



Board Meeting Agenda

March 15, 2018, 3:30PM-5:30PM

2776 Sullivan Road, Sebastopol, CA 95472

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District Directors: Joe Dutton, President; Richard Hughes, Vice President; Torrey Olson, Treasurer; Ann Cassidy, Secretary; Mel Sanchietti, Director

Associate Directors: Guy Smith; Chris Choo

- 1. Call to order, Determination of a Quorum, Introductions**
- 2. Additions/Changes to the Agenda** (Gov. Code 54954.2 (B))
- 3. Public Comment:** Public may comment on agenda items when they are discussed. Speakers are asked to limit comments to three minutes (Gov. Code 54954.3(a)).
- 4. Informational Items**
 - A. Gold Ridge RCD Updates & Notices**
 - B. Natural Resources Conservation Service Update**
 - C. Santa Rosa Plain Groundwater Sustainability Agency Update** (*Joe Dutton*)
 - D. Sonoma County Agricultural and Open Space District Presentation on Vital Lands Initiative** (*Karen Gaffney, Alex Roa*)
- 5. Consent Calendar:** Approve February 15, 2018 Meeting Minutes and February Grant Status Report (*Noelle Johnson*)
- 6. Action Items**
 - A. Approve Financial Report and Warrant Request for FY 2017/18 through January 31, 2018** (*Mare O'Connell*)
 - B. Approve the FY 17/18 Mid-year Budget Adjustment** (*Mare O'Connell*)
 - C. Approve Resolution 2018-04 Authorizing the Gold Ridge Resource Conservation District to Enter into an Agreement with the California Department of Fish and Wildlife for the Dempster Vineyard Dam Removal Project, for \$111,414.00** (*Jason Hoorn*)
 - D. Approve Resolution 2018-05 Authorizing the Gold Ridge Resource Conservation District to Enter into an Agreement with the California Department of Fish and Wildlife for the Dutch Bill Creek Water Conservation Design Project for \$212,073.00** (*John Green*)
 - E. Approve Resolution 2018-06 Authorizing the Gold Ridge Resource Conservation District to Enter into an Agreement with the California Department of Fish and Wildlife for the Iron Horse Vineyards Dam Removal Project for \$171,865.00** (*Jason Hoorn*)
- 7. Approve Note Payable** (*Michele Harris*)
- 8. Future Agenda Items**
- 9. Adjournment**

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District Staff:

Brittany Jensen, Executive Director

Joe Pozzi, District Manager

Noelle Johnson, Conservation Planner

John Green, Lead Scientist/Project Manager

Sierra Cantor, Ecologist

William Hart, Project Manager

Jason Hoorn, Project Manager

Adriana Stagnaro, Project Coordinator

Erica Mikesh, Partner Engineer

Michele Harris, Bookkeeper

Mare O'Connell, Contracted Financial Manager

Upcoming Events:

- **Vital Lands Initiative Public Meeting**, March 17, 10-12pm, Community Church of Sebastopol
- **Vital Lands Initiative Public Meeting**, March 20, 6-8pm, Bodega Bay Grange
- **Vital Lands Initiative Public Meeting**, March 22, 5-7pm, Finley Community Center, Person Senior Wing

Schedule of Upcoming Gold Ridge RCD Board Meetings:

Every Third Thursday of the month, unless marked*

- April 19, 3:30-5:30pm
- May 17, 3:30-5:30pm
- June 21, 3:30-5:30pm