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REGULAR BOARD MEETING

EIGHT-HUNDRED THIRTIETH MEETING

Monday August 22, 2022—6:00 P.M.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Resource Conservation District of the Santa Monica Mountains will hold a meeting by video/teleconference, pursuant to Section 11123 of the Government Code and Executive Order N-29-20, issued by Governor Newsom on March 17, 2020. Pursuant to the Executive Order, District Directors need not participate from publicly accessible locations. Members of the public are able to listen to the meeting and provide comment at appropriate times by selecting this link:

<https://rcdsmm-org.zoom.us/j/84551918618?pwd=WVdSZzV5NVg3eUtSTDNsbGErcjBvdz09>.

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AGENDA

Information about, and copies of, supporting materials for agenda items are available for public review at the RCDSMM office by calling the Finance & Operations Officer at 818/597-8627 x102. A fee may be charged for copies.

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

3. PUBLIC COMMENTS

This is the time set aside for those wishing to address the Board on matters which fall under the Board's jurisdiction. If the matter you address is not on the agenda, Directors may not discuss or take action on comments made here except to put the matter on the agenda, at their discretion, for a future Board meeting. If the matter you address is already on the agenda, the Board will consider your comments when making their decision. Each commenter will have a time limit of three minutes.

4. MINUTES: Approval of minutes for meeting of July 25, 2022

5. MONTHLY CLAIMS AND FINANCIALS: Approval of Claims for July 2022 and review of financial reports through June 30 and July 31, 2022

6. REGULAR CALENDAR

- A. Approval of Resolution No. 2022-08-01: Proclaiming a local emergency exists, re-ratifying the proclamation of a state of emergency by executive order N-29-20, issued by Governor Newsom on March 17, 2020, and re-authorizing remote teleconference meetings of the legislative bodies of the RCDSMM for the period August 25, 2022 to Sep 26, 2022 pursuant to Brown Act provisions.

- B. Education Department year in review and plans for next year
 - C. Review and approval of fiscal year 2022-23 budget: Finance & Administration Committee report
 - D. Discussion: creation of an expanded Community Resilience Department
8. **USDA/NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE REPORT:** Summary of NRCS programs and activities by District Conservationist.
9. **INFORMATIONAL REPORTS:**
- A. Staff Reports for July 2022:
 - i. Clark Stevens, Executive Officer
 - ii. John Hendra, Finance & Operations Officer
 - iii. Rosi Dagit, Senior Conservation Biologist
 - iv. Marilyn Brody French, Education Supervisor
10. **DIRECTORS' COMMENTS/ANNOUNCEMENTS**
11. **CLOSED SESSION:** Personnel (Government Code Section 54957)—Executive Officer annual performance evaluation
12. **ADJOURNMENT**

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