.

### 6. Adopt FY2022-23 Budget

The Board adopted the FY2022-23 budget as presented.

Motion to approve: Foreman. Second: Brown. The motion carried unanimously.

### **COMMENTS BY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**

The October 24, 2022 Stakeholder Engagement Workshop No. 2 will be a Board meeting and will include a public hearing for the ASRGSA's Conflict of Interest Code update.

### **COMMENTS BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

None

### **ADJOURN**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:40 P.M.

(ATTEST)

Tony L. Stafford Executive Director Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley Basin GSA Eugene F. West, Chair Board of Directors Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley Basin GSA

## **GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY**

## MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD

## October 24, 2022

### 6:00 P.M.

The meeting was held virtually via video teleconference.

- **CALL TO ORDER** The meeting was called to order at 6:00 P.M.
  - Present: Arne Anselm Jeffrey C. Brown Terry L. Foreman Timothy H. Hoag Eugene F. West
  - Staff: Greg Jones, Legal Counsel Ian Prichard, Camrosa Water District Tony Stafford, Executive Director
  - Guests: Bryan Bondy, Bondy Groundwater Consulting, Inc. (via teleconference) Abhishek Singh, INTERA, Inc. Steven Humphrey, INTERA, Inc.

### PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

### SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

None

### **CONSENT AGENDA**

None

### **PRIMARY AGENDA**

### 1. Conflict of Interest Code update

The Board held a duly advertised public hearing to receive comment on updates to Ordinance 1-22, the Arroyo Santa Rosa GSA Conflict of Interest Code. Hearing no comments, the Board closed the meeting and adopted the ordinance.

### Motion to approve: Brown. Second: Hoag.

A roll-call vote was taken and the motion carried unanimously.

### SANTA ROSA GSA BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEMORANDUM

#### MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

### 2. Stakeholder Engagement Workshop #2

Bryan Bondy, project manager for the groundwater sustainability plan, and Abhishek Singh, President at INTERA, will give an update on the plan. ASRGSA staff and Board members will be available for questions and additional context.

No action was necessary; the item was for information only.

### COMMENTS BY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The Executive Director thanked Mr. Bondy for his presentation and the attendees for their participation.

### COMMENTS BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Director Anselm thanked the attendees.

Director Foreman thanked the attendees and encouraged questions and input through the rest of the planning process.

Chair West thanked the attendees, Mr. Bondy, and the work that staff and the INTERA consultants were doing on the plan.

### ADJOURN

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:22 P.M.

(ATTEST)

Tony L. Stafford Executive Director Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley Basin GSA Eugene F. West, Chair Board of Directors Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley Basin GSA

## **GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY**

Camrosa Water District, 7385 Santa Rosa Road, Camarillo, CA 93012

## **BOARD MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** January 26, 2023

TO: Board of Directors

- FROM: Tony Stafford, Executive Director
- **OBJECTIVE:** Ratify Vendor Payments as presented by staff.
- **ACTION:** Ratify accounts payable.
- **DISCUSSION:** A summary of accounts payable previously paid by the Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley Groundwater Sustainability Agency in the amount of \$160,026.40 is provided for Board information and ratification.

Check			Invoice		
lumber	Post Date	Vendor Name	Number	Description	Amount
	9/1/2022	Union Bank		August 2022 Bank Fees	40.0
	10/1/2022	Union Bank		September 2022 Bank Fees	40.0
68	10/5/2022	Camrosa Water District	1948	Staff services through June 30, 2020 & Auto & Liability insurance pre	17,301.8
69	10/5/2022	Intera	08-22-20	GSP Development and Preparation August 2022	46,931.0
70	10/19/2022	Intera	09-22-128	GSP Development and Preparation September 2022	28,182.9
71	10/19/2022	The Hathaway Law Firm, LLP	38503	Legal Services September 2022	978.4
	11/1/2022	Union Bank		October 2022 Bank Fees	50.0
72	11/2/2022	ACWA	2023	ACWA Membership	917.6
73	11/2/2022	Bondy Groundwater Consulting, Inc	077-13	GSP Project Management October 2022	5,400.0
74	10/19/2022	Camrosa Water District	1952	Liability Insurance Payment to ACWA-JPIA Reimbursement	1,125.0
75	11/16/2022	Infosend	224346	Bill Inserts advertising Stakeholder Outreach	631.6
76	11/16/2022	Intera	10-22-89	GSP Development and Preparation October 2022	27,572.9
77	11/16/2022	The Hathaway Law Firm, LLP	202424	Legal Services October 2022	519.8
	12/1/2022	Union Bank		November 2022 Bank Fees	40.0
78	12/7/2022	VC Star	0005043347	Public Hearing	188.0
				GSP Development and Preparation September 2022	
				& Return to Sender Fee Payment to Bondy Groundwater	
79	12/7/2022	Camrosa Water District	1954	Reimbursement	5,592.7
				GSP Project Management November 2022	
80	12/7/2022	Camrosa Water District	1956	Payment to Bondy Groundwater Reimbursement	2,081.2
81	12/21/2022	Intera	11-22-79	GSP Development and Preparation November 2022	22,433.0
tal Ven	dor Payments	s			\$ 160,026.4

The ASRGSA's bank account as of December 31, 2022, was \$250,787.38.

#### MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

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## **BOARD MEMORANDUM**

- **DATE:** January 26, 2023
- TO: Board of Directors
- FROM: Tony Stafford, Executive Director
- **OBJECTIVE:** Accept nominations for the Santa Rosa GSA Board Officers and accept the 2023 Calendar.
- **ACTION:** 1) Accept nominations and elect Chair and Vice Chair of the GSA.
  - 2) Adopt the Camrosa Water District's Board Calendar to establish the Santa Rosa GSA's regularly scheduled meetings.
- **SUMMARY:** The Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement (JPA) creating the Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley Groundwater Sustainability Agency (ASRVGSA) states Officers shall be elected annually by, and serve at the pleasure of, the Board of Directors. Officers shall be elected at the first Board meeting following January 1<sup>st</sup> of each year. An officer may serve for multiple consecutive terms, with no term limit. Any officer may resign at any time upon written notice to the Board and may be removed and replaced by a decision of the Board.

The JPA also requires that the Board meet at least once a quarter. It is recommended that the Board set the meetings to be held on the same dates and immediately preceding the regular meetings of the Camrosa Water District meetings. The Arroyo Santa Rosa GSA may cancel in advance the regularly scheduled meeting if there is no business to be considered by the GSA.

#### MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

# 2023 Camrosa Board Calendar

JANUARY						FEBRUARY										MARC	H			2023 Holidays				
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8	9	10	11	12	13	14		5	6	7	8	9	10	11	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	May 29 <sup>th</sup> - Memorial Day		
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	1	2	13	14	15	16	17	18	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	July 4 <sup>th</sup> - Independence Day		
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	1	9	20	21	22	23	24	25	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	September 4 <sup>th</sup> - Labor Day		
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			APRIL	Ĺ							MAY				JUNE							December 29 <sup>th</sup> - New Year's Eve		
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9	10	11	12	13	14	15	1	4	15	16	17	18	19	20	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	ACWA Spring Conf. (Monterey) - May 9th - 11th		
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	2	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	CASA 68th Annual Conf. (San Diego) - Aug. 9th - 11th		
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9	10	11	12	13	14	15	1	3	14	15	16	17	18	19	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	August - DARK (No Meetings or Events)		
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	2	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	September 28th - Reagan Library Reception		
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## **GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY**

Camrosa Water District, 7385 Santa Rosa Road, Camarillo, CA 93012

## **BOARD MEMORANDUM**

- **DATE:** January 26, 2023
- TO: Board of Directors
- FROM: Tony Stafford, Executive Director
- **OBJECTIVE:** Engage stakeholders interested in the Santa Rosa GSP.
- ACTION: Set a stakeholder workshop (Workshop No. 3) for February 28, 2023 at 6:00 p.m.
- **DISCUSSION:** The Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP) is nearing completion.

A stakeholder workshop will be held on February 28, 2023 at 6 p.m. The public is invited to attend this meeting in-person at our district office or virtually via Zoom.

The draft GSP is available for review and public comments. It is anticipated that the 45day public comment period will begin on February 1, 2023 and ends on March 18, 2023. Workshop No. 3 is scheduled during the comment period. Comments may be submitted in writing during the public comment period and orally during the public workshop.

The workshop is intended to present to stakeholders the GSP and how the plan fulfills the requirements regarding sustainable management criteria, the minimum thresholds and measurable objectives developed for the Arroyo Santa Rosa Groundwater Basin, and the projects and management actions to be proposed in the GSP.

ASRGSA staff and Board members will be available for questions and additional context.

#### MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

## **GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY**

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# **BOARD MEMORANDUM**

- **DATE:** January 26, 2023
- **TO:** Board of Directors
- FROM: Tony Stafford, Executive Director
- **OBJECTIVE:** Review Fiscal Year 2022-23 First Quarter Results.
- **ACTION:** No action necessary; for information only.
- **SUMMARY:** The ASRGSA's Fiscal Year 2022-23 budget was approved at the September 29, 2022, meeting. Staff will present first quarter results.

#### MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

Arroyo Santa Rosa GSA	Budget FY 22-23			1st QTR Budget		1st QTR Actuals	En	1st QTR cumbrances	1st QTR Actuals plus encumb		Variance	
Transfer In												
JPA Member Assessement Camrosa Water District	\$	531,900	Ś	132,975	Ś	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	(132,975)
County of Ventura	Ŧ	-	Ŧ	-	Ŧ	-	Ŧ	-	Ŧ	-	Ŧ	-
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	\$	531,900	\$	132,975	Ş	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	(132,975)
Operating Expenses												
Outside Contracts	\$	13,000	\$	3,250	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	3,250
Professional Services		486,500		121,625		51,906		419,542		471,448		(349,823)
Materials & Supplies		14,600		3,650		655		-		655		2,995
Legal Services		10,000		2,500		520		-		520		1,980
Dues & Subscriptions		2,800		700		-		-		-		700
Conference & Travel		2,000		500		-		-		-		500
Fees & Charges		500		125		80		-		80		45
Insurance		2,500		625		-		-		-		625
<b>Total Operating Expenses</b>	\$	531,900	\$	132,975	\$	53,161	\$	419,542	\$	472,703	\$	(339,728)

Notes:

(1) Camrosa Water District contributed \$100,000 to the ASRGSA in FY 2016-17

(2) Camrosa Water District has contributed \$650,000 to the ASRGSA in FY2021-22

(3) The Arroyo Santa Rosa GSA's bank account balance as of September 30, 2022 was \$401,896.98