

BOARD OF DIRECTORS EAST BAY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT

375 - 11th Street, Oakland, CA 94607

Office of the Secretary: (510) 287-0440

AGENDA <u>REGULAR CLOSED SESSION</u> Tuesday, January 23, 2024 11:00 a.m. Boardroom 375 11th Street Oakland, CA 94607

Director Marguerite Young will participate via teleconference from The Sonder the Windfield Hotel 406 West 7th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90014

*****Please see appendix for public participation instructions**

ROLL CALL:

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLOSED SESSION AGENDA:

- 1. Existing litigation pursuant to Government Code section 54956.9(a):
 - a. Ana Doris Quiros and Ana Doris Orellana Vda de Quiros v. East Bay Municipal Utility District Contra Costa County Superior Court, Case No. MSC19-01530
 - b. *Regina Frazier v. East Bay Municipal District, et al.* Alameda County Superior Court, Case No. RG20079752
- 2. Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to Government Code section 54956.9(d)(2): one matter.
- 3. Initiation of litigation pursuant to Government Code section 54956.9(d)(4): one matter.

(The Board will discuss Closed Session agenda items in Conference Room 8.)

REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING 1:15 p.m.

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ROLL CALL:

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

• 2024 Board Assignments for Committees, Joint Powers Authorities and Associations

ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM CLOSED SESSION:

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CONSENT CALENDAR: (Single motion and vote approving 12 recommendations including 1 resolution)

- 1. File correspondence with the Board.
- 2. Award a contract beginning on or after January 23, 2024 to the lowest responsive/responsible bidder, Carbon Supply Inc., for supplying activated carbon for the District's Main Wastewater Treatment Plant for one year, with two options to renew for additional one-year periods for a total cost, after the addition of taxes, including option years, not to exceed \$569,751 under Request for Quotation No. 2401.
- 3. Award a sole source contract beginning on or after January 23, 2024 to G3 Engineering Inc., for supplying one Morris replacement pump for the Main Wastewater Treatment Plant Returned Activated Sludge system for a total cost, after the addition of taxes, not to exceed \$295,000.
- 4. Award a sole source contract beginning on or after January 23, 2024 to MISCO Water for supplying a fixed acid feed system for the Camanche South Shore Water Treatment Plant for a total cost, after the addition of taxes, not to exceed \$141,741.
- 5. Authorize an agreement beginning on or after January 23, 2024 with Carollo Engineers, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$11,215,126 for pre-design services for the Walnut Creek Water Treatment Plant Pretreatment Project.
- 6. Authorize an agreement beginning on or after January 23, 2024 with Peralta Colleges Foundation for \$465,000 for three years, with one option to renew for an additional two-year period for a total amount, including option years, not to exceed \$775,000 to cover administrative costs and provide stipends to District interns participating in a variety of internship programs as guided by the long-term workforce development strategy.

CONSENT CALENDAR: (Continued)

- 7. Authorize an 87-month lease with Senator Seagate, LP, commencing on March 1, 2024, for a 2,183 square foot office suite in the Senator Building located at 1121 L St Suite 809, Sacramento, CA 95814. The term of the lease is March 1, 2024, through May 31, 2031. The base monthly rent is \$7,968 with an annual three percent increase beginning one year after the lease commences.
- 8. Authorize the Office of General Counsel to continue the employment of the law firm of Liebert Cassidy Whitmore for specialized legal services related to labor and employment law and litigation matters in an additional amount not to exceed \$75,000.
- 9. Authorize an amendment to the contract previously awarded under Board Motion No. 066-23 with Fluid Conservation Systems Inc. to increase the contract amount by \$281,535 to a total amount not to exceed \$428,177 for supplying handheld leak detection equipment.
- 10. Authorize an amendment to the agreement previously authorized under Board Motion No. 059-23 with Cupertino Electric, Inc. to increase the total amount of the agreement by \$250,000 for a total amount not to exceed \$600,000 for as-needed electrical maintenance for wastewater facilities.
- 11. Approve the November and December 2023 Monthly Investment Transactions Reports.
- 12. Authorize an application to the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation to include an annexation of two adjacent parcels located at 4949 Happy Valley Road in unincorporated Lafayette into the District's Central Valley Project Contractor's Service Area. (Resolution)

DETERMINATION AND DISCUSSION:

