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### AGENDA

### STATE BOARD FOR FINANCING WATER PROJECTS June 29, 2022 2:30 PM

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<u>Location</u>: The Richard H. Bryan Building Tahoe Hearing Room 901 South Stewart Street, 2nd Floor Carson City, NV 89701

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**Note:** Items on this agenda may be taken out of order, may be combined for consideration by the public body, and may be pulled or removed from the agenda at any time. Public comment will be solicited prior to action on agenda items.

- 1 Call to Order Vice Chair Andy Belanger
- 2 Introduction / Establish Quorum (Discussion)
- 3 **Public Comment** (Discussion)

Members of the public will be invited to speak before the BFWP; however, no action may be taken on a matter during public comment until the matter itself has been included on an agenda as an item for possible action. Public comment may be limited to three (3) minutes per person at the discretion of the chair.

- 4 Approval of Minutes December 15, 2021 Meeting (For Possible Action)
- 5 Election of Board Chair and Vice Chair (For Possible Action)
- 6 Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) Update (Discussion) Presented by Jason B. Cooper
- 7 Capital Improvements Grant Program Update (Discussion)

Presented by Jason B. Cooper

8 Approval of the Nevada Drinking Water Priority List—Effective June 2022 (For Possible Action)

Presented by Jason B. Cooper

9 Authority to change DWSRF contract amount under certain situations (For Possible Action)

Presented by Jason B. Cooper

10 Adoption of Consent Items - Increased Funding to Board-Approved Principal Forgiveness Loan (For Possible Action)

Two resolutions for consideration

Summary by Jason B. Cooper

10A Hawthorne Utilities (For Possible Action)

DWSRF Loan

*Current Loan:* \$1,000,000 Additional Funds: \$500,000 Total Commitment: \$1.500.000

### 10B McGill Ruth Consolidated Sewer & Water (For Possible Action)

DWSRF Loan

Current Loan: \$433,750 Additional Funds: \$63,100 Total Commitment: \$496,850

# **Capital Improvements Grant Policies**

11 Septic to Sewer Conversion Policy (For Possible Action)

Presented by Jason Cooper

12 Irrigation Project Policy (For Possible Action)

Presented by Jason Cooper

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# Other items

- 13 Board Comments (Discussion)
- 14 Public Comments (Discussion)
- 15 Next Board Meeting (Discussion)
- 16 Adjourn

#### **Additional Information:**

The Board for Financing Water Projects was created by NRS 349.957. Under NRS 445A.265, the Board is charged with approving the priority of projects applying for grant assistance and the review and approval of loans to water systems applying for assistance from the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund. Under NRS 349.982, the Board is charged with the administration of the programs that provide grants for capital improvements to publicly owned water systems, grants for improvements to conserve water and grants for Technical Support for Water Rights.

#### Address Questions to:

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