ORANGE COUNTY WATER CONTROL & IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

NOTICE OF MEETING

Regular Meeting Agenda

December 12, 2022 - 5:30 pm

Orange County Water Control & Improvement District No. 1 Board Room 460 E Bolivar Street, Vidor, Texas

Frank Inzer	
Tim Beard	Vice President
Trey Haney	Secretary
Kelly Brewer	
Troy Taylor	Director
Chris Serres	General Manager
David LeJune	Operations Manager

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REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS

CALL MEETING TO ORDER ANNOUNCE THE PRESENCE OF A QUORUM INVOCATION AND PLEDGES MEETING AGENDA

- 1. Citizen comments.
- 2. Consideration and possible action regarding LJA Engineering, Inc. Monthly Status Report concerning ongoing District projects.
- 3. Consideration and possible action regarding approval of LJA Engineering, Inc. monthly invoices for District projects as listed: Invoice No. 202231940 in the amount of \$669.00 for Project No. B877-6282 General Services; Invoice No 202231952 in the amount of \$3,000.00 for Project No. 6560D Surplus Funds Sanitary Sewer System Improvements Project; Invoice No. 202231953 in the amount of \$2,500.00 for Project No. 6560E Surplus Funds Water and Sewer Service Extensions Project for a Grand Total of \$6,169.00.

- 4. Consideration and possible action regarding Payment Request #4 from MK Constructors in the amount of \$124,568.91 for the TWDB Project No. 73825 for the Lower Lift Station Restoration Project.
- 5. Consideration and possible action regarding Payment Request #5 from MK Constructors in the amount of \$21,154.89 for the TWDB Project No. 73825 for the Lower Lift Station Restoration Project.
- 6. Consideration and possible action approving **Resolution No. 12-2022** documenting that the Board of Directors has reviewed and approved with changes, if any, the Orange County Water Control & Improvement District No. 1's Investment Policy and Strategies in compliance with the Public Funds Investment Act Chapter 2256 of the Texas Government Code and find and declare that the meeting at which this resolution was adopted was open to the public, that the Public Notice of time, place and subject matter of the public business to be considered was posted as required by law.
- 7. Consideration and possible action **amending Resolution No. 07-2022** to read **Resolution 10-2022** approving an Engagement Agreement for Bond Counsel Legal Services with Norton, Rose, and Fulbright, US LLP, and other matters in connection therewith.
- 8. Consideration and possible action **amending Resolution No. 08-2022** to read **Resolution 11-2022** requesting financial assistance from the Texas Water Development Board for constructing various public improvements to the District's utility system; authorizing the District's Financial Advisors, Bond Counsel, and Engineers to coordinate the submission of one of more applications to the Texas Water Development Board; and other matters in connection therewith.
- 9. Consideration and possible action regarding a proposed Bank Depository Agreement between Orange County Water Control & Improvement District No. 1 and First Financial Bank.
- 10. Consideration and possible action regarding approval of Invoice 768835 in the amount of \$6,450.00 to Germer PLLC for legal services.
- 11. Consideration and possible action to approve an additional \$1,986.00 to the previously approved \$103,312.00 to Weisinger, Inc. for repairs to Well #5. The additional costs are for one new top special column and a new five shaft for Well No. 5.
- 12. Consideration of approval of a petition to enter an order to add land to the Water District concerning property described as being a 10.462-acre tract of land in a part of the John Davenport Survey Abstract Number 27 as recorded in Volume 150, Page 445, of the Deed Records of Orange County, Texas in the name of Rose Marie Luce, 1838 and 1840 Leigh Street, Vidor, Texas, 77662.
- 13. Consideration and possible action to approve an Agreement between Orange County Water Control & Improvement District No. 1 and Water Necessities, Inc. allowing for the disconnection of water service for unpaid sewer service as provided for in the Texas Administrative Code Chapter 24 Subchapter F(e)(1).
- 14. Consideration and possible action regarding approval/amendments of the minutes of the November 14, 2022, Regular Board Meeting.

- 15. Consideration and possible action to move the January Board Meeting to the 4th Monday of the month, January 23, 2023, due to the third Monday of the month, January 16, 2023, being a Federal Holiday and the District Offices will be closed.
- 16. Consideration and possible action regarding the General Manager's monthly status and financial report.
- 17. Consideration and possible action regarding payment of the District's monthly bills.
- 18. Board Member comments.
- 19. Adjournment.

RESERVATION OF RIGHT TO CONVENE IN EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Board of Directors of the Orange County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 reserves the right to meet in a closed executive session on any agenda item listed above on this notice should the need arise and a statutory exception exists under Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, commonly known as the Texas Open Meetings Act, at the date, hour, and place given in this Notice; and, before any closed meeting is convened, the presiding officer will publicly identify the subject to be considered in the closed meeting and the section or sections of Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code authorizing such closed meeting. All final votes, actions, and decisions will be taken in a reconvened open meeting.

Posted this the <u>8</u> day of December 2022 at <u>9.30</u> o'clock <u>A.M.</u> in the lobby and on the front door of the Administrative Office of said District.

Chris Serres, General Manager

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