



AGENDA
REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2, 2023 - 9:00 AM
1391 Engineer Street, Vista, CA 92081
Phone: (760) 597-3100

NOTICE FOR PARTICIPATION

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if special assistance is needed to participate in the Board meeting telephonically, please contact the Board Secretary during regular business hours at (760) 597-3128. Notification received 48 hours before the meeting will assist Vista Irrigation District in making reasonable accommodations.

The public may participate in this meeting in-person and by teleconference. To join this meeting via telephone, please dial (877) 873-8018; the Pass Code is 474698#.

Public Participation/Comment: Members of the public can also participate in the meeting by emailing your comments on an agenda item to the Board Secretary at BoardSecretary@vidwater.org; such email should include the agenda item number in the subject line and must be received before the time the meeting commences. Members of the public, whether participating in-person or telephonically, may address the Board of Directors in real-time during the public comment period and when specific agenda items are being considered. Please announce your attendance if participating telephonically or fill out a speaker slip if participating in-person if you would like to provide real-time public comment.

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL – DETERMINATION OF QUORUM

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

4. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF AGENDA

In the case of an emergency, items may be added to the Agenda by a majority vote of the Board of Directors. An emergency is defined as a work stoppage, a crippling disaster, or other activity that severely imperils public health, safety, or both. Also, items that arise after the posting of the Agenda may be added by a 2/3 vote of the Board. Items on the agenda may be taken out of sequential order as their priority is determined by the Board of Directors. The Board may take action on any item appearing on the agenda.

5. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

Members of the public may address the Board on items not appearing on the posted agenda, which are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board. Speakers are asked to limit their comments to five (5) minutes; the total time allowable for all public comment on items not appearing on the agenda at any one meeting may be limited. Comments on items listed on the agenda will be taken before or during discussion of the agenda item. Members of the public desiring to address the Board are asked to complete a speaker's slip available on the table near the entrance of the Boardroom and present it to the Board Secretary prior to the meeting.

6. CONSENT CALENDAR

Any member of the Board, staff or public may request that items from the Consent Calendar be removed for discussion. Items so removed shall be acted upon separately immediately following approval of items remaining on the Consent Calendar.

A. Grant of Right of Way

Recommendation: Accept Grant of Right of Way (V104) for a specific easement over a commercial lot consisting of approximately 10.64 gross acres owned by OHI Asset (CA), LLC, located at 2000 Westwood Road, Vista (LN 2021-044; APN 166-411-56; DIV NO 2).

B. Tax levies for unpaid charges

Recommendation: Informational report concerning unpaid charges added to tax rolls.

C. Treasurer's Report as of June 30, 2023

Recommendation: Informational report concerning the investments of the District.

D. Minutes of the Water Sustainability Committee on July 17, 2023

Recommendation: For information only.

E. Minutes of the Board of Directors meeting on July 19, 2023

Recommendation: Approval of draft minutes.

F. Ratification of check disbursements

Recommendation: Adopt a resolution ratifying checks numbered 72558 through 72675 in the amount of \$634,968.79 pursuant to the cash disbursement report detailing expenditures.

7. DIVISION REPORTS

Informational reports by Operations and Field Services, Water Resources, Administration, and Engineering Divisions concerning District operations and activities.

8. EXCELLENCE IN FINANCIAL REPORTING AWARD

Recommendation: Receive Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting from the Government Finance Officers Association.

9. NAMING OF DISTRICT FACILITIES

Recommendations:

- 1) Determine whether or not to name any Vista Irrigation District facilities after individuals who have had a substantial and important impact upon the Vista Irrigation District.*
- 2) If needed, appoint an ad hoc committee to work with staff to develop a policy governing the naming of specific Vista Irrigation District facilities and provide guidance to the ad hoc committee regarding the criteria and procedures to be contained in the policy.*

10. ALTA VISTA BOTANICAL GARDENS PARTICIPATION

Recommendations:

- 1) The District not become a member of the Alta Vista Botanical Gardens or sponsor a scarecrow for the Fall Fun Festival event.*
- 2) The District consider supporting an existing water education program/project at Alta Vista Botanical Gardens that compliments or enhances a service provided by the District.*

11. ASSOCIATION OF CALIFORNIA WATER AGENCIES BOARD OFFICERS' ELECTION FOR 2024-25 TERM

Recommendation: Cast Vista Irrigation District's ballot in the Association of California Water Agencies Board Officers' election for the 2024-25 term.

12. **ASSOCIATION OF CALIFORNIA WATER AGENCIES REGION 10 ELECTION FOR 2024-25 TERM**
Recommendation: Cast Vista Irrigation District's ballot in the Association of California Water Agencies Region 10 election for the 2024-25 term.
13. **MATTERS PERTAINING TO THE ACTIVITIES OF THE SAN DIEGO COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY**
Informational report by staff and Directors concerning the San Diego County Water Authority.
14. **MEETINGS AND EVENTS**
 - A. *Reports on meetings and events attended by Directors*
 - B. *Schedule of upcoming meetings and events*
15. **ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS AND/OR PRESS RELEASES**
This item is placed on the agenda to enable the Board to identify and schedule future items for discussion at upcoming Board meetings and/or identify press release opportunities.

16. **COMMENTS BY DIRECTORS**
This item is placed on the agenda to enable individual Board members to convey information to the Board and the public not requiring discussion or action.
17. **COMMENTS BY GENERAL COUNSEL**
Informational report by the General Counsel on items not requiring discussion or action.
18. **COMMENTS BY GENERAL MANAGER**
Informational report by the General Manager on items not requiring discussion or action.
19. **ADJOURNMENT**

- *The agenda package and materials related to an agenda item submitted after the packet's distribution to the Board are available for public review in the lobby of the District office during normal business hours.*
- *Agendas and minutes are available at www.vidwater.org.*
- *VID Board meetings are generally held on the first and third Wednesday of each month.*

AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING

I, Lisa R. Soto, Board Secretary of the Vista Irrigation District, hereby certify that I posted a copy of the foregoing agenda outside the lobby of the District office at 1391 Engineer Street, Vista, California at least 72 hours prior to the meeting, in accordance with Govt. Code Sec. 54954.2(a).

Date: July 27, 2023



Lisa R. Soto, Board Secretary