# STEGE SANITARY DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING OF JULY 7, 2022 TIME OF MEETING: 7:00 P.M. DISTRICT BOARD ROOM, 7500 SCHMIDT LANE, EL CERRITO, CA

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*MINUTES \*\*\*\*\*\*

I. Call To Order: President Merrill called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

**II. Roll Call:** Present: Christian-Smith\*, Gilbert-Snyder\*, Miller\*,

O'Keefe\*, Merrill

Absent: None

Others Present: Rex Delizo, District Manager

\*via video-conference

**Agenda Items:** Directors and Officers of the Board did not announce any conflicts of interest posed by items on the meeting agenda.

III. Public Comment: There was no public comment.

### IV. Approval of Minutes

A. Approval of June 16, 2022 Board Meeting Minutes

MOTION: By Gilbert-Snyder, seconded by O'Keefe, to approve the minutes of the June 16, 2022 Board Meeting, as corrected

VOTE: AYES: Christian-Smith, Gilbert-Snyder, Miller, O'Keefe,

Merrill

NOES: None ABSTAIN: None ABSENT: None

### V. Communications

### A. Oral Communications

1. <u>Brief reports from Directors on matters related to the District, including</u> attendance at city or community meetings

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### a. July 4<sup>th</sup> Festival Debrief

Directors Gilbert-Snyder, Miller, O'Keefe, and Merrill each gave a report of their experience staffing the District booth at the 4th of July Fair. The Board thanked staff for all the help they provided for the event.

### b. City & Community Meetings

There were no reports.

### B. Written Communications

1. <u>CASA 2022 President's Memo/Designation of Representative</u>
The Board reviewed and discussed the items proposed by CASA.

MOTION: By Miller, seconded by Gilbert-Snyder, to:

- a. Approve the slate of four nominees for the available seats on the CASA Board of Directors,
- b. Approve the 2023 CASA Annual Membership Dues Resolution No. 22-212,
- c. Designate Merrill as the official CASA voting representative with Delizo and Gilbert-Snyder as the two alternates who are authorized to exercise the District's CASA voting rights
- d. Approve consent to transmit official CASA communications electronically rather than regular mail

VOTE: AYES: Christian-Smith, Gilbert-Snyder, Miller, O'Keefe,

Merrill

NOES: None ABSTAIN: None ABSENT: None

### VI. Reports of Staff and Officers

A. Manager's Report

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- Incentive Award Contribution (IAC) Achievements for FY 2021-2022
   <u>with Supporting Documentation</u>
   The Manager reported on the supporting documentation for the IAC
- 2. <u>2022 California Association of Sanitation Agencies (CASA) Conferences</u>
  The Manager reported on the upcoming CASA conference.
- 3. <u>2022 California Special Districts Association (CSDA) Conference</u> The Manager reported on the upcoming CSDA conference.

### VII. Business

award.

- A. Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) Policy
  - The Board discussed the draft policy and asked staff to bring the item back with minor changes at a future Board meeting.
- B. Environmentally Preferable Procurement Policy
  The Board discussed the draft policy and asked staff to bring the item back with minor changes at a future Board meeting.
- C. Resolution No. 2199-0722 Finding that there is a Proclaimed State of Emergency; Finding that Meeting in Person Would Present Imminent Risks to the Health or Safety of Attendees as a Result of the State of Emergency; and Authorizing Remote Teleconferenced Meetings of the Stege Sanitary District for the 30 Day Period Beginning July 7 Pursuant to AB 361
  The Board approved the resolution to make necessary findings to continue to meet remotely pursuant to Assembly Bill 361.

MOTION: By Christian-Smith, seconded by Miller, to approve Resolution No. 2199-0722 Finding that there is a Proclaimed State of Emergency; Finding that Meeting in Person Would Present Imminent Risks to the Health or Safety of Attendees as a Result of the State of Emergency; and Authorizing Remote Teleconferenced Meetings of the Stege Sanitary District for the 30 Day Period Beginning July 7 Pursuant to AB 361

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NOES: Merrill ABSTAIN: None ABSENT: None

### D. Kids for the Bay – Watershed Action Program (WAP)

The Board discussed and approved funding of the program for the 2022-23 school year.

MOTION: By Miller, seconded by Christian-Smith, to approve \$12,000 to fund the KIDS for the BAY Watershed Action Program (WAP) for the 2022-23 School Year

VOTE: AYES: Christian-Smith, Gilbert-Snyder, Miller, O'Keefe,

Merrill

NOES: None ABSTAIN: None ABSENT: None

### VIII. Approval of Checks

### A. Checks for July 7, 2022 - Fund No. 3418 & 3423

MOTION: By Gilbert-Snyder, seconded by O'Keefe, to pay the bills, Check Nos. 27671 through 27723 in the amount of \$218,219.21

VOTE: AYES: Christian-Smith, Gilbert-Snyder, Miller, O'Keefe,

Merrill

NOES: None ABSTAIN: None ABSENT: None

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### IX. Future Agenda Items

### July 21, 2022

CLOSED SESSION - Quarterly Claims Report

Public Hearing/Resolution – Establish and Collect Sewer Service Charges

Public Hearing/Ordinance – Directors Meeting Compensation

Resolution – Notice of Completion

**District Investment Policy** 

Reimbursement Report per Gov. Code 53065.5

**Quarterly Financial Statements** 

Candidate Filing Period

San Pablo Avenue Specific Plan Area Status Report

**CASA** Conference

**CSDA** Conference

Form 470

+AB 361 – 30 Day Virtual Meeting Extension

### August 18, 2022

Quarterly (FY End) Financial Statements

Connection Charge Report per Gov. Code 66013

CASA Conference – Attendee Reports

CSDA Conference

+AB 361 – 30 Day Virtual Meeting Extension

### X. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 8:26 P.M. The next meeting of the District Board of Directors will be held on Thursday, July 21, 2022 at 7:00 P.M. at the District Board Room, 7500 Schmidt Lane, El Cerrito, California

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Rex Delizo
STEGE SANITARY DISTRICT
Secretary