

CAWELO GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING

Cawelo Water District Conference Room

Thursday, March 16, 2023 – 8:50 a.m.

17207 Industrial Farm Road, Bakersfield CA 93308

Public Participation Possible via Zoom 1-(669)-900-6833

Meeting ID: 894 2509 4317 / Passcode: 685866

Or via Link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89425094317?pwd=N09jdys4QjNIaFdQRzIzREFuOFhmQT09>

MINUTES

DIRECTORS PRESENT: Keith Watkins, Mark Smith, John Gaugel, Spencer Birch

STAFF PRESENT: David Ansolabehere, Dave Halopoff, Celynn Lyman

STAFF ABSENT: LeeAnn Giles

LEGAL COUNSEL: Isaac St. Lawrence

OTHER ATTENDEES: Jessica Bertao, Jeremy Blackwell, Bruce Kelsey, Kevin Padway, Maddie Reyes, Cody Tolbert

A. CALL TO ORDER

The Special Board Meeting was called to order by President Watkins at 8:50 a.m.

B. PUBLIC COMMENT

The floor was open for any public comments, at which time there were none.

C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM PRIOR MEETINGS

The minutes of Special Board Meeting from February 9, 2023 were presented for approval.

After review and discussion, it was motioned by Director Birch, seconded by Director Gaugel and unanimously carried, that the minutes from February 9, 2023 be approved as presented.

D. UPDATE ON LOCAL SGMA ACTIVITIES

In addition to providing a written report, Mr. Halopoff advised that DWR released the Kern Subbasin GSP evaluation on March 2nd and determined the Kern Subbasin GSP to be inadequate. In addition, Mr. Halopoff reviewed the Basinwide Water Budget Upgrades and Model Calibration for the Kern County Subbasin (Basin Study), the 2022WY Annual Report, and the February 2023 KGA Board Meeting items of note.

E. ADJOURNMENT

The CGSA Special Board meeting adjourned at approximately 9:00 a.m. The next regular CGSA Board Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 13, 2023.



John Gaugel, CGSA Board Secretary