

1 EL CAMINO IRRIGATION DISTRICT
2 8451 HWY. 99W
3 GERBER, CA 96035
4 530-385-1559

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6 MINUTES

7 NOVEMBER 9, 2021
8 MEETING @ 6:00 p.m.

APPROVED
12/14/2021

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10 **BOARD MEMBERS:**

11 DIVISION #1-Peter Statton DIVISION #4-Leland Hogan - Chairman
12 DIVISION #2-Kris Lamkin – Vice Chairman DIVISION #5-Jacob Pochop
13 DIVISION #3- John Hellen

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15 OPEN SESSION

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17 **1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER**

18 Chairman Hogan called the meeting to order @ 6:02pm

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20 **2. ACCEPT NOVEMBER 9, 2021 AGENDA**

21 Director Lamkin motioned to approve the November 9, 2021 agenda
22 2nd Director Pochop
23 M/S/C 5-0

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25 **3. APPROVAL MEETING MINUTES – OCTOBER 12, 2021**

26 Director Hellen motioned to approve the October 12, 2021 minutes
27 2nd Director Lamkin
28 M/S/C 5-0

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30 **4. FINANCIAL REPORT**

31 No action taken

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33 **5. HUMAN RESOURCES**

34 Field Manager John Nance reported the crew will be laid off as of
35 November 25, 2021

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37 **6. GENERAL DISTRICT BUDGET 2021**

38 No action taken

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40 **7. BILLS TO BE PAID**

41 Director Lamkin motioned to pay the bills
42 2nd Director Statton
43 M/S/C 5-0

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45 **8. GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY (GSA) UPDATES**

46 No update
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49 **9. WELLS, PUMPS, PIPELINES, WATER, GROUND WATER, GRANT &**
50 **WATER MEASUREMENTS**

51 **A. WATER TABLE**

52 October 2021 to November 2021: +43.7'

53 November 2020 to November 2021: -2.4'

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55 **B. GRANTS**

56 Office Manager Linda Lovelace reported that the District has received
57 funds of \$22,582.24

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59 **C. GROUND WATER CONTRACT**

60 Discussion followed regarding changes to the groundwater contract

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62 The District currently charges water users with Groundwater Use
63 contracts based on the number of acres supplied on a parcel. This
64 method is used because the District currently has no requirement to
65 meter water use or report that usage to the District. Users may have
66 an incentive to use more water than needed rather than use more
67 economical methods if charged by the actual amount of water used.
68 In order to improve the District's ability to manage water resources in
69 the future and provide fair pricing to all types of users, the District
70 must move forward with more accurate methods of water metering
71 on both user and District wells. This will allow the District to adjust
72 water usage during drought and other causes of low groundwater
73 levels and to be able to comply with the Tehama County Groundwater
74 Sustainability plan.

75 Groundwater Contract Additions for 2022

76 8. Location information is required for all groundwater contract wells.

77 An irrigation water meter with totalizer is required on all well
78 systems that are under the groundwater contract with the District
79 by 4/1/2022. Water meter readings will be reported to the District
80 on a monthly basis

81 9. To null and void the Groundwater contract with the District, the
82 customer must remove all irrigation lines from the well and must be
83 approved by the District

84 **10. OLD BUSINESS**

85 **A. RENTING BACKYARD SPACE (DIRECTOR LAMKIN)**

86 Director Lamkin reported the property is no longer needed

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88 **11. PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

89 None

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91 **12. DISCUSSION ITEMS - NO VOTE**

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13. ANNOUNCEMENTS

**A. NEXT MEETING WILL BE TUESDAY DECEMBER 14, 2021 @
6: 00PM**

B. OFFICE CLOSED NOVEMBER 25, 26, 2021 FOR THANKSGIVING

C. ADJOURNMENT

Director Hellen motioned to adjourn the meeting @ 7:17pm
2nd Director Lamkin
M/S/C 5-0


Prepared by


Chairman