

OLIVEHURST PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT

Water and Wastewater Committee



Date/Time: Wednesday September 4th, 2024, at 3:30 p.m.
Directors: Floe and Griego
Location: Hybrid Meeting Via Zoom and In-Person in the Board Room
Located at 1970 9th Avenue, Olivehurst, CA 95961

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The following items are scheduled for discussion:

- 1) Discuss policies and practices OPUD could adopt to help mitigate the costs of constructing affordable housing (Strategic Plan 1.0).

No items were reported.

- a) Forwarded item(s): None
 - i) Staff Direction: None
 - ii) Staff Report Requested: None

- 2) Discuss the lift station smell at River Oaks and Zanes in Plumas Lake.

Swarnjit Boyal, Public Works Manager, stated that bids were due at the end of August. Unfortunately, no bids were received. OPUD has contacted two contractors that can perform the work. We have asked them to submit a bid packet for review. Once received, OPUD will choose the lowest bid with a goal to have the project completed by the end of the year.

- a) Forwarded item(s): Bring update to Board for review.
 - i) Staff Direction: None
 - ii) Staff Report Requested: None

- 3) Discuss OPUD's disaster preparedness plan.

John Tillotson, General Manager, stated that he has started working on the framework of the plan. The draft should be ready for review in 2 months.

- a) Forwarded item(s): None
 - i) Staff Direction: Put on Yuba County Liaison Committee for further discussion.
 - ii) Staff Report Requested: None

- 4) Discuss delinquent utility bills when Yuba County is landowner.

Karin Helvey, Financial Manager, stated that this has become a concern as tenants of properties owned by Yuba County don't pay their bill, OPUD cannot invoice the County for payment and cannot place liens on county owned property.

- a) Forwarded item(s): None
 - i) Staff Direction: Make County sign in for service and have them collect the amounts owed in their rent. Put this item on the Liaison committee for further discussion.
 - ii) Staff Report Requested: None

- 5) Wastewater Treatment Facility Status Report

- a) [Staff Report](#) – Chief Plant Operator gave report.
 - i) Staffing: No items were reported.
 - ii) Materials: No items were reported.

- b) VCIO Report

VCIO gave verbal report.

- c) Budgetary Items

- i) [Monthly Review of Revenue and Expenditures – Wastewater FY 2023-24 \(pages 15-18\) \(Strategic Plan 5.1\)](#).

- ii) [Monthly Review of Revenue and Expenditures – Wastewater FY 2024-25 \(pages 15-18\) \(Strategic Plan 5.1\).](#)
 - iii) [Monthly Review of Revenue and Expenditures - Engineering FY 2023-24 \(page 5\) \(Strategic Plan 5.1\).](#)
 - iv) [Monthly Review of Revenue and Expenditures – Engineering FY 2024-25 \(page 5\) \(Strategic Plan 5.1\).](#)
 - v) [Discuss Budget Amendment 2 for FY 2023-24.](#)
 - vi) [Review Treasurer’s Report June 2024.](#)
 - (1) Forwarded item(s): Review of Revenue and Expenditures FY 2023-24, Review of Revenue and Expenditures FY 2024-25, Budget Amendment 2 for FY 2023-24, and Review Treasurer’s Report June 2024.
 - (a) Staff Direction: None
 - (b) Staff Report Requested: None
- 6) Water Department Status Report
- a) [Staff report](#) – Water Department Manager gave report.
 - i) Staffing: No items were reported.
 - ii) Materials: No items were reported.
 - b) VCIO Report

VCIO gave verbal report.
 - c) Budgetary Items
 - i) [Monthly Review of Revenue and Expenditures – Water FY 2023-24 \(pages 15-18\) \(Strategic Plan 5.1\).](#)
 - ii) [Monthly Review of Revenue and Expenditures Water FY 2024-25 \(pages 15-18\) \(Strategic Plan 5.1\).](#)
 - iii) [Discuss Budget Amendment 2 for FY 2023-24.](#)
 - iv) [Review Treasurer’s Report June 2024.](#)
 - (1) Forwarded item(s): Review of Revenue and Expenditures FY 2023-24, Review of Revenue and Expenditures FY 2024-25, Budget Amendment 2 for FY 2023-24, and Review Treasurer’s Report June 2024.
 - (a) Staff Direction: None
 - (b) Staff Report Requested: None
- 7) [General Manager Report](#) - General Manager gave report.

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