

CAWELO GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING

17207 Industrial Farm Road, Bakersfield CA 93308

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Public Participation via Zoom 1-(699)-900-6833 / Meeting ID: 920 4453 6241 / Password: 634998
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Thursday, June 11, 2020

8:55 a.m.

MINUTES

DIRECTORS PRESENT:	Keith Watkins, Mark Smith, Eric Miller, Brian Blackwell, John Gaugel
STAFF PRESENT:	David Ansolabehere, Dave Hampton, LeeAnn Giles, Celynn Lyman
LEGAL COUNSEL:	Robert Hartsock
OTHER ATTENDEES:	Kevin Assemi, Matt Brady, Garrett Busch, Dana Munn, Joshua Renfro, Andy Schweikart

A. CALL TO ORDER

The Special Board Meeting was called to order by President Watkins at 8:57 a.m.

B. PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no public comments at this time.

C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM PRIOR MEETINGS

The minutes of Board Meeting for May 14, 2020 were presented for approval. After review and discussion, *it was motioned by Director Miller, seconded by Director Blackwell and carried, by the following Roll Call Vote, that the minutes from May, 2020 be approved as presented.*

AYES:	4	Watkins, Blackwell, Miller, Gaugel
NOES:	0	
ABSTAIN:	0	
ABSENT:	1	Smith

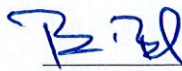
D. UPDATE ON LOCAL SGMA ACTIVITIES

In addition to providing a written report, Mr. Hampton began with a discussion on the well monitoring network updates, DWR's preliminary review, and Todd Groundwater's effort to update the well information. The District's specific well information has been reviewed by staff and there are no issues at this time. Mr. Hampton continued with a report on the comment period for posted GSPs. The comment period closed June 3, 2020 and the KGA received 24 comment letters, which he briefly summarized. It was noted Cawelo GSA did not directly receive a comment letter during this comment period. A KGA member meeting occurred June 6th to discuss the comments and potential responses. It was noted the regularly scheduled KGA board meeting of May 27, 2020 was cancelled.

Lastly, Mr. Hampton noted that the Public Policy Institute of California (PPIC) developed a report of their review of the Valley GSPs which was presented on May 21, 2020. PPIC reports that their evaluation indicates the Kern Subbasin is 578K AF in overdraft as compared to the Todd Groundwater model that estimates 277K AF. The discrepancy was primarily attributed to the different historical hydrological periods used.

G. ADJOURNMENT

The CGSA Special Board meeting adjourned at 9:05 a.m. The next regular CGSA Board Meeting is set for Thursday, July 9, 2020 at 8:45 a.m.



Brian Blackwell, CGSA Board Secretary