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**AGENDA**  
**REGULAR BOARD MEETING**  
**EASTERN KERN COUNTY RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT (EKCRCD)**

**MEETING TIME:** Tuesday, September 14, 2021, 6:00 PM  
**LOCATION:** Ballarat Room, Kerr-McGee Center  
100 W. California Ave., Ridgecrest  
*Dial-in option: 551-240-6749; no access code needed*

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**CALL TO ORDER**  
**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**  
**ROLL CALL**

**Natural Resources Conservation Service Report:**

**ADDITIONS TO AGENDA\*:**

*\*Additions to the agenda may be discussed but not acted upon.*

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** This portion of the meeting is reserved for persons desiring to address the Board on any matter that is not on the agenda but under the jurisdiction of the Board. Board members may respond briefly to statements made or questions posed. They may ask a question for clarification; make a referral to staff for factual information, or request staff to report back to the Board at a later meeting. Also, the Board may take action to direct the staff to place a matter of business on a future agenda. However, no action may be taken by the Board at this time. [Gov. code 54954.3 (a)]

**CONSENT ITEMS:** Consent items are considered to be routine and non-controversial. They will be considered first and may be approved by on motion if no member of the Board or audience wishes to comment or ask questions. If comment or discussion is desired by anyone, the item will be removed from the Consent list and will be considered in listed sequence with an opportunity for any member of the public to address the Board concerning the item before action is taken.

**Minutes** for 8/10/21 meeting

**Correspondence logs**

**Financial Reports:**

- Balance and spending reports
- Bank statements

- Reconciliation report
- Registers

### **ACTION ITEMS:**

- **Make last-minute arrangements for plant delivery and sale.** Schedule work shifts.
- **Discuss Madena Asbell's proposal to grow native plants for 2022 plant sale. Vote as necessary.**
- **Discuss/plan reopening of BLM and future meetings. Vote as necessary.**
- **Discuss CARCD 2021 Annual Conference (11/30/21-12/3/21). Authorize voting delegate.**
- **Revisit Envirothon participation. Vote as necessary.**
- **Discuss Kern County redistricting.**

### **REGULAR REPORTS:**

**Indian Wells Valley Water District-**  
Report on 9/13/21 meeting.

**Indian Wells Valley Groundwater Authority (IWVGA) -**  
Report on 8/11/21 meeting, 9/6/21 meeting, and 8/26/21 PAC meeting.

### **EKCRCDC Committee Reports:**

**Administrative Assistant Report:** Report on website hits, ethics and anti – sexual harassment training, letter to Mike Branning, poster contest, audit report.

Ethics training is due for Directors Decker, Powell, Holman, and Wilson. Anti – sexual harassment training is due for Directors Decker, Powell, and Holman. Form 700 is due for Director Holman.

### **DIRECTOR COMMENTS:**

### **AGENDA ITEMS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

### **ADJOURNMENT**

#### **AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (GOVERNMENT Code Section 54953.2).**

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