## BOARD OF DIRECTORS PUENTE HILLS HABITAT PRESERVATION AUTHORITY Endowment Provided by the Puente Hills Landfill

This meeting will take place remotely in accordance with Government Code section 54953(e) *et seq.* (AB 361). Members of the public can observe and participate in the meeting as follows:

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PUBLIC COMMENTS: Members of the public may <u>provide</u> <u>electronic comments by 3:00 pm on Wednesday,</u> <u>September 21, 2022</u> before the meeting to <u>info@HabitatAuthority.org</u>. Please label the email in the subject heading as "Public Comments". Public comments may also be verbally heard during item #1 of the meeting.

Agency	Director	Alternate
County of Los Angeles	SULIC, Chair	YOKOMIZO
City of Whittier	MARTINEZ	MARTINEZ
Hacienda Heights Improvement Association	HUGHES	YIP
Sanitation Districts of Los Angeles County	FERRANTE, Vice Chair	BOEHMKE

The Puente Hills Habitat Preservation Authority is a public entity established pursuant to the Joint Exercise of Powers Act by agreement with the City of Whittier, County of Los Angeles, and Los Angeles County Sanitation Districts. Questions about any agenda items can be directed to Andrea Gullo, Executive Director, at 562.945.9003.

Pursuant to Section 54956 of the Government Code the Puente Hills Habitat Preservation Authority (Authority), a Special Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Authority will be held at the call of the Chairperson of the Authority at the above time and place for the purpose of:

1. Receipt of Public Comments.

## 2. Consent Calendar:

- a. Approval of Authority Regular Meeting Minutes of August 18, 2022.
- b. Approval allowing all written resolutions attached to staff reports to be read by title only and waiving further reading.
- c. Board adoption of Authority Resolution No. 2022-11 A Resolution of the Board of Directors of the Puente Hills Habitat Preservation Authority Proclaiming a Local Emergency and Authorizing the Transition to Use of Remote Teleconference Meeting Procedures by the Board of Directors and All Standing Committees of the Authority, as authorized by Government Code Section 54953(e) *et seq.*, for the Initial Period of September 22, 2022, through October 21, 2022.

- d. Receive and file the Authority's Portfolio Earnings Reports and Custom by Instrument Type for July and August 2022 prepared by the County of Los Angeles Treasurer and Tax Collector.
- e. Retroactive approval for Executive Director to execute amendment of the Lease Agreement between the City of Whittier and the Authority modifying Agreement No. A21-123, by reducing the office rent commencing August 23, 2022.
- f. Receive and file update about hiring temporary consulting assistance until Authority staff vacancy is filled.
- 3. Receive and file July and August 2022 Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority (MRCA) Ranger Reports.
- 4. Discussion and possible approval of Authority Resolution 2022-12, A Resolution of the Board of Directors to Dedicate Sycamore Canyon Stream in Honor of Assemblymember Lisa Calderon in appreciation of her efforts to support the Authority.
- 5. Discussion and possible action regarding changing the regular meeting time for the Authority Board meetings.
- 6. Discussion and possible action approving Authority Resolution 2022-13 entitled Establishing the Salary, Benefits and Management for Employees (this Resolution to be read by title only, further reading being waived), and amend the Authority budget as necessary.
- 7. A point has been reached where, in the opinion of the Authority's Board, on the advice of its legal counsel, based on existing facts and circumstances, there is a significant exposure to litigation against the Authority. The facts and circumstances at issue consist of threatened litigation by Dr. Jodye Selco relating to the Authority's removal of encroachments from Authority property near 6704 Worsham Dr., in the City of Whittier. This item can be heard in closed session pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(2), (e)(2).
- 8. Instruction to negotiators on property negotiations for Assessor Parcel Numbers 8239-045-902 and 8239-047-902. Negotiations for an access easement over the property. Negotiating parties include Board Chair, Executive Director, and Coast Community College. (This item can be heard in closed session pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.8 regarding real estate negotiations.)
- 9. Instruction to negotiators on property negotiations for Assessor Parcel Numbers 8267-014-904, 8267-014-906 commonly known as the Diaz/Old Coach property and APN 8266-002-901, Powder Canyon. 1) Negotiations for an easement over approximately 1/10th of an acre of the property for heli-hydrant easement, and 2) Negotiations regarding La Habra Road vacation and a portion to be dedicated to the City of La Habra Heights for a fire access easement. Negotiating parties include Board Chair or Vice Chair, Executive Director, and City of La Habra Heights. (This item can be heard in closed session pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.8 regarding real estate negotiations.)

- 10. Instruction to negotiators on property negotiations for Assessor Parcel Numbers 8266-002-901 and 8269-003-900. Negotiating parties include Board Chair, Executive Director, and Rowland Water District. (This item can be heard in closed session pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.8 regarding real estate negotiations.)
- 11. Instruction to negotiators on property negotiations for Assessor Parcel Numbers 8267-017-900, 8267-017-905, 8267-017 906, and 8267-018-909 located along Harbor Boulevard. Negotiations for RMX Resources LLC., to Quitclaim to Habitat Authority all its rights, title, and interest and reserve easement for certain rights and pipelines. Negotiating parties include Board Chair or Vice Chair, Executive Director, Los Angeles County, and RMX Resources, LLC. (This item can be heard in closed session pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.8 regarding real estate negotiations.)
- 12. Board Members' statements, responses, questions or directions to staff, and Executive Director's comments.
- 13. Adjournment and announcement of next meeting.

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