

AGENDA

BOARD OF DIRECTORS EASTERN KERN AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT

Regular Meeting
Thursday, January 16, 2020
2:00 P.M.

Location: Tehachapi Police Department Community Room
220 West "C" Street, Tehachapi, CA

Ridgecrest County Building
400 N. China Lake Blvd. Ridgecrest, CA

DISTRICT TO RECONVENE

DIRECTORS: Parris, Scrivner, Gleason, Mower and Davies

ROLL CALL

SALUTE TO FLAG

CONSENT AGENDA/OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT: All items listed with a (-CA) are consent items and considered routine and noncontroversial by District staff. Consent items will be considered first and may be approved by one motion if no member of the Board or public wishes to comment or ask questions. If comment or discussion is desired by anyone, the item will be removed from the consent agenda and will be considered in listed sequence with an opportunity for any member of the public to address the Board concerning the item before action is taken.

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS SHOWN IN CAPS AFTER EACH ITEM

- 1) Selection of Chairman and Vice Chairman

PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS

- 2) This portion of the meeting is reserved for persons to address the Board on any matter not on this agenda but under jurisdiction of the Board. Board members may respond briefly to statements made or questions posed. They may ask questions for clarification; make referrals to staff for information or request staff to report to the Board at a later meeting. In addition, the Board may take action to direct staff to place a matter of business on a future agenda. **SPEAKERS ARE LIMITED TO TWO MINUTES. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME BEFORE MAKING YOUR PRESENTATION. THANK YOU.**

BOARD MEMBER PRESENTATIONS OR ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 3) On their own initiative, Board members may make brief announcements or brief reports on their own activities. They may ask questions for clarification, make referrals to staff or take action to have staff place a matter of business on a future agenda [Gov. Code Sec. 54954.2(a)].

DISTRICT REQUESTS

- 4-CA) Proposed Agreement with Mojave Unified School District to provide \$110,000 from AB 1550 Community Air Protection (CAP) funds for a new school bus – APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE CHAIRMAN TO SIGN AGREEMENT NO. 01-001-2020 WITH MOJAVE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE PURCHASE OF A NEW SCHOOL BUS.
- 5-CA) Proposed Amendment to Agreement to 01-001-2018 with American Ecotech, LLC to provide web access support for solar facilities air monitoring – APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE CHAIRMAN TO SIGN AGREEMENT NO. 01-002-2020a WITH AMERICAN ECOTECH, LLC.
- 6-CA) Proposed Amendment to Agreement 07-003-2019 with Trillium USA Company, LLC, requesting updated language to original agreement – APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE CHAIRMAN TO SIGN AGREEMENT NO. 01-003-2020a WITH TRILLIUM USA.
- 7-CA) Proposed Agreement with Greer’s Banner Air to provide services for the wood stove replacement program utilizing Woodsmoke Reduction Grant Funds – APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE CHAIRMAN TO SIGN AGREEMENT NO. 01-004-2020 WITH GREER’S BANNER AIR.
- 8-CA) Proposed Agreement with Hafenfeld Ranch, LLC utilizing FARMER Program Grant Funds for loader replacement – APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE CHAIRMAN TO SIGN AGREEMENT NO. 01-005-2020 WITH HAFENFELD RANCH, LLC.
- 9-CA) District Staff Cost of Living Salary Adjustment - APPROVE COST OF LIVING SALARY ADJUSTMENT OF 10% FOR DISTRICT STAFF, EXCLUDING APCO; ADJUSTMENT WOULD BRING RANGES FOR AIR QUALITY ENGINEER I (AQE) FROM 64.7 TO 66.7, AQE II FROM 67.7 TO 69.7 AND AQE III FROM 69.7 TO 71.7; AIR QUALITY SPECIALIST I (AQS) SALARY RANGES FROM 60.4 TO 62.4, AQS II FROM 62.4 TO 64.4 AND SENIOR AQS FROM 64.4 TO 66.4; AIR QUALITY ADMINISTRATIVE MANAGER SALARY RANGE FROM 66.1 TO 68.1 AND AIR QUALITY SUPPORT SPECIALISTS’ SALARY RANGE FROM 53.1 TO 55.1, EFFECTIVE JANUARY 20, 2020, AND REFER TO KERN COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR CORRESPONDING AMENDMENT OF SALARY ORDINANCES.

- 10-CA) California Air Resources Board Funding Agricultural Replacement Measures for Emissions Reductions (FARMER) Grant Program for California State Fiscal Year 2019-2020 – ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 2020-001-01 REQUESTING \$350,760 IN FARMER FUNDS; AUTHORIZE APCO TO SUBMIT COMPLETED APPLICATION; SIGN THE AWARD LETTER; AND DO ALL OTHER ACTS NECESSARY TO RESERVE AND RECEIVE STATE FISCAL YEAR 2019-2020 FARMER FUNDS.

MATTERS FOR EXECUTIVE APPROVAL

- 11-CA) Summary of Proceedings for Meeting of November 7, 2019 – APPROVE AND FILE.

DOCUMENTS FOR FILINGS

- 12-CA) List of Regulatory Control Measures to be considered for Amendment or Adoption During 2020 - RECEIVE AND FILE.
- 13-CA) DISTRICT Notice of Violation's update – RECEIVE AND FILE.

DISTRICT UPDATES

- 14) APCO Report (Verbal)

ADJOURN TO THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 2020, 2:00 PM, REGULAR BOARD SESSION AT TEHACHAPI POLICE DEPARTMENT COMMUNITY CENTER, 220 WEST “C” STREET, TEHACHAPI, CA.

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