As a matter of proper business decorum, the Board of Commissioners respectfully request that all cell phones be turned off or placed on vibrate. To prevent any potential distraction of the proceeding, we request that side conversations be taken outside the meeting room.

BOARD WORKSHOP^{*} <u>VICTOR VALLEY WASTEWATER RECLAMATION AUTHORITY</u> <u>VICTORVILLE CITY HALL, CONFERENCE ROOM D</u> <u>14343 CIVIC DRIVE, VICTORVILLE CA 92392</u> <u>Thursday, July 18, 2024</u> 8:30 a.m.

VVWRA is committed to protecting public health and the environment in the Victor Valley by providing effective and fiscally responsible wastewater collection, treatment, and recycling.

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Public Comment (Government Code Section 54954.3)

Opportunity for members of the public to directly address the Board on items of public interest within its jurisdiction. The public may also address the Board on items being considered on this agenda. VVWRA requests that all public speakers complete a speaker's card and provide it to the Secretary. Persons desiring to submit paperwork to the Board of Commissioners shall provide a copy of any paperwork to the Board Secretary for the official record. We request that remarks be limited to five minutes or less. Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.3, if a speaker is utilizing a translator, the total allotted time will be doubled.

<u>Workshop</u>

Item 1. JPA History

a. When and why, it was developed and past amendments

<u>Item 2.</u> JPA Wording Conflicts with Current Practices and Future Financing Concerns Based on Pending Member Exit Positions

a. That the JPA does not currently allow VVWRA agencies to have the right to own and operate their own wastewater treatment plant.

b. We do not currently have any wording to allow member entities to build their own plant while preserving fairness for those customers who remain within the agency, including those customers served by the member entity who desire to own and operate its own plant.

c. Absent side agreements, the member agencies only have the right to divert up to 1.4 MGD of flow for the purpose of owning and operating their own treatment plant.

d. We need to find a way to incorporate the current terms of the Hesperia and Victorville

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agreements into the JPA.

e. The pending member agency withdrawals from the JPA and the effect on future financing efforts.

<u>Item 3.</u> VVWRA Member Agency other concerns about amending or approving a new JPA Agreement

- a. Open discussion from each agency on other points in the JPA they would like to discuss or amend.
- b. Open discussion any other conditions requested by a member agency as a condition of signing the new JPA agreement?

* No action will be taken at the Workshop, although the Board may direct staff, consultants, or legal counsel to follow up on some of the issues discussed or prepare language for future discussion and consideration.

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Government Code Section 54954.2(a)



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Government Code Section 54954.2

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Items Continued

Government Section 54954.2(b)(3)

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Meeting Adjournment

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