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MEMO

DATE: December 11, 2023

TO: AMERICAN RIVER FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT Presiding Officer

FROM: José C. Henríquez, Executive Officer ✍
 Sacramento Local Agency Formation Commission

SUBJECT: Election of Special District Representative to Sacramento LAFCo – Second Extension of time

The Special District Selection Committee is electing a regular representative to serve a new 4-year term beginning in January 1, 2024.

Due to the size of the Special District Selection Committee, it has been difficult to establish a quorum when meeting in person. Therefore, pursuant to the provisions of Government Code §56332(f), the Executive Officer has determined that the business of the Special District Selection Committee will be conducted in writing to elect a regular Special District Representative to Sacramento LAFCo.

The election started on July 18, 2023 and was supposed to end on September 30th; however a quorum of ballots has not been achieved. The first extension ended on November 30, 2023. We are 4 ballots short of a majority of special districts in Sacramento voting in this election. LAFCo will exercise its ability to extend the election by another 60 days.

Please note that mailings such as this mailing and the previous reminders cost money, and LAFCo's budget is partially funded by your agency.

Election of Special District Representative to LAFCO

At the time the election ends, in order to be selected as a LAFCo Representative, a nominee must receive more than fifty-percent (50%) of the submitted votes. Enclosed with this memo you will find a ballot and a copy of each candidate's Statement of Qualifications received as of the date of this memo. Please note that there is one regular (voting) seat up for election.

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The nominees, in alphabetical order, are:

- 1) Lindsey Carter, Herald Fire Protection District*
- 2) Brian Danzl, Cordova Recreation & Park District
- 3) Paul Lindsey, Florin Resource Conservation District
- 4) Joanna McVay, North Highlands Recreation & Park District
- 5) Edwin Perez, Reclamation District 1000
- 6) Michael Seaman, Fulton El Camino Recreation & Park District
- 7) Robert "Bob" Wichert, Sacramento Suburban Water District

* *Incumbent*

Option of Electronic Elections

Government Code §56332(c)(4) gives LAFCo and Special Districts the option of completing the election of special district representatives via e-mail. This would be more convenient for some districts and a time/cost saver to LAFCo. In order to implement this, however, LAFCO needs to have the consent of the districts and an indication of those districts that wish to participate in this manner. There are two questions for your district to consider.

1. On the first question, a "Yes" vote means you authorize LAFCo to send out ballots via e-mail to those special districts that choose to vote electronically in future elections. A "No" vote means LAFCO should continue to distribute paper ballots to all districts and distribute them via certified mail.
2. On the second question, if a plurality of districts approves electronic voting in the first question, a "Yes" vote means your district wishes to receive electronic ballots in future elections and have the option to return your ballot in an electronic format (e-mail, fax or scanned ballot). A "No" vote means your district prefers to continue to receive and submit paper ballots.

You can choose to vote "Yes" to the first question to authorize electronic distribution of ballots but vote "No" to the second if your District wants to continue to receive paper ballots.

Extension of Election Deadline

The extended voting period will be 54 days from December 7. All votes are due in writing on or before **5:00 pm on February 2, 2024**. Voting will cease on this date or whenever a quorum of special districts is reached, whichever occurs later. Please do not forget to have the Board President, or Chair, or the presiding officer of the board meeting in which you made your selection sign the returned ballot.

District managers or other staff members may not substitute their signature for Board President, or Chair, or the presiding officer's signature.

Thank you for your time and please feel free to contact me or any member of my staff at 916-874-2937 if you have any questions.



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ELECTION BALLOT

Special District Representative to LAFCo Regular Seat #7

The election ends on February 2, 2024 at 5:00 p.m. or until a quorum of Special District ballots is received, whichever occurs later.

Candidate & District	Select one (1)
Lindsey Carter, Herald Fire Protection District*	
Brian Danzl, Cordova Recreation & Park District	
Paul Lindsay, Florin Resource Conservation District	
Joanna McVay, North Highlands Recreation & Park District	
Edwin Perez, Reclamation District #1000	
Michael Seaman, Fulton-El Camino Recreation & Park District	
Robert "Bob" Wichert, Sacramento Suburban Water District	

* Incumbent

LAFCo and Special Districts have the option of completing the election of special district representatives via e-mail. Does your district approve of LAFCo distributing electronic ballots to districts that wish to receive them in the future?

Yes No

If so, in the future does your district prefer to receive its ballot via e-mail and submit its vote electronically (via fax, e-mail or scanned ballot)?

Yes No

if Yes, ballots should be sent to e-mail address: _____

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SIGNATURE OF PRESIDING OFFICER (Original Signature Required):

AMERICAN RIVER FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT

Note: Presiding Officer is the Chair/President. Any other signature invalidates this ballot, unless accompanied by Meeting Minutes designating an alternate.

PRINTED NAME OF PRESIDING OFFICER (Required):

AMERICAN RIVER FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT

AGENDA ATTACHED (Optional): Yes No

Attest:

District Secretary, Clerk or General Manager