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MUIR BEACH COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

Minutes of the Special Board of Directors meeting held on Thursday, May 25, 2017

OFFICIAL MINUTES ONLY UPON APPROVAL

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Item 1 Call to Order:

Gary Friedman called the meeting of the Muir Beach Community Services District Board of Directors to order at approximately 7:02 PM.

Directors present: Gary Friedman, Victoria Hamilton-Rivers, Peter Lambert, Paul Jeschke

Directors absent: Lynda Grose

Staff present: Mary Halley, Interim District Manager

Item 2 **Adoption of Agenda:**

MOTION: To adopt the agenda as submitted. Hamilton-Rivers, seconded by Lambert Moved:

Vote: AYES: Unanimous

Item 3 Approval of Consent Calendar:

Hamilton-Rivers noted that there was information omitted from the May 10 and May 17 minutes. The following changes were made: On the May 10 minutes, the outcome of the closed session was a decision for the Board to interview the final candidates for the position of District Manager. The meeting adjourned at 9:50, Hamilton-Rivers moved to adjourn and Jeschke seconded. On the May 17 minutes, the outcome of the closed session was that instructions were provided to the members of the Personnel Committee. The meeting adjourned at 9:49, Hamilton-Rivers moved to adjourn and Grose seconded.

- A. Draft Minutes from the Regular Meeting of 5/3/17; the Special Meeting of 5/10/17, as amended, and the Special Meeting of 5/17/17, as amended.

B. Financial Report dated 4/30/17, as submitted.

Item 4 Proposal for District Manager Position:

MOTION: To approve Items A and B above. Hamilton-Rivers, seconded by Jeschke Moved:

Vote: AYES: Unanimous

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John Lavine reported on the hiring process of the Personnel Committee (consisting of himself, Frank

Schoenfeld and Jane McAlevey) over the past four months. A case was made to divide the current District Manager position into two positions. An extensive discussion ensued. Hamilton-Rivers read a statement from Grose who was not present at the meeting.

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MOTION: To modify the CSD District Manager job description to give the Board the

option of hiring one person to be District Manager or two people to be co-District Managers. In either instance, the Board's hiring decision will be revenue neutral; that is, the cost would be covered by the CSD budget.

Moved: Hamilton-Rivers, seconded by Jeschke

Vote: AYES: Unanimous

Item 5 Proposal for Extension of Interim DM:

 MOTION: To extend Mary Halley's existing contract as Interim District Manager

until the hiring process for a permanent district manager is complete.

Moved: Hamilton-Rivers, seconded by Jeschke

Vote: AYES: Unanimous

Item 6 Water Service Rate Adjustment:

Mary Halley presented her analysis of the District's historical water enterprise data. Although revenues have not increased significantly over time, expenses have. Electricity, payroll and repair costs have driven the increases. A water rate increase can be accomplished by resolution. Hamilton-Rivers read a statement submitted by Grose. Public discussion included questions on the base rate versus the various tiered rates and what policy is in other water districts. Halley's proposal is that both the base rate and the tiered rates be doubled. She and the Board will work on the issue between now and the July meeting.

Item 7 MBCC Rental Policy and Rates:

Halley provided a rate increase proposal to the Board. She had had a meeting with Amy Utstein, Laurie Piel and others. The group came to the conclusion that an incremental increase in hourly rates plus charges for additional items was needed.

Considerations included when the peak times are, residents who rent the Community Center for friends, when a facilitator should be required and others.

Item 8 November Election:

MOTION: To approve Resolution 2017-1.

Moved: Hamilton-Rivers, seconded by Lambert

Vote: AYES: Unanimous

<u>Item 9 Interim District Manager Report:</u>

The Interim District Manager Report is available at www.muirbeachcsd.com.

Item 10 Fire Department:

Continued to next meeting.

Item 11 Committee Reports:

No committee reports were given.

Item 12 Public Open Time:

No comments were made during public open time.

Item 13 Recognitions and Board Member Items of Interest:

No recognitions were made.

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Item 14 Request for Future Meeting Agenda Items:

No requests for future meeting agenda items were made.

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<u>Item 15 Items Removed from Consent Calendar:</u>

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No items were removed from the Consent Calendar

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<u>Item 16 Adjournment:</u>

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MOTION: To adjourn the meeting.

Hamilton-Rivers, seconded by Lambert Moved:

AYES: Unanimous Vote:

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The meeting adjourned at approximately 9:22 PM.