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# TRUCKEE-CARSON IRRIGATION DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS

2666 Harrigan Road, Fallon, Nevada 89406 (775) 423-2141

Pursuant to Nevada Open Meeting Law, Notice is Hereby Given that the Truckee-Carson Irrigation District Board of Directors will hold it's Regular Monthly Meeting on:

May 7, 2019, at the hour of 9:00 a.m. at the Offices of the Truckee-Carson Irrigation District, 2666 Harrigan Road, Fallon, Nevada 89406.

# THE AGENDA

#### Notes:

- 1. All meetings of the Board of Directors for the Truckee-Carson Irrigation District (TCID or Board) are public (NRS 539.093). This agenda is a tentative meeting schedule. Action will be taken on all items unless otherwise noted. While meetings of the Board are subject to Nevada Open Meeting Law (NRS 241.010 et. Seq.) (OML), no provision of the OML requires the Board to discuss or take action on all agenda items. The Board may hear items in a different order, combine items for consideration or remove an item from the agenda or delay discussion relating to any item at any time to accomplish business of the Board, on behalf of the electors of TCID, in the most efficient manner. Items scheduled at a specific time will not be heard earlier than at the scheduled time pursuant to the OML. Except in an emergency, TCID will provide written notice of its meetings consisting of a clear and complete statement of the topics scheduled to be considered. No action may be taken on any matter that is not scheduled on this agenda. Any statement made by a member of TCID during a public meeting is absolutely privileged and does not impose liability for defamation or constitute a ground for recovery in any civil action. Meetings of the Board may be conducted according to the rules of parliamentary procedure.
- 2. The Board of Directors may recess the meeting in order to convene an attorney-client meeting.
- 3. The Board may take possible action on any item on this agenda unless that item is marked as "For Information Only." Items marked as "For Information Only" may be discussed by the Board after any presentation is made but no action may be taken on that particular item. The Board may take items out of order, may combine two or more agenda items for consideration, may remove items from the agenda or may delay discussion of any item at any time.

1. Call to Order

For Information Only

2. Review and Adoption of the Agenda

For Possible Action

Deliberation and decision relating to the Regular Session Board Meeting Agenda of May 7, 2019.

3. Public Comment

For Information Only

Instructions: Members of the public who wish to address the Board of TCID may do so during this public comment period. Such comment must relate to matters not appearing on the Agenda. Speakers are asked to state their name for the public record and sign and print their names on the form provided to all participants in the public meeting. Comments shall be limited to three (3) minutes per person or topic. The Board reserves the right to reduce this three (3) minute time limit, as well as limit the total time for public comment. If any matter requires extended discussion, a request should be made to the Chair of the Board, at the time of comment, that the matter be scheduled for consideration at a future meeting of the Board. The Board will not restrict comments based on viewpoint. Nor will the Board restrict comments based upon viewpoint during public testimony given on any agenda item. The Chair may reopen public participation at any time during the meeting.

4. Miscellaneous Correspondence

For Information Only

Correspondence to be reviewed by General Manager and the Board of Directors.

Status of Public Trust Doctrine in the State of Nevada

For Information Only

Review of Brief of Amicus Curiae Churchill County, the City of Fallon, and the Truckee-Carson Irrigation District, prepared by Michael Van Zandt, Esq. of Hanson Bridgett LLP, in San Francisco, California, dated April 19, 2019, as to whether or not the public trust doctrine applies to rights previously appropriated, and is so which such application would result in a taking under the Nevada Constitution.

5. General Manager and Staff Reports

For Information Only

General updates from staff on current conditions, current or planned projects and business of the District.

For Possible Action

Deliberation and decision, as necessary, based upon changing hydrologic conditions, and further based upon general updates from staff on current conditions and input from sources including the Bureau of Reclamation and the National Weather Service, for establishment of terms and conditions associated with water delivery and releases from Lahontan Dam for the 2019 water season including operation under the 1997 Emergency Release Criteria for Lahontan Dam.

6. City of Fernley – General Updates

For Information Only

General updates by a representative from the City of Fernley.

For Information Only

- 7. United States Fish & Wildlife Service –Wetlands Issues/Updates
  General updates by a representative of the USFWS.
- 8. Bureau of Reclamation Lahontan Basin Area Office For Information Only
  General updates by a representative of the Lahontan Basin Area Office including the status of water supply conditions in the Newlands Federal Reclamation Project.
- 9. Fallon Paiute Shoshone Tribe

For Information Only

General updates by a representative from the Fallon Paiute Shoshone Tribe.

