

# Minutes of: Regular Public Meeting Of the Forestville Water District Board of Directors

Date: Tuesday, March 8, 2022

Time: 5:30 PM

# Location: Videoconference via Zoom

I. CALL TO ORDER at 5:33 p.m. by Chair McDermott

# II. ROLL CALL

DIRECTORS PRESENT: Directors – Aldridge, Griffith, McDermott, and Monroe

OTHERS PRESENT: GM- Tony Lopes, FWD Legal Counsel - Martin Hirsch, and Interim Board Clerk - Dawn Leith. **III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA** 

- **MOTION** made by Director Aldridge, seconded by Director Griffith, and passed 4-0-1 to approve the agenda as presented.
- IV. STATEMENT OF ABSTENTION
  - McDermott ASR I
- V. PUBLIC COMMENT (Public testimony is limited to three minutes)

# VI. CONSENT ITEMS

- **MOTION** made by Director Aldridge, seconded by Director Monroe, and passed 4-0-1 to approve Resolution 413(e) for the April 2022 board meeting to be held as video conference under AB 361.
- **MOTION** made by Director Monroe, seconded by Director Aldridge, and passed 4-0-1 to approve the Financial Reports for February 2022.
- **MOTION** made by Director Monroe, seconded by Director Griffith, and passed 4-0-1 to approve minutes as presented for the February 15, 2022, Regular Board Meeting.

VII. PUBLIC HEARING (No public hearing tonight)

### VIII. ACTION ITEMS

- A. FISCAL RESOLUTION # 415 MOVING ELECTIONS TO EVEN YEARS
  - **MOTION** made by Director Aldridge, seconded by Director Monroe, and passed 4-0-1 to approve Resolution #415.
- B. ASR AND MINUTES FORMATTING
- Board Clerk to provide examples of the different formats for Minutes and ASR at April meeting.
- C. 2018 SEWER IMPROVEMENT PROJECT
  - GM and FWD Engineer provided status on work schedule. No action taken by the Board.
- D. TIME SCHEDULE ORDER (TSO) AND GRANT APPLICATION FOR SEWER TREATMENT PLANT
- No new updates or action taken by the Board.
- E. PRV REPLACEMENT OPTIONS
  - GM and FWD Engineer provided status on work progress. No action taken by the Board.
- F. LIFT STATION VFD ELECTRICAL UPGRADE
  - GM and provided status on issues and work schedule. No action taken by the Board.
- G. DIRECTOR'S TRAINING
  - Director Griffith to complete Ethics Training by May 2022.
  - Directors confirmed receipt of CSDA's emails for the webinars on Brown Act and Public Records Act.
- H. MIRABEL LIFT STATION ACCESS AND LAND RIGHTS
  - Board instructed FWD staff to remove from the agenda until there is something to report.
- I. GROUNDWATER MONITORING AT THE FORESTVILLE YOUTH PARK
  - FWD Engineer provided status on the progress of the well drilling. No action taken by the Board.
- J. DISTRICT GOAL UPDATES

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- Board Clerk provided status on the variety of projects FWD staff is working on. No action taken by the Board.
- K. NEW WATER RATE STRUCTURE
  - The sub-committee will meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of April. No action taken by the Board.
- L. WATER CONSERVATION
  - GM Lopes provided current usage and informed the Board of Sonoma Water Town Hall. No action taken by the Board.
- M. FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023 PRELIMINARY BUDGET
  - **MOTION** made by Director Aldridge, seconded by Director Monroe, and passed 4-0-1 to approve the Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Preliminary Budget as presented with no rate increases for Water or Sewer rates.
- N. ACCESSORY DWELLING UNIT POLICY
  - Legal will research further and report to the Board at the April meeting. No action taken by the Board.
- O. SERVICE AGREEMENT
  - FWD Staff to submit a draft of the revised service agreement to FWD Legal Counsel for review. No actions taken by the Board.
- P. CORRESPONDENCE
  - There was no correspondence for the March 8, 2022, board packet.

# IX. DISTRICT ENGINEER MONTHLY REPORT

• FWD Engineer provided current updates for "Water" and "Wastewater" projects in order as listed on Agenda.

# X. GENERAL MANAGER MONTHLY REPORT

- GM Lopes provided current updates for "Water" and "Wastewater" operations and projects.
- XI. GRATON/FWD SUB-COMMITTEE REPORT
  - Nothing to report currently.

### XII. DIRECTORS' REPORT AND CALL FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

• No requests for future agendas.

### XIII. ADJOURNMENT

• **MOTION** made by Director Monroe, seconded by Director Aldridge, and passed 4-0-1 to adjourn at 7:41p.m.

APPROVED: April 12, 2022