## GREEN VALLEY DOMESTIC WATER IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

## **MEETING MINUTES**

Wednesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025

**Board Directors Present:** Eric Sullwold Joseph (Hart) Krumrine – departed at 10:52AM George (Doctor) Orndorff John Green Lee Lemas **Board Directors Absent** Edwin (Ed) Storey District Staff Present: Dara Duffv Lora Burruel Matt Perez Public Present: Richard Ricksecker Clerk of the Board: Luis Rodriguez

1. Call to Order and Roll Call – Chair, Eric Sullwold

The meeting was called to order at 9:00AM by Chair of the Board, Eric Sullwold. Roll call was taken and a quorum announced with five (5) Directors present.

• Motion to approve March 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025, Board of Directors meeting Minutes as corrected.

Moved: Lee Lemas 2<sup>nd</sup>: George Orndorff Approved: 4/0 Abstain: Chair

• Motion to approve March 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025, Board of Directors executive session Minutes

Moved: Lee Lemas 2<sup>nd</sup>: George Orndorff Approved: 4/0 Abstain: Chair

- 2. General Business
  - A. Administrative Chair, Eric Sullwold
    - 1. Opening comments. The Chair reminded the attendees of the Public Hearing, May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2025, at 9:00AM.
  - B. Operations Report District Manager, Dara Duffy
    - 1. Current Operations
      - a. Project Report
        - i. Three (3) unrelated water leaks occurred: W Vista Ridge Drive, W Camino Calderon, and W Mariguita Street. All repairs have been completed.
        - ii. The San Ignacio well Tie-in project has been pushed back to FY2025-26.
        - iii. The remaining FlexNet meters will be purchased from the current FY Budget and installed by the end of December 2025.
        - iv. Matt Perez has been hired for the newly created Accounting Specialist position.
      - b. Financials. The March financials were presented and discussed with no concern found.
      - c. Questions regarding the Task List
        - i. The Consumer Confidence Report has been published. The Report is posted on the website, and paper copies are available in the lobby. An announcement will be included in the May water bill.
  - C. Technical Advisory Committee Board Chair, Eric Sullwold in the absence of committee chair, Ed Storey.
    - 1. Valve testing program. The committee and District staff will review testing guidelines to maximize the operational life.
    - 2. Longterm aquifer concerns. The committee and District Manager will work to gain a clearer understanding of government oversight and potential issues which could impact the District.
    - 3. Aging infrastructure. The committee will work to identify potential problems and research the available options to mitigate risks.
  - D. Financial Advisory Committee Chair, John Green

- 1. March 2025 Financial statements. The financial statements were presented and discussed with no concern found.
- 2. FY2025-26 Budget 2<sup>nd</sup> Read
  - a. Turf Management will incur a 5% rate increase, which is their first increase since 2018.
  - b. Residential and commercial customers will incur a 2% increase above the previously approved 3% increase for each of the five (5) years from 2022 through 2027 (ref. Resolution 2022-001) for a total of 5%.
  - c. The proposed FY2025-26 rate increase and Rates and User Fees will be presented at the Public Hearing on May 21<sup>st</sup> at 9:00AM and shall be scheduled for adoption by the Board of Directors immediately following the Public Hearing.
  - d. The proposed FY2025-26 Budget will be scheduled for adoption by the Board of Directors at their May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2025, meeting immediately following the Public Hearing.
- E. Water Conservation and Drought Policy Advisory Committee Chair, Lee Lemas. The Water Conservation Plan Policy was discussed. The approved Policy will be presented at the Public Hearing on May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2025, at 9:00AM and shall be scheduled for adoption by the Board of Directors immediately following the Public Hearing.
- Motion to approve the Water Conservation Plan Policy as presented and to conduct a policy review in FY2025-26.

Moved: Lee Lemas 2<sup>nd</sup>: George Orndorff Approved: 4/0 Abstain: Chair F. Personnel Advisory Committee update – Chair, Joseph (Hart) Krumrine. The committee met in Executive session Monday, April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2025, to discuss District personnel matters.

- 3. Call to the Public Chair, Eric Sullwold. Richard Ricksecker asked questions regarding the FlexNet system's capability to provide notifications of high-water usage.
- 4. Announcements Clerk of the Board, Luis Rodriguez
  - A. The next Advisory Committee meetings are scheduled for Monday, May 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025. The Technical advisory committee meeting begins at 8:00AM, immediately followed by the Financial advisory committee.
  - B. The Public Hearing is scheduled for Wednesday, May 21st, 2025, at 9:00AM.
  - C. The next Board of Directors meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, May 21st, 2025, immediately following the adjournment of the 9:00AM Public Hearing.
- 5. Adjournment
- Motion to adjourn the meeting.

Move: John Green 2nd: George Orndorff Approved: 4/0 Abstain: Chair

The meeting was adjourned at 11:05AM

Approved May 21st, 2025

Luis Rodriguez, Clerk of the Board

Eric Sullwold, Chair of the Board