

# AGENDA ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF CARPINTERIA VALLEY WATER DISTRICT FINANCING CORPORATION

Wednesday, January 8, 2025 at 5:35 p.m.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS** 

Case Van Wingerden President

Casey Balch Polly Holcombe Patrick O'Connor Matthew Roberts

**GENERAL MANAGER** 

Robert McDonald, P.E. MPA

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Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Financing Corporation, will be held on Wednesday, January 8, 2025 at 5:35 p.m. to consider and discuss the following items:

- I. CALL TO ORDER, President Van Wingerden.
- II. PUBLIC FORUM (Any person may address the Board of Directors on any matter within its jurisdiction which is not on the agenda.).
- III. APPROVAL ITEMS
  - A. \*\*Minutes of the Finance Corporation meeting held on January 24, 2024.
- **IV.** Election of Officers
  - A. President (currently Case Van Wingerden)
  - **B.** Vice President (currently vacant)
  - C. Board Secretary (currently Lisa Silva)
  - D. Chief Financial Officer (currently Norma Rosales)
- V. \*\*Schedule of Debt Service (for information, Chief Financial Officer Rosales)
- VI. Consider Date and Items for Agenda for next annual meeting on January 14, 2026 at 5:35 p.m. in Carpinteria City Hall.
- VII. ADJOURNMENT.

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<sup>\*\*</sup>Indicates attachment of document to agenda packet.

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	MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS			
		LLEY WATER DISTRICT G CORPORATION		
	January 24, 2024			
	President Van Wingerden called Corporation meeting of the Carp Board of Directors held in the C at 5:34 p.m., Wednesday, Janua	ointeria Valley Water District Carpinteria City Hall Chamber		
	Directors Present: Holcombe, Van Wingerden, Roberts, Johnson and Balch. Directors Absent: None			
	Others Present: Bob McDonald			
	Cari Ann Potts Norma Rosales Lisa Silva Maso Motlow	Dave O'Rourke Tracey Solomon Scott Van Der Kar Peter Lapidus Anthony Priestman		
PUBLIC FORUM	No one from the public addresse	ed the Board.		
MINUTES	Following discussion, Director Johnson seconded the motion to January 11, 2023, meeting of the motion carried by a 5-0 vote. T call as follows;  Ayes: Roberts, Johnson, Holcom Nayes: None Absent: None	approve the minutes of the e Financing Corporation. The he motion was approved by roll		
ELECTION OF OFFICERS	President, Shirley Johnson as V	to elect Case Van Wingerden as ice President, Robert McDonald as as Chief Financial Officer. The me motion was approved by roll		

SCHEDULE OF DEBT SERVICE	Chief Financial Officer Rosales gave a verbal update for the Schedule of Debt Service.  For Information.
NEXT ANNUAL MEETING	The next annual meeting of the CVWD Financing Corporation is scheduled to be held on January 8, 2025 at 5:35 p.m., in Carpinteria City Hall, 5775 Carpinteria Avenue, Carpinteria California.
ADJOURNMENT	President Van Wingerden adjourned the meeting at 5:36 p.m.  Robert McDonald, Board Secretary

### Note 5 – <u>Long-Term Debt</u>

Long-term debt of the District is as follows:

	Balance June 30, 2023	Additions	Retirements/ Amortization	Balance June 30, 2024	Due Within One Year
Series 2016A Refunding Revenue Bonds Unamortized bond premium	\$ 5,015,000 1,000,221	\$ - -	\$ (480,000) (100,022)	\$ 4,535,000 900,199	\$ 500,000 100,022
Total Series 2016A Bonds	6,015,221		(580,022)	5,435,199	600,022
Series 2020A Refunding Revenue Bonds Unamortized bond premium	16,720,000 2,942,666	-	(415,000) (226,359)	16,305,000 2,716,307	435,000 226,359
Total Series 2020A Bonds	19,662,666		(641,359)	19,021,307	661,359
Series 2020B Refunding Revenue Bonds Total Series 2020B Bonds	3,525,000 3,525,000		(100,000) (100,000)	3,425,000 3,425,000	105,000 105,000
Series 2020C Refunding Revenue Bonds Unamortized bond premium Total Series 2020C Bonds	1,510,000 232,534 1,742,534		(17,887) (17,887)	1,510,000 214,647 1,724,647	
Siemens Master Lease Purchase Bonds	4,694,987		(413,694)	4,281,293	425,198
Capital Leases	118,190	164,890	(84,752)	198,328	63,380
Compensated Absences	680,474	335,232	(255,685)	760,021	91,050
Net Pension Liability	594,250	322,562		916,812	
Net OPEB Liability	732,747	192,129		924,876	
Long-term debt	\$37,766,069	\$ 1,014,813	\$(2,093,399)	\$36,687,483	\$ 1,963,896

