# **ALMONTE SANITARY DISTRICT**

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DIRECTORS
Lew Kious, Chair
Casey Bertenthal, Secretary-Treasurer
Anne Lahaderne
Linda Rames
Robert Cox

DISTRICT MANAGER Shonn Dougherty

Minutes from February 27, 2023
Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors at Sewerage Agency of Southern Marin 450 Sycamore Avenue, Mill Valley

- 1. <u>Call to Order:</u> Chair Kious called the meeting to order at 5:06 P.M. Present: (Via Zoom Video Platform) Lew Kious, Anne Lahaderne, Linda Rames, Robert Cox (joined at 5:16 P.M.), Casey Bertenthal, Dave Haflich, Shonn Dougherty (District Manager).
- 2. <u>AB 361 Adopt a Monthly Resolution to Meet Remotely</u>: Motion to Approve by Linda, Seconded by Anne. Approved 4-0.
- 3. <u>Approval of Minutes</u> for January 23, 2023 Meeting. Motion to Approve by Casey, Seconded by Linda. Approved 4-0.
- 4. Public Open Time:
- 5. <u>Secretary-Treasurer's Report:</u> Casey reported as of this warrant cycle in fiscal 2022-23, we have spent \$423,742.69 which is 33.3% of the annual budget. This period equates to 67% of the 2022-23 annual budget year. We have \$915,601.53 remaining in reserves. Motion to approve made by Anne, Seconded by Linda. Approved 4-0.
- 6. Reports by Representatives to Other Meetings: Lew reported that the SASM meeting entailed Mark Grushayev updating the Board about construction on the plant. No violations or issues to report. LAFCo meeting reviewed first version of Municipal Service Review, no issues of concern.

#### February 2023 Staff Consultant Payments

| Almonte Payroll           | # of Meeting | Rate     | Gross    | Net      | Check # or   | Notes                        |  |
|---------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|----------|--------------|------------------------------|--|
|                           |              |          | Amt      | Amt      | Function     |                              |  |
| Shonn Dougherty           | Salary       | 4,066.67 | 4,066.67 | 3,388.54 | 10617        |                              |  |
| David Haflich             | Salary       | 500.00   | 500.00   | 461.75   | 10618        |                              |  |
| Lew Kious/Almonte         |              | 3 175.00 | 525.00   | 484.84   | 10619        | Meetings-Almonte, SASM, CSDA |  |
| Anne Lahaderne            |              | 1 150.00 | 150.00   | 138.53   | 10620        |                              |  |
| Linda Rames               |              | 1 150.00 | 150.00   | 138.53   | 10621        |                              |  |
| Robert Cox                |              | 1 150.00 | 150.00   | 138.53   | 10616        |                              |  |
| Casey Bertenthal          |              | 1 175.00 | 175.00   | 161.61   | 10615        |                              |  |
| Alyssa Schiffmann         | 1099-3.5 hrs | \$135/hr | 472.50   | 472.50   | 10622        |                              |  |
| Coastal Payroll Charg     | es           |          | 100.76   |          | EFT US Bank  |                              |  |
| Employer Soc. Sec         |              |          | 354.44   |          | EFT US Bank  |                              |  |
| Employer Medicare         |              |          | 82.87    |          | EFT US Bank  |                              |  |
| Total Financial Liability |              |          | 6,727.24 |          | US Bank      |                              |  |
|                           |              | BY:      | 4/2      |          | Casey Berten | Sec/Treas                    |  |

# On February 27, 2023 THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE ALMONTE SANITARY DISTRICT APPROVED THE FOLLOWING WARRANTS FOR PAYMENT:

| WARRANT   |  |   | FUND TO BE |        |           |
|-----------|--|---|------------|--------|-----------|
| NUMBER    | IN FAVOR OF                                | PURPOSE   | CHARGED    | OBJECT | AMOUNT    |
| 182180051 | Roto Rooter<br>(Donald J Calegari Ent Inc) | 1 USA @ (\$180.00) 3 USA's @ (\$225.00) 2022<br>Cleaning Program (\$23,242.50)                          | 8035       | 521810 | 24,097.50 |
| 182180052 | Shonn Dougherty                            | AT&T District Phone Bill (\$41.93), Staples (\$6.66),<br>Google Workspace (\$12.00), Staples (\$108.12) | 8035       | 521810 | 168.71    |
| 182180053 | SewerageAgency of Southern Marin           | CSRMA 2023 Pooled Liability Insurance   | 8035       | 521810 | 7,419.00  |
| 182180054 | Nute Engineering                           | 2022-23 CIP Engineering INV# 22441  | 8035       | 522512 | 6,855.00  |
| 182180055 | Terry Krieg                                | Fiscal Year 2022 Audit Service  | 8035       | 521810 | 7,500.00  |
| 182180056 | Almonte Sanitary District                  | Payroll Funding, February Payroll Liability   | 8035       | 511110 | 6,727.24  |

#### SUMMARIES BY CLASS

511110 SALARIES 6,727.24 521810 OPERATING EXPENSES 39,185.21 522512 CAPITAL PROJECTS 6,855.00

Total 52,767.45

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BY: Casey Bertenthal

TITLE: SECRETARY Pragrayer Sec/Treas

7. <u>Manager's Report</u>: A comprehensive Manager's report was included in the Board Packet.

### 8. New Business:

**Inform Board about SASM's RFP draft for sewer system maintenance and spill response-** Shonn updated Board about SASM's RFP with Roto Rooter concerning rates and services. Each SASM agency has their own individual contract with Roto Rooter and the response will serve as a guide to weigh options for Districts. Districts can use the Proposal as a template if they choose. SASM's Roto Rooter contract expires in October 2023.

Consider Joining the Tamalpais Area Community to support Community Plans- Lew informed Board that the Marin County Board of Supervisors passed a Resolution concerning housing elements required in Marin County. Sharon Rushton petitioned Board of Supervisors with concerns of the Resolution. Linda added that Almonte fits into the Tam Valley Planning Commission explaining that the County plans don't fit what Tam Valley has worked so hard to preserve. Linda proposed Almonte back Lew's signature supporting Sharon's petition to preserve the 1992 Community Plan (updated 5 years ago) of Tam Valley housing and building elements.

## 9. Old Business:

**Reconfirm time for March In-Person Board Meeting-** Board agreed on 6pm at the SASM Board Room

**Consideration of enacting Sewer Service Rebate Program or Change Rate-** Lew suggested putting it on the April Meeting Agenda.

- 10. Board Directors Members Open Time:
- 11. Next Meeting Date: March 27, 2023 @ 6pm.
- 12. <u>Adjournment:</u> The meeting was adjourned at 5:30pm. Motion to adjourn made by Linda, Seconded by Lew. Approved 5-0.