

Mission: The Coachella Valley Resource Conservation District assists public and private landowners in the protection and conservation of natural resources.

COACHELLA VALLEY RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT

AGENDA

Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors

Ruben Arias
President

January 15, 2025

Blaine Carian
Vice-President

8:00 AM (PDT)

Don Ackley
Director

Meeting Location

USDA Service Center

Celeste Alonzo
Director

81077 Indio Blvd., Ste. A

Indio, CA 92201

Juan De Lara
Director

I. Call to Order, Determination of a Quorum, Introductions

Yvonne Franco
*District Manager/
Secretary*

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Approval of Agenda

Minh C. Tran
*County Counsel
District Counsel*

IV. Public Comment

This item is reserved for persons desiring to address the board on any matter not on this agenda. However, if a response or Board Action is requested, the Board may refer the item to staff or place the matter on a future agenda.

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V. Correspondence, Announcements, and Presentations
None.

VI. Consent Calendar

Consent Calendar items are expected to be routine and non-controversial, to be acted upon by the Board at one time without discussion. If any Board member, staff member or interested person requests that an item be removed from the Consent Calendar, it shall be removed so that it may be acted upon separately.

A. Approval of Minutes for November 2024

B. Receive and File Financials for November 2024

C. Receive and File Financials for December 2024

- VII. Reports
 - A. NRCS reports – verbal report provided by USDA NRCS District Conservationist Tomas Aguilar-Campos

- VIII. Discussion Items and/or Old Business
 - A. Update: District Vehicle
 - B. Update: Weather Station Program
 - C. Update: Trees for Tomorrow event, Indio Library, November 23, 2024
 - D. Update: Tractor Tire Recycling Event, December 16, 2024
 - E. Update: District Business Checking Account Bank Signers

- IX. Board Action and Discussion Items
 - A. Discussion of Palm Desert Property
 - B. District Programs

- X. District General Counsel Reports and Announcements
None.

- XI. District Items for Future Board Consideration
Discussion at Board Meeting

- XII. Closed Session
None.

- XIII. Date and location of Next District Regular Board Meeting
 - Date: February 19, 2025
 - Location: USDA Indio Service Center
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- XIV. Adjournment

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