#### Note 5 – <u>Long-Term Debt</u> (Continued)

#### A) Revenue Certificates of Participation and Bonds

Series 2016A:

In May 2016, the District issued the Refunding Revenue Bonds, Series 2016A (2016A Bonds) with a principal amount of \$8,765,000 and premium of \$1,713,989 with interest rates ranging from 2% to 5%. The Bonds were executed and delivered 1) to refund the entire outstanding aggregate principal amount and interest of the 2006A COPs and 2) to refund a portion of the District's obligations under the Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Contract #SRF99CX125. The remaining obligations under the Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Contract #SRF99CX125 were repaid by funds contributed by the District.

The refunding resulted in decreased total debt service payments from \$11,851,263 to \$10,302,396. This decreased cash flow created an economic gain of approximately \$1,344,787 when discounted at the 2016A Bonds' effective interest rate of 1.8115713%. Total annual requirements to amortize the Series 2016A Bonds are as follows:

Fiscal				
Year End	Principal	Interest	Total	
2025	\$ 500,000	\$ 214,250	\$ 714,250	
2026	525,000	188,625	713,625	
2027	555,000	161,625	716,625	
2028	485,000	135,625	620,625	
2029	510,000	110,750	620,750	
2030 - 2033	1,960,000	186,000	2,146,000	
	\$ 4,535,000	\$ 996,875	\$ 5,531,875	

Series 2020A:

In March 2020, the District issued the Refunding Revenue Bonds, Series 2020A (2020A Bonds) with a principal amount of \$17,915,000 and premium of \$3,668,272 with interest rates of 5%. The Bonds were executed and delivered 1) to provide a portion of the money to refund all of the currently outstanding 2010A; 2) to prepay the District's share of the outstanding balance of a Department of Water Resources joint loan contract; 3) to pay costs of issuance of the 2020 bonds. Total annual requirements to amortize the Series 2020A Bonds are as follows:

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### Note 5 – <u>Long-Term Debt</u> (Continued)

### A) Revenue Certificates of Participation and Bonds (Continued)

Series 2020A (Continued):

Fiscal			
Year End	<u>Principal</u>	Interest	Total
2025	\$ 435,000	\$ 804,375	\$ 1,239,375
2026	460,000	782,000	1,242,000
2027	485,000	758,375	1,243,375
2028	950,000	722,500	1,672,500
2029	1,290,000	666,500	1,956,500
2030 - 2034	7,540,000	2,283,000	9,823,000
2035 - 2036	5,145,000	279,625	5,424,625
	\$16,305,000	\$ 6,296,375	\$22,601,375

Series 2020B:

In March 2020, the District issued the Refunding Revenue Bonds, Series 2020B (2020B Bonds) with a principal amount of \$3,720,000 with interest rates ranging from 2.56% to 3.32%. The Bonds were executed and delivered 1) to refund the District's net pension liability; and 2) to pay costs of issuance of the 2020 bonds. Total annual requirements to amortize the Series 2020B Bonds are as follows:

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Year End	<u>Principal</u>	Interest	Total
2025	\$ 105,000	\$ 129,434	\$ 234,434
2026	105,000	126,379	231,379
2027	110,000	123,143	233,143
2028	115,000	119,647	234,647
2029	120,000	115,916	235,916
2030 - 2034	650,000	513,664	1,163,664
2035 - 2039	795,000	370,110	1,165,110
2040 - 2044	975,000	192,369	1,167,369
2045 - 2046	450,000	18,359	468,359
	\$ 3,425,000	\$ 1,709,020	\$ 5,134,020

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#### Note 5 – <u>Long-Term Debt</u> (Continued)

#### A) Revenue Certificates of Participation and Bonds (Continued)

Series 2020C:

In March 2020, the District issued the Refunding Revenue Bonds, Series 2020C (2020C Bonds) with a principal amount of \$1,500,000 and premium of \$150,000 with interest rates of 5%. The Bonds were executed and delivered 1) to finance the cost of certain water utility system improvements and 2) to pay costs of executing and delivering the Certificates. Total annual requirements to amortize the Series 2020C Bonds are as follows:

