



**Lower Tule River Irrigation District Board of Directors  
and  
Lower Tule River Irrigation District Board of Directors sitting as Groundwater  
Sustainability Agency Governing Board  
Agenda  
Meeting  
July 13, 2021  
9:00 a.m.**

**In accordance with the Governor’s Executive Order (N-29-20) and the declared State of Emergency, including social distancing directives as a result of the threat of the COVID-19 virus, there will not be a physical location for members of the public to participate in the meeting. Members of the public may participate in the meeting in the following way:**

**1. Phone: ZOOM MEETING TELECONFERENCE: 1-669-900-6833 MEETING ID 867 2790 7588, MEETING PASSWORD 350393**

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## **Open Session**

### **GENERAL ADMINISTRATION:**

- a) Agenda Approval – **Action Item**
- b) Minutes of June 8, 2021 Regular meeting – **Action Item**
- c) Minutes of June 8, 2021 GSA meeting – **Action Item**

Board will review and take appropriate action on each item as necessary.

#### Public Comment

*Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.3, members of the public may directly address the members of the Board of Directors on any item of interest to the public within the Board of Director's subject matter jurisdiction before or during the Board of Director's consideration of the item. Public comment times may be limited to three minutes each at the discretion of the Chair.*

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**LTRID GSA - Sustainable Groundwater Management Act**

- a. GSP implementation
- b. SGMA MOU Group activity update

**LOWER TULE RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT**

**WATER RESOURCES**

- a) Current Declaration / Water Supply Update
  - i. Monthly water delivery report
    - 1. Current water run/rates
  - ii. CVC water deliveries & contract conversion

**FRIANT WATER AUTHORITY:**

- Friant Kern Canal O&M – subsidence, water quality, pumpback, CVPIA True-up

**DISTRICT OPERATIONS:**

- a) Construction / Operations / Maintenance
  - Updates
  - Riparian area pipeline project
- b) Administrative
  - i. 2020 Audited Financial Report – **Action Item**
  - ii. Financial Strategy/218 election
    - Landowner meetings
  - iii. Financial Statements– **Action Item**
  - iv. Accounts Payable **Action Item**
    - Approve the actions of the Finance Committee in the payment of the June Bills

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**TULE RIVER ASSOCIATION:**

a)SPP

b)SREP

- Project update
- Public hearing – Resolution of Necessity – APN 284-670-004
  - Resolution 2021-7-1 – **Action Item**

**MISC. AGENCIES AND AUTHORITIES**

a) DCTRA

**CLOSED SESSION**

a) Legal

a) Pending Litigation (Closed Session)

i. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL—PENDING OR THREATENED LITIGATION in accordance with Government Code Section 54956.9(B) (one potential case)

ii. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL--EXISTING LITIGATION (Pursuant to Paragraph (1) of subdivision (d) of GC Section 54956.9): (4 Cases)

- Name of case: City of Fresno et. al. v. United States (2014 & 2015 Water Year claims)
- Name of Case: NRDC v. United States
- Name of Case: Friant Water Supply Protection Assoc. v. Del Puerto Water District et. al.
- Name of case: Rosedale Water Storage District et.al. v. Kern County Water Agency et.al.
- Center for Biological Diversity, et. al. vs. United States Bureau of Reclamation, et.al.

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b) Personnel - Possible adjournment to executive session to confer on employee related matters in accordance with Government Code Section 54957 (Brown Act)



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- c) Real Property - Possible adjournment to executive session to confer on Real Property Negotiations in accordance with Government Code Section 54956.8 (Brown Act).
  - 1. District Negotiator: General Manager Eric Limas
    - a. APNs:284-460-014, 284-341-001, 284-770-004, 284-560-014
    - b. APNs:284-670-001,284-670-003,284-030-013,284-450-020,284-450-025,284-450-043
    - c. Other negotiations if necessary

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