
**REGULAR BOARD MEETING
AGENDA
TRI-DAM PROJECT
of THE OAKDALE IRRIGATION DISTRICT and
THE SOUTH SAN JOAQUIN IRRIGATION DISTRICT
NOVEMBER 17, 2022
9:00 A.M.**

**Oakdale Irrigation District
1205 East F Street
Oakdale, CA 95361**

*** SEE BELOW FOR INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING PUBLIC COMMENT AND
PARTICIPATION**

NOTICE: Coronavirus (COVID-19)

A COMPLETE COPY OF THE AGENDA PACKET WILL BE AVAILABLE ON THE OAKDALE IRRIGATION DISTRICT WEB SITE (www.oakdaleirrigation.com) ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2022 AT 9:00 A.M. ALL WRITINGS THAT ARE PUBLIC RECORDS AND RELATE TO AN AGENDA ITEM WHICH ARE DISTRIBUTED TO A MAJORITY OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS LESS THAN 72 HOURS PRIOR TO THE MEETING NOTICED ABOVE WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE ON THE OAKDALE IRRIGATION DISTRICT WEB SITE (www.oakdaleirrigation.com).

**INFORMATION FOR MEETING DURING CONTINUED PROCLAIMED STATE OF
EMERGENCY**

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*The location of the Tri-Dam meeting will be at the office of the Oakdale Irrigation District, 1205 East F Street, Oakdale and will be open to the public based on a reservation system. Be advised these facilities only have 3 – 4 seats available for public access due to implemented protection measures for the COVID-19 virus.

****Public members who wish to participate, listen to, and provide comment on agenda items can do so by telephone by calling 1 (669) 900-9128, Access Code: 358-572-1867. All speakers commenting on Agenda Items are limited to five (5) minutes.**

Members of the public may also submit public comments in advance by e-mailing nfiez@oakdaleirrigation.com by 4:30 p.m., Wednesday, November 16, 2022.

In addition to the mandatory conditions set forth above, the Tri-Dam Directors will use sound discretion and make reasonable efforts to adhere as closely as reasonably possible to the provisions of the Brown Act, and other applicable local laws regulating the conduct of public meetings.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, a person requiring an accommodation, auxiliary aid, or service to participate in this meeting should contact the Executive Assistant at (209) 840-5504, as far in advance as possible but no later than 24 hours before the scheduled event. Best efforts will be made to fulfill the request.

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL: John Holbrook, Bob Holmes, Dave Kamper, Glenn Spyksma, Mike Weststeyn
Brad DeBoer, Herman Doornenbal, Tom Orvis, Linda Santos, Ed Tobias

PUBLIC COMMENT

CONSENT CALENDAR

ITEMS 1 - 3

1. Approve the regular board meeting minutes of October 20, 2022.
2. Approve the October statement of obligations.
3. Approve the Financial Statements of the nine months ending September 30, 2022.

ACTION CALENDAR

ITEMS 4 - 6

4. Review and possible action to approve of holiday time off between Christmas and New Year's for all Tri-Dam employees.
5. Review and possible action to approve of the Associated California Water Agencies Annual 2023 Membership Dues.
6. Review and possible action to approve the purchase of a milling machine and corresponding budget amendment.

DISCUSSION

ITEMS 7 - 11

7. 2022 IBEW Incentive Program.
8. Canyon Tunnel Update Presentation – 90% Design Proposal.
9. Discussion regarding the 1988 Agreement Conservation Accounting – *to be presented at the meeting.*
10. Discussion regarding the Power Purchase agreement process in negotiation.

11. Discussion of the 2023 Draft Budget – *to be presented at the meeting.*

COMMUNICATIONS

ITEMS 12 - 15

12. Staff reports as follows:
a. General Manager Report
b. Operations & Maintenance Report
c. Compliance Report
13. Generation Report
14. Fisheries studies on the Lower Stanislaus River
15. Directors' Comments

CLOSED SESSION

ITEM 16

16. a. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – EXISTING LITIGATION
Government Code § 54956.9(d)(1)
1. *SJTA v. State Water Resources Control Board*
Judicial Council Coordination Proceeding 5013
- b. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION
Possible Initiation of Litigation
Government Code § 54956.9(d)(4)
Four (4) cases
- c. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION
Significant Exposure to Litigation
Government Code § 54956.9(d)(2)
Two (2) cases
- d. PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT
Government Code sec. 54957(b)
1. General Manager
2. Finance & Administrative Manager
3. Finance Clerk

ADJOURNMENT

ITEM 17

17. Adjourn to the next regularly scheduled meeting

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Start time is immediately following the Tri-Dam Project meeting
which begins at 9:00 AM

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Matters listed under the consent calendar are considered routine and will be acted upon under one motion. There will be no discussion of these items unless a request is made to the Board President by a Director or member of the public. Those items will be considered at the end of the consent items.

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ADJOURNMENT

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5. Commissioner Comments.
6. Adjourn to the next regularly scheduled meeting.