



"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, August 17th, 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 7/20/2023

6. ACTION ITEMS – Dave Lee, President

- a) Review and approval of Financials/ Accounts Payable- Colleen Hatfield
- b) Presentation by Knokow Valley Band of Maidu on Tribal Monitoring for Projects and Tribal Partnerships, Matthew S. Williford Sr., Acting Tribal Chair. (information only)
- c) Consideration of financial support for Butte County Speak Off Contest -Samantha Lewis /Thad Walker
- d) Cottonwood Endowment Update and request for outreach to County Council for legal guidance - Colleen Hatfield/ Wolfy Rouble
- e) Agreement with Lassen National Forest for 23-SA-11050600-012 BCRCO Dixie High Lakes Trails Restoration -Thad Walker
- f) Agreement Amendment with Butte County for X24722 Colby Mountain Project/ Connected Communities Trail Construction -Thad Walker
- g) Agreement with Point Blue Conservation Science for CEQA services for Clear Creek Ecosystem Restoration Project Phase 2 -Faith Churchill
- h) Hazard Tree Felling SFLAP Contract- Cameron Musser
- i) Agreement with Red Mountain Resources LLC (LTO# A011937) for Swedes Flat Fire Hazard Tree and Fuels Reduction Project- Thad Walker
- j) Next Board of Directors Meeting Thursday, Sept 21, 2023, at 9:00 AM, Location: Klamath Conference Room 202 Mira Loma Drive, Oroville, CA

7. RCD PROJECTS AND PROGRAMS -STAFF REPORTS

- a) Project Updates
- b) Staffing Analysis Findings- Solid Ground Consulting

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

- a) Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS)

- b) Butte County departments
- c) Community groups and agencies

9. BOARD OF DIRECTORS REPORTS

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

10. CLOSED SESSION

Legal Matter

11. ADJOURNMENT

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