



"To protect, enhance, and support Butte County natural resources and agriculture by working with willing landowners and citizens through education, land management, and on-the-ground projects."

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Agenda

Date: Thursday, December 21, 2023

Time: 9:00 AM

**Location: Klamath Conference Room
202 Mira Loma Drive, Oroville, CA 95965**

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1. CALL TO ORDER – Dave Lee, President

2. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

3. REVISIONS TO AGENDA (only emergency situations

requiring the need to take immediate actions may be added as action items pursuant to Gov. code 549954.2(b))

4. PUBLIC COMMENT (on non-action items)

(1) (3 min. limit per speaker/topic, 15 minutes/person/meeting total) (2) Public comment is encouraged. Any member of the public may address the Board with any comment related to the Resource Conservation District's areas of concern.

*However, no action can be taken by the Board on such items at this current meeting. The Board may direct staff to agendaize such items for consideration at a future meeting. (3) *Please note that all action items will have time set aside for public comment prior to the vote occurring. After a motion*

is made and seconded by two BCRC D Directors, the Chair will first ask for any further discussion from the Directors and Associate Directors and then Chair will open up the item for brief public comment limited to 2 minutes/person. After the public

comment period closes a vote will be held.

5. CONSENT AGENDA:

- a) Review and approval of the minutes of the BOD meeting held on 11/16/2023

6. ACTION ITEMS – Dave Lee, President

- a) Review and approval of Financials/ Accounts Payable- Colleen Hatfield
- b) Grants and Projects update by Friends of Butte Creek, Executive Director, Allen Harthorn (Information Item Only)
- c) Review of Fee for Services Rates and Consideration of Updates -Thad Walker
- d) Review of Operating Reserves Policy and Contribution -Colleen Hatfield/ Thad Walker
- e) Review of Long Range Project Forecast -Thad Walker/ Wolfy Rougle (Information Only)
- f) Driver Fuel Policy for BCRCV Vehicles/ Use of Pacific Pride Fuel Cards -Thad Walker
- g) Purchase of Fire Skid to Support Prescribed Burn Association Operations -Thad Walker
- h) Extension of Agreement 21-CS-11272138-031 with Pacific Southwest Research Station - Wolfy Rougle
- i) Agreement with California Association of Resource Conservation District for Regional Conservation Partnership Program through NRCS -Thad Walker
- j) Next Board of Directors Meeting Thursday, January 18, 2024, at 9:00 AM, Location: Klamath Conference Room 202 Mira Loma Drive, Oroville, CA

7. RCD PROJECTS AND PROGRAMS -STAFF REPORTS

- a) Project Updates

8. PARTNERS' REPORTS (5-minute limit per group)

- a) Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS)
- b) Butte County departments
- c) Community groups

9. BOARD OF DIRECTORS REPORTS

- a) Butte County RCD Directors and Associate Directors are welcome to report

10. CLOSED SESSION

Legal and Employee Matters

11. ADJOURNMENT

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