Fiscal	D		
Year End	Principal	<u>Interest</u>	Total
2025	\$ -	\$ 75,500	\$ 75,500
2026	-	75,500	75,500
2027	-	75,500	75,500
2028	135,000	72,125	207,125
2029	145,000	65,125	210,125
2030 - 2034	835,000	207,375	1,042,375
2035 - 2036	395,000	19,875	414,875
	\$ 1,510,000	\$ 591,000	\$ 2,101,000

#### B) Cater Treatment Plant Expansion Project Financing Agreement

The District entered into a financing agreement with the City of Santa Barbara dated February 27, 2002, which requires the District to pay twenty percent of a loan obligation between the City of Santa Barbara and the California Drinking Water State Revolving Fund. The loan proceeds were used to finance certain improvements to the Cater Treatment Plant in order to meet new water quality standards imposed on public agencies. The loan provides for a 20 year loan amortization maturing on July 1, 2025, bearing an interest rate of approximately 2.5%. The improvements were completed in January 2005 and the District's portion of the loan in the amount of \$3,580,170 was recorded on the statement of net position at June 30, 2005. The District is required to make semi-annual payments of interest and principal in the amount of \$114,425 payable to the City of Santa Barbara on December 15<sup>th</sup> and June 15<sup>th</sup> each year. During the year ended June 30, 2023, the loan was paid in full.

### **Note 5 – <u>Long-Term Debt</u>** (Continued)

#### C) Siemens Master Lease Purchase Agreement

The District entered into a master lease agreement with Siemens Financial Services, Inc., on August 2, 2017, in the amount of \$6,468,656 to finance the replacement of all installed mechanical water meters with digital meters and the attendant remote reading and reporting infrastructure, installation of a solar carport, and retrofit of all headquarter buildings with LED lights. The projected benefits of increased revenue collection due to more accurate meters and savings in electrical costs due to solar panel and LED lighting installations are projected to offset the total lease costs over the life of the lease. The District entered into a performance contracting agreement with Siemens Industry, Inc., to guarantee the projected cost savings. The lease payment period is fifteen years, commencing August 2018, with an annual amount of \$538,677 paid quarterly and an interest rate of 2.7525%.

Fiscal Year End	Principal	Interest	Total		
2025	\$ 425,198	\$ 113,479	\$ 538,677		
2026	437,023	101,654	538,677		
2027	449,177	89,500	538,677		
2028	461,669	77,008	538,677		
2029	474,508	64,169	538,677		
2030 - 2033	2,033,718	120,992	2,154,710		
	\$ 4,281,293	\$ 566,802	\$ 4,848,095		

Lease Element	Capital Asset Class	Amount	% Complete
Meter replacement	Transmission and Distribution Infrastructure	\$ 5,557,156	100%
Lighting Retrofit	Buildings	25,500	100%
Solar Carport	Buildings	886,000	100%
Total Master Lease Purchased Assets		\$ 6,468,656	

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#### Note 5 – <u>Long-Term Debt</u> (Continued)

#### D) Capital Lease Commitments

The District routinely leases equipment on an ongoing basis. In accordance with GASB Statement No. 87, Leases, lease agreements with terms greater than one year are classified as leased assets, with a corresponding liability measured at the present value of payments to be made per lease terms. The following is a schedule showing the future minimum lease payments as of June 30, 2024:

#### Fiscal

Year End	Princ	ipal	Iı	nterest	 Γotal
2025	\$ 6	3,380	\$	5,092	\$ 68,472
2026	4	1,974		3,379	45,353
2027	3	3,091		2,337	35,428
2028	3	4,098		1,330	35,428
2029	2	5,785		325	26,110
	\$ 19	8,328	\$	12,463	\$ 210,791

As of June 30, 2024, the cost of assets and related accumulated depreciation under the capital leases were as follows:

		Balance
	Accumulated	June 30,
Gross	Depreciation	2024
\$ 631,848	\$(431,845)	\$ 200,003

#### Note 6 – Defined Benefit Pension Plan

#### General Information about the Pension Plans

Water District's Miscellaneous Employee Pension Plans, cost-sharing multiple employer defined benefit pension plans administered by the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS). Benefit provisions under the Plans are established by State statute and local government resolution. CalPERS issues publicly available reports that include a full description of the pension plans regarding benefit provisions, assumptions and membership information that can be found on the CalPERS website. Eligible employees hired after January 1, 2013 that are considered new members as defined by the Public Employees' Pension Reform Act (PEPRA) are participating in the PEPRA Miscellaneous Plan.

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