## STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD BOARD MEETING MINUTES MAY 15, 2012

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## **CALL TO ORDER**

Chairman Hoppin called the meeting to order on May 15, 2012 at 9:07 a.m. in the Coastal Hearing Room at the California Environmental Protection Agency Headquarters, 1001 I Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Sacramento, California.

#### **BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT**

Chairman Charlie Hoppin, Vice Chair Frances Spivy-Weber; Member Tam M. Doduc

#### **STAFF PRESENT**

Tom Howard, Executive Director
Michael Lauffer, Chief Counsel
Kim Niemeyer, Office of Chief Counsel
Anne Hartridge, Office of Chief Counsel
Jim Maughan, Division of Financial Assistance
Jule Rizzardo, Division of Financial Assistance
Daniel Newton, Division of Financial Assistance
Jim Kassel, Division of Water Rights
Kathie Smith, Office of Public Affairs
George Kostyrko, Office of Public Affairs

Caren Trgovcich, Chief Deputy Director Jeanine Townsend, Clerk to the Board Shahla Farahnak, Division of Water Quality Ken Harris, Division of Water Quality Patty Kouyoumdjian, Lahontan Regional Water Board Lauri Kemper, Lahontan Regional Water Board Mary Fiore-Wagner, Lahontan Regional Water Board Daniel Sussman, Lahontan Regional Water Board Richard Booth, Lahontan Regional Water Board Craig Wilson, Office of the Delta Watermaster

#### ANNOUNCEMENT

- Evacuation information in case the fire alarm goes off during the meeting.
- The Board meeting is being webcasted and recorded.

#### **BOARD MEETING**

Public comments on agenda items will be limited to 5 minutes or otherwise at the discretion of the Board Chairman

## **PUBLIC FORUM**

Any member of the public may address and ask questions of the Board relating to any matter within the State Water Board's jurisdiction provided the matter is not on the agenda, or pending before the State Water Resources Control Board or any California Regional Water Quality Control Board.

#### **Commenters**

Tim O'Laughlin, San Joaquin Tributaries Authority

## **BOARD BUSINESS**

1. The Board will consider adoption of the May 1, 2012 Board Meeting minutes.

#### No Action Taken - Deferred to future Board Meeting

2. Board Member Report.

### None

### **UNCONTESTED ITEM\* (Item 3)**

\*3. Consideration of a proposed Resolution to approve a Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF) Preliminary Funding Commitment for the <u>Valley Center Municipal Water District, Woods Valley Ranch Water Reclamation Facility Expansion</u>, CWSRF Project Nos. C-06-7454-110, 7454-120, & 7454-130.

**Motion:** Member Doduc moved to adopt the proposed Resolution.

Seconded by: Vice Chair Spivy-Weber MOTION CARRIED: (Resolution 2012-0017)

Aye: Chairman Hoppin

Vice Chair Spivy-Weber

Member Doduc

Nay: None Absent: None Abstain: None

#### **LAHONTAN REGIONAL WATER BOARD**

4. Consideration of a proposed Resolution approving an amendment to the Water Quality Control Plan for the Lahontan Region to replace the regionwide pesticide water quality objective with a regionwide pesticide waste discharge prohibition with exemption criteria for aquatic pesticide use. (Written comments were due on March 1, 2012 by 12:00 noon.) (Staff Presentation)

**Motion:** Chair Hoppin moved to adopt the proposed Resolution.

**Seconded by:** Vice Chair Spivy-Weber **MOTION CARRIED**: (Resolution 2012-0018)

Aye: Chairman Hoppin

Vice Chair Spivy-Weber

Member Doduc

Nay: None Absent: None Abstain: None

# **Commenters**

Ted Thayer, Tahoe Regional Planning Agency Madonna Dunbar, Tahoe Water Suppliers Association Joel Buettner, Placer Mosquito Vector Control District

#### **INFORMATIONAL ITEMS**

- 5. Presentation by NRDC on Volumetric Wastewater Pricing.
  - Comment Letters
  - Mr. Edward Osann with the Natural Resources Defense Council made the <u>presentation</u> to the Board.
  - The Board requested an update/report in six months.

#### **Commenters**

Roberta Larson, California Association of Sanitation Agencies Stan Dean, Sacramento Regional County Sanitation District

- 6. Update by the Office of Delta Watermaster on water issues within the Delta.
  - Mr. Craig Wilson presented his update to the Board.
- 7. Executive Director's Report.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

The Board adjourned at 11:30 a.m.

#### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION!!**

Unless otherwise specified, submittal of written comments <u>must be received by 12:00 p.m. on May 10, 2012</u>, <u>and will not be accepted after that time</u>.

Submittal of electronic Powerpoint presentations <u>must be received by 12:00 p.m. on May 10, 2012, and will not be</u> accepted after that time.

Submittals are to be sent via e-mail to the Clerk to the Board at <u>commentletters@waterboards.ca.gov</u>. Please indicate in the subject line, "5/15/2012 BOARD MEETING <u>(fill in bolded subject from appropriate item)</u>." If you have questions about the agenda, contact the Clerk to the Board at (916) 341-5600.

Agenda and items will be available electronically at: http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/board\_info/calendar/index.shtml

\* Items on the uncontested items calendar may be removed at the request of any Board member or person. If an item is removed from the uncontested items calendar, it will only be voted on at this meeting if the Board accepts the staff recommendation for the agenda item. Otherwise, the item will be continued to a subsequent board meeting to allow input by interested persons.

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