# TWAIN HARTE COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT Board of Directors Regular Meeting via Teleconference due to COVID-19 December 9, 2020

<u>CALL TO ORDER:</u> President Mannix called the meeting to order at 09:04 a.m. The following Directors, Staff, and Community Members were present:

#### **DIRECTORS:**

Director McManus Director Mannix Director Knudson Director deGroot Director Sipperley

### **STAFF:**

Tom Trott, General Manager Carolyn Higgins, Finance Officer Neil Gamez, Fire Chief Kim Silva, Administrative Coordinator/ Board Secretary Robb Perry, Operations Manager

**AUDIENCE:** 3 Attendees.

# **PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDIZED ITEMS:**

Carol Hallett reported on CERT activities for the month.

### **COMMUNICATIONS:**

A. None.

### **CONSENT AGENDA:**

- A. Presentation and approval of financial statements through November 30, 2020.
- B. Approval of the minutes of the Regular Meeting held on November 12, 2020.
- C. Submittal of Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Employee Reimbursement Disclosure Report per Government Code Section 53065.5.

MOTION: Director Sipperley made a motion to accept the consent agenda in its

entirety.

SECOND: Director deGroot

AYES: Mannix, Knudson, deGroot, McManus, Sipperley

NOES: None ABSTAIN:

### **OLD BUSINESS**

A. None.

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

A. Discussion/action to adopt a COVID-19 Prevention Program (CPP) per Cal/OSHA emergency regulations and authorize the General Manager to make revisions and updates as needed to comply with changing regulations and best practices.

MOTION: Director McManus made a motion to adopt a COVID-19 Prevention Program (CPP) per Cal/OSHA emergency regulations and authorized the General Manager to make revisions and updates as needed to comply with changing regulations and best practices.

SECOND: Director deGroot

AYES: Mannix, deGroot, McManus, Sipperley, Knudson

NOES: None ABSTAIN:

B. Discussion/action to adopt Resolution #20-33 – Adoption of the Tuolumne Stanislaus Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM) Plan.

MOTION: Director Sipperley made a motion to adopt Resolution #20-33 - Adoption of the Tuolumne Stanislaus Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM) Plan.

**SECOND: Director Mannix** 

AYES: Mannix, deGroot, McManus, Sipperley, Knudson

NOES: None ABSTAIN:

C. Discussion/action Discussion/action to adopt Resolution #20-34 – Approval of Tuolumne Public Power Agency (TPPA) Joint Powers Agreement Amendments.

MOTION: Director Sipperley made a motion to adopt Resolution #20-34 – Approval of Tuolumne Public Power Agency (TPPA) Joint Powers Agreement Amendments.

SECOND: Director Knudson

AYES: Mannix, deGroot, McManus, Sipperley, Knudson

NOES: None ABSTAIN:

D. Discussion/action of approval of 2021 Board and Committee Calendar.

MOTION: Director McManus made a motion to approve option two of the 2021

 ${\it Board\ and\ Committee\ Calendar.}$ 

SECOND: Director deGroot

AYES: Mannix, deGroot, McManus, Sipperley, Knudson

NOES: None ABSTAIN:

E. Discussion/action regarding implementation of a District Wellness Program.

General Manager Trott discussed ideas for different options for District Wellness Program, including a trial period of 4-6 weeks. The board gave direction to GM Trott to move forward with trial and check in at future meeting with results of trial to decide if it is worth an investment.

F. Discussion/action regarding Annual Board self-evaluation of performance and identification of improvement opportunities.

The Board discussed self-evaluation process and identified areas for improvement opportunities for the coming year.

G. Appointment of Board President and Vice President for the 2021 calendar year.

MOTION: Director deGroot made a motion to appoint Director Sipperley as the Board President for the 2021 calendar year.

SECOND: Director Knudson

AYES: Mannix, deGroot, McManus, Sipperley, Knudson

NOES: None ABSENT:

MOTION: Director McManus made a motion to appoint Director deGroot as the

Board Vice President for the 2021 calendar year.

**SECOND: Director Mannix** 

AYES: Mannix, deGroot, McManus, Sipperley, Knudson

NOES: None ABSENT:

## **REPORTS:**

### President and Board member reports.

A verbal summary was provided by Director Sipperley.

#### **Committee Reports**

A verbal summary of the written report was provided.

## Water/Sewer/Park Operations Report Provided by Operations Manager Perry

- A verbal summary of the written report was provided.

### Fire Chief Report by Chief Gamez

A verbal summary of the written report was provided.

### **General Manager Report Provided by General Manager Trott**

A verbal summary of the written report was provided.

#### **ADJOURNMENT:**

The meeting was adjourned at 10:36 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kimberly Silva, Board Secretary

Gary Sipperley, President