- 13. Adopt a resolution to confirm the following Standby Officers for the East Bay Municipal Utility District Board of Directors for Calendar Year 2024. (Resolution)
 - Ward No. 1 1) Vacant; 2) Linda Jackson-Whitmore; 3) Lynelle Lewis
 - Ward No. 2 1) Dennis Diemer; 2) Carol June Rowley; 3) Robert Dean
 - Ward No. 3 1) Vacant; 2) Crystal Zermeno; 3) Vacant
 - Ward No. 4 1) Margo Schueler; 2) Vacant; 3) Helen Burke
 - Ward No. 5 1) Heinrich Albert; 2) James C. Prola; 3) Ronald Stork
 - Ward No. 6 1) Vacant; 2) Jose Guzman; 3) Vacant
 - Ward No. 7-1) Katharine G. Wellman; 2) Vacant; 3) Gregory Chan

DETERMINATION AND DISCUSSION: (Continued)

- 14. Take actions related to the issuance of Water System and Wastewater System Revenue Bonds and Water System Revenue Refunding Bonds. (Resolutions)
 - 14.1. Authorize and approve the issuance of Water System Revenue Bonds, Series 2024A and Water System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2024B in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$525 million and approve the form and authorize the execution of certain documents, including Supplemental Indentures, in connection with the issuance, securing and sale of such bonds.
 - 14.2. Authorize and approve the issuance of Wastewater System Revenue Bonds, Series 2024A in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$30 million and approve the form and authorize the execution of certain documents, including Supplemental Indentures, in connection with the issuance, securing and sale of such bonds.
- 15. General Manager's Report.
 - Water Supply Update Water production; precipitation to date; reservoir storage; and forecasted supply conditions for the remainder of water year 2024
 - Nutrient Discharge Compliance Update
 - Service Award Recipients October through December 2023
 - 2023 Interdepartmental Committees Annual Reports

REPORTS AND DIRECTOR COMMENTS:

- 16. Committee Reports:
 - Finance/Administration
 - Planning
 - Legislative/Human Resources
- 17. Other Items for Future Consideration.
- 18. Director Comments.

ADJOURNMENT:

The next Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors will be held at 1:15 p.m. on Tuesday, February 13, 2024.

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BOARD CALENDAR Meeting dates, times, and locations are subject to change

Date	Meeting	Time/Location	Topics
Tuesday, January 23	Finance/Administration Committee	8:30 a.m. Boardroom	 Monthly Investment Transactions Reports Quarterly Payroll, Disbursement and Real Estate Summary Reports for the Water and Wastewater Systems and Quarterly Investment Report for Quarter Ended December 31, 2023 EBMUD Series 2024A and 2024B Water System Revenue Bonds EBMUD Series 2024A Wastewater System Revenue Bonds
	Climate Action Plan Workshop	9:30 a.m. Boardroom	
	Board of Directors	11:00 a.m. Boardroom 1:15 p.m. Boardroom	Closed SessionRegular Meeting
Monday, February 12	Lincoln's Birthday Holiday Observed		Offices Closed
Tuesday, February 13	Planning Committee	TBD Boardroom	
	Legislative/Human Resources Committee	TBD Boardroom	
	Board of Directors	11:00 a.m. Boardroom 1:15 p.m. Boardroom	Closed SessionRegular Meeting
Monday, February 19	Presidents Day Holiday Observed		Offices Closed
Tuesday, February 27	Finance/Administration Committee	TBD Boardroom	
	2024 Recycled Water Strategic Plan Update Workshop	TBD Boardroom	
	Board of Directors	11:00 a.m. Boardroom 1:15 p.m. Boardroom	Closed SessionRegular Meeting
2023 Board Committee Members			
	Finance/Administration Legislative/Human Resources Planning Sustainability	Patterson {Chair}, Chan, Coleman McIntosh{Chair}, Coleman, Patterson Linney {Chair}, McIntosh, Young Young {Chair}, Katz, Linney	



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- Each speaker is allotted 3 minutes to speak; the Board President has the discretion to amend this time based on the number of speakers
- The Secretary will track time and inform each speaker when the allotted time has concluded
- Comments on non-agenda items will be heard at the beginning of the meeting
- Comments on agenda items will be heard when the item is up for consideration
- The Secretary will call each speaker in the order received

In person

• Fill out and submit a blue speaker card which is available in the meeting room

<u>Via Zoom</u>

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