Date & Time: 11/21/2025 | 9:30 AM

Location: SLDMWA Boardroom

# Notice of Grassland Basin Drainage Steering Committee Regular Meeting

842 6th Street, Los Banos, California

### **Telephonic Participation**

Conference Call Dial-in: 1-623-600-3769 Conference Code: 518817

NOTE: Any member of the public may address the Water Resources Committee/Board concerning any item on the agenda before or during consideration of that item.

Because the notice provides for a regular meeting of the Water Resources Committee ("WRC") and a joint regular WRC Meeting/Special Board workshop, Board Directors/Alternates may discuss items listed on the agenda; however, only WRC Members/Alternates may correct or add to the agenda or vote on action items.

NOTE FURTHER: Meeting materials have been made available to the public on the San Luis & Delta-Mendota Water Authority's website, <a href="https://www.sldmwa.org">https://www.sldmwa.org</a>, and at the Los Banos Administrative Office, 842 6th Street, Los Banos, CA 93635.

# **Agenda**

Item Topic Lead

- 1. Call to Order/Roll Call
- 2. Grassland Basin Drainage Steering Committee to Consider Additions and Corrections to the Agenda, as Authorized by Government Code Section 54950 et seq.
- 3. Opportunity for Public Comment Any member of the public may address the Grassland Basin Drainage Steering Committee concerning any matter not on the agenda, but within the Committee jurisdiction. Public comment is limited to no more than three minutes per person. For good cause, the Chair of the Grassland Basin Drainage Steering Committee may waive this limitation.

#### **ACTION ITEMS**

- 4. Approval of September 19, 2025 Meeting Minutes
- 5. Committee to Consider Acceptance of the Financial Report



6. Committee to Consider Recommendation to Board of Directors to Approve Agreement to Assign Operation and Maintenance Services Associated with the Grassland Bypass Project Between Panoche Drainage District and Grassland Basin Authority.

## **REPORT ITEMS**

- 7. Committee to Receive Report on Draft Fiscal Year 2026-27 Budget
- 8. Committee to Receive Report on the Mud Slough Restoration Program
- 9. Committee to Receive Report on the Status of the Prop 84 Grant Program
- **10.** Grassland Bypass Project Updates
  - a. Operations Report
  - b. Monitoring Program and Toxicity Data Report
- **11.** Update on Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharge to Groundwater, Grassland Drainage Area Coalition
  - a. Nitrogen Management Zone Plan Valley Water Collaborative; Delta-Mendota Advisory Committee
- **12.** Reports from District Representatives
- **13.** Reports on Other Items Pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(a)(3)
- **14.** Date and Time of Next Meeting
- **15.** Closed Session

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL on Existing Litigation Pursuant to Paragraph (1) Subdivision (d) of Government Code Section 54956.9

- A. Pacific Coast Federation of Fishermen's Associations (PCFFA), et al. v. Nickels, et al., U.S. District Court, E.D. Cal., Case No. 2:11-cv-02980; 9th Cir. Case No. 23-15599 (GBP Citizen Suit)
- B. Conference with Legal Counsel Anticipated Litigation Pursuant to Subdivision (a) and Paragraphs 2 or 3 of Subdivision (d) of Government Code Section 54956.9 (1 potential case) or Paragraph 4 of Subdivision (d) of Government Code Section 54956.9 (1 potential case)
- **16.** Return to Open Session
- 17. Report from Closed Session, if any, Required by Government Code Section 54957.1
- **18.** ADJOURNMENT



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