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## NOTICE & AGENDA OF THE REGULAR BOARD MEETING MARCH 20, 2024 — 7:00 P.M. COTATI FIRE STATION - #1 EAST COTATI AVE. COTATI, CALIFORNIA

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## I. <u>CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL / PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE</u>

To speak on any item under discussion by the Board on this agenda, you may do so upon receiving recognition from the Chair. Time limitations on public testimony may be imposed at the discretion of the Chair in conformity with Board Meeting Policy Provisions 5010.100-5010.103 and 5010.110.

## II. ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS

- A. Citizen Business/Public Comments on Items not appearing on Agenda Public is advised to limit discussion to one presentation per individual and observe the time limit of 4 minutes. Please state your name and address for the record before making your presentation. NOTE: Any item raised by a member of the public which does not appear on the agenda but which may require Board action shall be referred to District staff for investigation and disposition unless the item requires action to be taken by the Board at the meeting during which it was raised and constitutes an emergency, or the need to take such action arose after the posting of the agenda within the meaning of Government Code Section 54954.2(b).
- B. Correspondence and/or Presentations

## III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

*The Board of Directors will review, amend and approve prior months' Board meeting minutes.* 

- A. Special Board Meeting of January 26, 2024
- B. Regular Meeting of February 21, 2024

# IV. <u>CONSENT CALENDAR</u>

Matters listed under the Consent Calendar are considered to be routine and will be enacted by one motion and one vote. There will be no separate discussion of these items. If the Board or the public desires discussion, that item will be removed from the Consent Calendar and will be considered separately.

A. Ratification of Checks Issued

### V. <u>ADMINISTRATIVE COMMUNICATIONS</u>

An opportunity to report on individual activities related to District Business.

- A. Firefighter's Union Report
- B. Firefighters' Association Report
- C. Chief's Report
- D. Director Reports
- E. Committee Reports
  - a. Finance/Budget

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#### VI. **NEW BUSINESS**

- A. Discussion on Establishing Ad-Hoc Capital Improvements Committee The Board will consider establishing the Capital Improvements Committee
- B. Discussion on Establishing Ad-Hoc Negotiations Committee The Board will consider establishing a Negotiations Committee for meetings to begin in April 2024
- C. Discussion and Possible Adoption of 2024 Strategic Plan The Board will consider adopting the proposed Strategic Plan for 2024
- D. Discussion and Approval to Remove Battalion Chief Andy Taylor as a Signer on the Summit State Bank Account and Add Battalion Chief Tim Caldwell as Signer The Board will consider adding new Battalion Chief Tim Caldwell as a signer to the Summit Bank Account and remove retired Battalion Chief Andy Taylor

#### VII. **DIRECTION ON FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

### VIII. ADJOURNMENT

Certificate of Posting of the Agenda: I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I am employed by the Rancho Adobe Fire District and that I caused this agenda to be posted on the bulletin boards at Station 1 (Cotati), Station 2 (Penngrove), Station 3 (Liberty), Cotati City Hall and the Penngrove U.S. Post Office on March 15, 2024.

**Sennifer** Bechtold ennifer Bechtold, Clerk of the Board