#### 10. Fallon Naval Air Station

For Information Only

General updates by a representative from the Fallon Naval Air Station.

For Possible Action

#### 11. Carson Lake Pasture

Deliberation and decision/discussion on any billing issues by Reclamation and a possible increase in the number of head.

## 12. Resolution 2019-4

For Possible Action

Deliberation and decision relating to Resolution No. 2019-4 seeking transfer of federally owned facilities to the Truckee-Carson Irrigation District, including, without limitation, the Old Lahontan Power Station, and other Newland Federal Reclamation Project works.

# 13. Consent Agenda

For Possible Action

Matters borne by the Consent Agenda are considered routine and/or informational in nature. Any deliberation and/or decisions made relating to the Consent Agenda may be given by the Board in a single action without comment, discussion, or public input as a single board action. Any item on the Consent Agenda may be removed there-from, upon the request of a Director or member of the public, and thus be made the object of full and complete deliberation and decision making. Action relating to the Consent Agenda may be undertaken at any time during the course of the meeting. Items on the Consent Agenda for this meeting are as follows:

- Approval of Board Meeting Minutes of April 2, 2019 conducted at the District office, 2666 Harrigan Road, Fallon, Nevada.
- Approval of Directors Compensation for the month of April, 2019, as provided by NRS 539.080.
- Approval of the March 19, 2019 Special Session Board Meeting for Water Users-Truckee Division.
- Approval of the March 27, 2019 Special Session Board Meeting Minutes for Water Users-Carson Division.

For Possible Action

## 14. Committee Reports

#### **O&M** Committee Recommendations

For Possible Action

Deliberation and decision relating to recommendations to the Board of Directors by the O&M Committee.

 Approval of O&M Committee Meeting minutes March 21, 2019 conducted at the District office, 2666 Harrigan Road, Fallon, Nevada.

**Carson Lake Pasture Advisory Committee Recommendations**Deliberation and decision relating to recommendations by the Carson Lake Pasture Advisory Committee to the Board of Directors relating to terms and conditions of the 2019-20 grazing season.

**Employee Relations Committee Recommendations** 

For Possible Action

Deliberation and decision relating to recommendations by the Employee Relations Committee to the Board of Directors relating to terms and conditions of employee compensation and benefits for the 2019-20 fiscal year and for approval of an agreement with the Truckee-Carson Irrigation District Employees Association for the fiscal year of 2019-20.

Treasurer's Report and Finance Committee Recommendations For Possible Action Deliberation and decision relating to the Treasurer's Report and Finance Committee recommendations for the preceding financial reporting period, including, without limitation, review of accounts, justification of accounts, action on past due accounts, augmentation to budget categories within the general budget, approval of disbursements, payments, transfer of funds, journal entries, payroll and/or management of District accounts necessary to achieve compliance with all applicable principles, practices, and standards of accounting and NRS 539.483.

**Negotiations Committee** 

General updates by Committee Chair.

For Information Only

**Policy Committee** 

General updates by Committee Chair.

For Information Only

**Public Relations Committee** 

General updates by Committee Chair.

For Information Only

Revenue-IT Committee

General updates by Committee Chair.

For Information Only

**Truckee Canal Safety Committee** 

General updates by Committee Chair.

For Information Only

15. Additional Period of Public Comment

For Information Only

Please refer to agenda item 3 for any rules pertaining to public comment.

16. Adjournment

## Posting

This meeting has been posted at the following locations and websites at least three days prior to the scheduled date of this meeting in accordance with NRS 241.020(2).

Truckee-Carson Irrigation District Fallon City Hall Churchill County Administration Building Fernley City Hall TCID Website, www.tcid.org Department of Administration Public Meeting Notice Website: <a href="http://notice.nv.gov/">http://notice.nv.gov/</a>

Special Accommodations: The Truckee-Carson Irrigation District will make reasonable efforts to assist and accommodate physically handicapped persons desiring to attend. Persons who are disabled and require special assistance may contact Paula Utter, in writing, at TCID, 2666 Harrigan Road, Fallon, Nevada 89406, by phone at (775) 423-2141, or paula@tcid.org.

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Paula Utter, of said Churchill County, being duly sworn, says that on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2019, she posted a copy of this Agenda at the Truckee-Carson Irrigation District Office, where the proceedings are pending.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 2019

> IDA L. ADAMS Notary Public - State of Nevada Appointment Recorded in Churchill County No: 00-62984-4 - Expires June 6, 2020

**Notary Public**