

BIGHORN-DESERT VIEW WATER AGENCY

"To provide a high quality supply of water and reliable service to all customers at a fair and reasonable rate."

Finance/Public Relations/Education and Personnel Standing Committee Meeting Minutes

Committee Members: Director McKenzie & Director Dicht

BOARD MEETING OFFICE 1720 N. CHEROKEE TR. LANDERS, CALIFORNIA 92284 November 17, 2021 Time – 4:00 P.M.

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CALL TO ORDER

Chair McKenzie called the meeting to order at 4:10pm

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Cindy Byerrum led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

Directors Present:

Chair McKenzie

Director Dicht

Staff Present:

Marina West

Cindy Byerrum, CPA, Eide Bailley

Public Present: 0 member(s) of the public indicated they were participating via teleconference. 0 members of the public were present in the meeting room.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Director McKenzie and Director Dicht approved the Agenda as presented.

Discussion and Action Items

1. Review and Input on Draft Financial Reserve Policy

GM West introduced Cindy Byerrum, CPA, agency financial consultant who gave a presentation on reserve policies. Following the presentation, Ms. Byerrum reviewed the draft reserve policy proposed for the Agency.

The proposed policy was reviewed and discussed. Committee agreed to move the item to the full Board.

- 2. Review COVID Prevention Program for Bighorn-Desert View Water Agency Employees GM West gave a PowerPoint presentation summarizing the COVID-19 Cal/OSHA compliance policy.
- 3. PARS 115 Pension Rate Stabilization Program Review as of August 31, 2021 GM West reviewed the one-year status of the PARS 115 Trust.
- 4. Consent Items
 - a. FPREP Committee Meeting Minutes July 21, 2021
 - **b.** PARS Monthly Statements for June, July, August and September 2021 Recommended Action: Approve as presented (Items a-b):

No Public Comment.

Committee Members approved the Consent items as presented.

5. Public Comment Period

None

- **6. Verbal Reports** Including Reports on Courses/Conferences/Meetings.
 - 1. Committee Members' Comments/Reports Dir. Dicht asked to agendize a discussion on Public Relations and outreach goals for the coming year.
 - 2. General Manager's Report GM West reported opportunities for funding through the Emergency Drought funds.
- 7. Adjournment Vice President McKenzie adjourned the meeting at approximately 5:49 pm.

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Approved by:

Marie McKenzie, Committee Chai

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