# MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS VICTOR VALLEY WASTEWATER RECLAMATION AUTHORITY (VVWRA) May 18, 2023

**CALL TO ORDER:** Chair Scott Nassif called the meeting to order at 7:32 AM; in Conference Room D at Victorville City Hall, located at 14343 Civic Drive, Victorville California, with the following members present:

ORO GRANDE (CSA 42) AND

**ABSENT** 

SPRING VALLEY LAKE (CSA 64)

TOWN OF APPLE VALLEY CITY OF VICTORVILLE

Scott Nassif, Vice-Chair Liz Becerra, Secretary

CITY OF HESPERIA

Larry Bird, Treasurer

# **VVWRA Staff and Legal Counsel:**

Darron Poulsen, General Manager Kristi Casteel, Executive Assistant

Piero Dallarda, Legal Counsel (BB&K)

David Wylie, Safety & Communications Officer

Brad Adams, Director of O&M

Robert Coromina, Director of Administration

Hillary Chavez, Administrative Assistant

Kalin Westover, Operation Supervisor

Ray Lopez, Maintenance Supervisor

# **CLOSED SESSION**

#### PUBLIC COMMENTS- CLOSED SESSION AGENDA

**NONE** 

**Moved: Commissioner Becerra** 

Second: Commissioner Nassif

Motion to enter into Closed Session

Motion passed by a 3-0 roll call vote with Commissioner Higgins Absent

## **REGULAR SESSION**

#### CALL TO ORDER & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Chair Nassif called the meeting to order at 8:10 AM.

#### REPORT FROM CLOSED SESSION

NONE

# PUBLIC COMMENTS- REGULAR SESSION AGENDA

NONE

#### POSSIBLE CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Chair Nassif will be abstaining from any disbursements to Napa Auto Parts on item 3

#### **CONSENT CALENDAR:**

- 2. Receive, Approve and File Minutes, April 20, 2023 Regular Meeting
- 3. Receive, Approve and File April 2023 Disbursement

Moved: Commissioner Bird Second: Commissioner Becerra

Approval of the Consent Calendar Items 2 and 3 with Commissioner Nassif abstaining from any disbursements to Napa Auto Parts on item 3.

Chair Nassif - Yes

Commissioner Becerra - Yes

Commissioner Bird- Yes

Motion passed by a 3-0 roll call vote with Commissioner Higgins Absent

#### **ACTION ITEM:**

4. Recommendation to Adopt Resolution 2023-05 Flow Allocations

The Board will consider approval to adopt Resolution 2023-05 to amend flow billing percentages and approve the flow billing rates as measured by ADS Environmental Services, Inc.

Moved: Commissioner Bird Second: Commissioner Becerra

Approval to adopt Resolution 2023-05 to amend flow billing percentages and approve the flow billing rates as measured by ADS Environmental Services, Inc.

Chair Nassif - Yes

Commissioner Becerra - Yes

Commissioner Bird-Yes

Motion passed by a 3-0 roll call vote with Commissioner Higgins Absent

5. Recommendation to Adopt Resolution 2023-07 Amend and Adopt 2023 Local Guidelines for Implementing the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)

The Board will consider approval to adopt Resolution 2023-07 to amend and adopt 2023 local guidelines for implementing the California Environmental Quality Act

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Moved: Commissioner Becerra Second: Commissioner Bird

Approval to adopt Resolution 2023-07 to amend and adopt 2023 local guidelines for implementing the California Environmental Quality Act

Chair Nassif - Yes

Commissioner Becerra - Yes

Commissioner Bird-Yes

Motion passed by a 3-0 roll call vote with Commissioner Higgins Absent

6. Recommendation to Authorize the General Manager to Approve the Award to Pro-Automation Industrial Control Systems Solutions of a Contract in the Amount of \$87,273.44 for the Primary & Grit Pumps MCC Buckets & Programming Upgrade

The Board will consider approval to authorize the General Manager to approve the award to pro-automation industrial control systems solutions of a contract in the amount of \$87,273.44 for the primary & grit pumps mcc buckets & programming upgrade

Moved: Commissioner Becerra Second: Commissioner Bird

Approval to authorize the General Manager to approve the award to pro-automation industrial control systems solutions of a contract in the amount of \$87,273.44 for the primary & grit pumps mcc buckets & programming upgrade

Chair Nassif - Yes

Commissioner Becerra - Yes

Commissioner Bird- Yes

Motion passed by a 3-0 roll call vote with Commissioner Higgins Absent

7. Recommendation to Adopt Resolution 2023-08 a Debt Management Policy

The Board will consider approval to adopt resolution 2023-09 authorizing execution and delivery of a Lease Purchase Agreement and approving related documents and actions, in order to obtain, through a lease financing structure, a new vactor truck

Moved: Commissioner Bird Second: Commissioner Becerra

Approval to adopt resolution 2023-09 authorizing execution and delivery of a Lease Purchase Agreement and approving related documents and actions, in order to obtain, through a lease financing structure, a new vactor truck

Chair Nassif - Yes

Commissioner Becerra - Yes

Commissioner Bird-Yes

Motion passed by a 3-0 roll call vote with Commissioner Higgins Absent

8. Recommendation to Adopt Resolution 2023-09 Authorizing Execution and Delivery of a Lease Purchase Agreement and Approving Related Documents and Actions

The Board will consider approval to adopt resolution 2023-09 authorizing execution and delivery of a Lease Purchase Agreement and approving related documents and actions, in order to obtain, through a lease financing structure, a new vactor truck

Moved: Commissioner Becerra Second: Chair Nassif

Approval to adopt resolution 2023-09 authorizing execution and delivery of a Lease Purchase Agreement and approving related documents and actions, in order to obtain, through a lease financing structure, a new vactor truck

Chair Nassif - Yes

Commissioner Becerra - Yes

Commissioner Bird- Yes

Motion passed by a 3-0 roll call vote with Commissioner Higgins Absent

**CLOSED SESSION (If Closed Session is continued)** 

**Closed session** 

ADJOURNMENT

The board will adjourn to a regular board meeting on May 18, 2023 at 7:30 a.m.

**APPROVAL:** 

DATE: 15 ple ne 2623 BY:

Approved by Debra Jones, Secretary VVWRA Board of Commissioners