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# Minutes REGULAR MEETING Wednesday, December 18, 2019 4:00 p.m.

District Office, 11545 Brentwood Blvd., Brentwood, CA

CALL TO ORDER – The meeting was called to order at 4:00 p.m. by Chair Patricia Bristow.

#### **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**ROLL CALL** – *Present:* Chair Patricia Bristow, Trustees Barbara Guise and Deborah Spinola. *Staff Members present:* Interim District Manager Garcia Aurora Garcia.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS** – None.

**ADOPTION OF AGENDA** – It was moved by Guise, second by Spinola to adopt the agenda as presented. *Vote:* Ayes – Guise, Spinola and Bristow. Noes – 0.

**CORRESPONDENCE** - None

#### **CONSENT CALENDAR**

**MINUTES FOR APPROVAL** – It was moved by Bristow, second by Guise to approve these minutes as presented. *Vote:* Ayes – Bristow and Guise. Noes – 0.

**FINANCIAL APPROVAL OF WARRANTS** — It was moved by Guise, second by Spinola to approve these warrants as presented. *Vote:* Ayes — Guise, Spinola and Bristow. Noes -0.

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

- 1. **LAFCO Municipal Service Review/City of Oakley** Lou Ann Texeria, Executive Director of LAFCO provided an update and answered board members questions in regarding a possible SOI with the City of Oakley. Board members decided to table the discussion until next board meeting on Wednesday, January 15, 2020 for a final decision to this matter.
- 2. **District Property/Bloomfield** It was moved by Spinola, second by Guise to authorize Bristow to sign a new retainer agreement with Law Offices of David J. Larsen. *Vote:* Ayes-Spinola and Guise. Noes-0
- 3. Interviews for Temporary Assistant Manager Position It was moved by Spinola, second by Guise to change the Assistant Manager Position to a temporary full time position with a work schedule of Monday Friday from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm. *Vote:* Ayes-Spinola, Guise and Bristow. Noes-0

**CLOSED SESSION- (PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA GOVERNMENT CODE § 54956.9)** 

Closed Session began at 4:48 pm

Present: Chair Patricia Bristow, Trustee Barbara Guise and Trustee Deborah Spinola

A) ANTICIPATED LITIGATION

**OPEN SESSION- (PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA GOVERNMENT CODE § 54956.9)** 

The District returned to open session at 5:02 pm.

A) No reportable action taken.

## **NEW BUSINESS-DISCUSSION & POSSIBLE ACTION**

It was moved by Spinola, second by Guise to have regular board meetings every month on the third Wednesday of the month at 4:00 pm, rather than having them every third month. *Vote:* Ayes-Spinola, Guise and Bristow. Noes-0

It was moved by Spinola, second by Guise to appoint District Manager, Patricia Howard from Alamo-Lafayette Cemetery District to be a District Consultant with predetermined hours and days to work with and train Interim District Manager Garcia, Aurora Garcia. *Vote:* Ayes-Spinola, Guise and Bristow. Noes-0

It was moved by Guise, second by Spinola to approve Interim District Manager Garcia, to take classes to prepare for her role as District Manager. *Vote:* Ayes-Guise, Spinola and Bristow. Noes-0

It was moved by Spinola, second by Guise to authorize Interim District Manager Garcia to research and contract with Hugh Net for internet service.

## **COMMENTS FROM TRUSTEES**

SETTING AGENDA OF NEXT REGULAR MEETING – January 15, 2020 at Cemetery Office.

**ADJOURN**: This meeting was adjourned at 5:30 pm.