



Port Hueneme Water Agency

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Water Agency Regular Meeting Agenda

Monday, April 15, 2024

**Port Hueneme City Hall
250 North Ventura Road, Port Hueneme, CA 93041**

3:00 PM Closed Session | 4:00 PM Open Session

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3:00 P.M. PHWA CLOSED SESSION

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

Members Jared Bouchard, Laura D. Hernandez, and Roberto "Bobby" Martinez; Ex-Officio Member Nathan Jacobsen; Vice Chair Martha R. McQueen-Legohn; and Chair Michael Lebow

PUBLIC COMMENT

The Council will hear closed session public comments for a maximum of 10 minutes. In-person public comments should be no more than 3 minutes in length. Written comments should be no more than 500 words. Please see Agenda cover page for submission instructions.

CLOSED SESSION ITEMS

With respect to every item of business to be discussed in Closed Session, pursuant to California Government Code:

A. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – EXISTING LITIGATION

Authority: Government Code section 54956.9, subdivision (d)

Case Name: *OPV Coalition, et al. v. Fox Canyon Groundwater Management Agency, et al.*

Case No. Santa Barbara County Superior Court VENC100555357

B. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION

Authority: Government Code section 54956.9, subdivision (d)(2)

Based upon existing facts and circumstances, significant exposure to litigation exists in the opinion of PHWA’s legal counsel. These facts and circumstances arise out of a three-party agreement between the City of Port Hueneme, the City of Oxnard, and the Calleguas Municipal Water District relating to water credits or pumping allocations.

Number of Potential Cases: One (1)

RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION

4:00 PM PHWA REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

Members Jared Bouchard, Laura D. Hernandez, and Roberto “Bobby” Martinez; Ex-Officio Member Nathan Jacobsen; Vice Chair Martha R. McQueen-Legohn; and Chair Michael Lebow

PUBLIC COMMENT

Members of the public may submit comments for items on the Agenda or that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Agency Members. General public comments regarding items *Not* on the Agenda will be heard at this time. State law prohibits the Agency from taking action on any item *Not* on the Agenda. Comments regarding items on the Agenda will be heard when the item is addressed. In-person public comments should be no more than 3 minutes in length. Written comments should be no more than 500 words. Please see Agenda cover page for submission instructions.

CLOSED SESSION REPORT

AGENDA APPROVAL FOR WATER AGENCY

[Port Hueneme Water Agency Agenda Approval](#)

Recommendation: Approve the Port Hueneme Water Agency Agenda of April 15, 2024.

CONSENT CALENDAR

1. [Minutes](#)

Recommendation: Approve the Minutes of the Water Agency Regular Meeting of February 20, 2024.

2. [Register of Disbursements](#)

Recommendation: Receive and file the Port Hueneme Water Agency’s Register of Disbursements for the period of February 9, 2024 through April 4, 2024.

3. [Monthly Operational Report](#)

Recommendation: Receive and file the monthly Operational Report.

BUSINESS ITEMS – None.

AGENCY MEMBERS’ REPORTS, COMMENTS, & REQUEST FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

The Water Agency will adjourn to its next regular meeting scheduled for Monday, May 20, 2024, at 4:00 p.m.

Copies of staff reports or other written documentation relating to each item of business referred to in this Agenda are available for

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I, Georgianna Nicole Alvarez, City/Agency Clerk of the City of Port Hueneme, do hereby affirm that the agenda was posted at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting on the City's website and near the front entrance of Port Hueneme City Hall, 250 N. Ventura Road, Port Hueneme, California, 93041, in accordance with California Government Code Section 54954.2(a).