

# MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE PIXLEY IRRIGATION DISTRICT GROUNDWATER SUSTAINIBILITY AGENCY

The Board of Directors of the Pixley Irrigation District, sitting as the GSA governing board, convened a meeting on September 9, 2021, at 9:00 a.m. The meeting was called to order by President JUNIO. It was determined the following Directors were present:

Director Div.3

Randy Parreira

Director Div.2

Bill DeGroot - ABSENT

Director Div.5

Frank Junio

Director Div. 1

Neal Westbrook

Director Div.4

Rusty Schott - ABSENT

## District Staff present:

Eric Limas, General Manager

Mike Battles, Assistant Manager

Mark Greenall, Controller

Kirk Masters, Water Resources Superintendent

#### Others Present:

Alex Peltzer, General Counsel Reyn Akiona, consultant Dan Vink, consultant

### Landowners and Public:

Geoff Vanden Huevel, Milk Producers Counsel Travis Millwee, Pacific Resources Alan Becker, Renewable Resources Group

## **BOARD ADMINISTRATION**

The Board reviewed the agenda. On motion by Director WESTBROOK, second by Director PARREIRA and unanimously approved, the agenda was approved.

On motion by Director PARREIRA, second by Director WESTBROOK and unanimously approved, the minutes of the August 12, 2021, meeting were approved as presented.

Approved

LIMAS reviewed GSA implementation activities including a meeting staff had with

Land IQ and the process staff will use to document and provide access to a list of people

who are interested in selling or buying groundwater credits. No action was taken.

LIMAS presented a draft Land Fallowing Policy developed by the Groundwater

Planning Commission. After review and discussion, on motion by Director PARREIRA,

second by Director WESTBROOK, and unanimously approved, the Board approved the

Land Fallowing Policy and made implementation retroactive to June 1, 2021.

REYN AKIONA and DAN VINK gave updates on Watershed Coordinator activities,

Watershed Plan activities, and Tule Basin Land and Water Conservation Trust and

related grant activities. No action was taken.

LIMAS also reviewed Tule Subbasin SGMA activities including the Eastern Tule

GSA formation of a land subsidence technical advisory committee, in which they

approved a seat for Pixley ID GSA. After discussion, President JUNIO appointed John

Michael Domondon as the Pixley ID GSA representative and Eric Limas as the alternate

representative on the committee.

The Board then went into closed session. Upon reconvening into open session, it

was reported that no action was taken during closed session.

OTHER MATTERS

There being no further business to be brought to the Board attention, and the

meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

General Manager