

Todd Harms
Fire Chief

# Cinthia Saylors

Board President
Division 1

## D'Elman Clark

Board Vice President Division 6

#### **Walt White**

Board Secretary Division 9

## **Grant Goold**

Board Member Division 2

## Randy Orzalli

Board Member Division 3

## **Ted Wood**

Board Member Division 4

#### Jennifer Sheetz

Board Member Division 5

# Matt Kelly

Board Member Division 7

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Board Member Division 8

# Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District

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# **BOARD OF DIRECTORS - REGULAR MEETING**

Thursday, April 14, 2022 – 6:00 PM
Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District
10545 Armstrong Avenue
Board Room – Second Floor
Mather, California

Remotely Via Zoom Phone: (669) 900-6833 Webinar ID: 896 7644 6769# Passcode: 716 950 517#

The mission of the Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District is to provide professional and compassionate protection, education and service to our community.

The Governor has declared a State of Emergency to exist in California as a result of the threat of COVID-19 (aka the "Coronavirus"). The Governor issued Executive Order N-25-20 and N-29-20, which directs Californians to follow public health directives including canceling large gatherings. Per the State of Emergency effective March 2, 2020, the Board of Directors of the Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District proclaimed that a local emergency exists, and authorized remote teleconference meetings from February 24, 2022 through March 25, 2022 pursuant to Brown Act provisions.

The Public's health and well-being are the top priority for the Board of Directors of the Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District and you are urged to take all appropriate health safety precautions. If you would like to view the meeting via the Zoom Application, please contact Board Clerk Penilla via email at the address listed below.

Members of the public seeking to attend and to address the Board who require reasonable accommodations to access the meeting, based on disability or other reasons, should contact the following person at least forty-eight (48) hours in advance of a Regular meeting to make arrangements for such reasonable accommodations:

Melissa Penilla Board Clerk (916) 859-4305 penilla.melissa@metrofire.ca.gov

The Board will convene in open session at 6:00 p.m.



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**CALL TO ORDER** 

**ROLL CALL** 

PLEDGE TO FLAG

## METRO CABLE ANNOUNCEMENT

The Open Session Meeting is videotaped for cablecast on Metro Cable 14. Replay on Sunday, April 17<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 noon and Monday, April 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm on Channel 14; Webcast at **metro14live.saccounty.net**.

# PUBLIC OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS MATTERS OF PUBLIC INTEREST WITHIN DISTRICT JURISDICTION INCLUDING ITEMS ON OR NOT ON AGENDA

The Board of Directors of the Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District appreciates and encourages public interest and welcomes questions and opinions at its meetings. Public members desiring to address the Board are requested to first be recognized by the presiding officer and identify themselves for the record. The presiding officer may in the interest of time and good order limit the number of public member presentations. Speakers' comments will be limited to **three minutes** (Per Section 31 of the Board of Directors Policies and Procedures).

In accordance with Section 31 of the Board of Directors Policies and Procedures, members of the Public requesting their written comments be read into the meeting record must be present or have a representative present to read their comments during the time allotted.

# **CONSENT ITEMS**

Matters of routine approval including but not limited to action summary minutes, referral of issues to committee, committee referrals to the full Board, items that require yearly approval, declaration of surplus equipment, and other consent matters. Consent Agenda is acted upon as one unit unless a Board member requests separate discussion and/or action.

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Action Summary Minutes
 Recommendation: Approve the Action Summary Minutes for the Regular Board meeting of March 24, 2022.

# **ACTION ITEMS**

- Ratification of Resolution to Extend Teleconference of Board
   Meetings (Government Code 54953(e) (3)) (President Saylors)
   Recommendation: Consider adopting a Resolution which would extend the ability to teleconference without compliance of Government Code paragraph (3) of subdivision (b) of section 54953 from April 14, 2022-May 13, 2022 or until further re-ratified.
- Dissolution Agreement for the California Fire and Rescue Training
   Authority (CFRTA) (Chief Harms and General Counsel Lavra)
   Recommendation: Approve the dissolution agreement, and authorize the Fire Chief to execute the agreement.



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- 3. Industrial Disability Retirement Joseph M. Reyes
  Recommendation: After discussion in Closed Session, consider adopting a
  Resolution finding Firefighter Reyes has suffered job related injuries
  and is eligible for an Industrial Disability Retirement.
- 4. Industrial Disability Retirement Roy E. Rud
  Recommendation: After discussion in Closed Session, consider adopting a
  Resolution finding Firefighter Rud has not suffered job related injuries
  and is not eligible for an Industrial Disability Retirement.

## **REPORTS**

- 1. **PRESIDENT'S REPORT**—(President Saylors)
- 2. FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT—(Fire Chief Harms)
  OPERATIONS' REPORT (Deputy Chief Mitchell)
- 3. SMFD FIREFIGHTERS LOCAL 522 REPORT (BC Matt Cole, Local 522 Vice President)
- 4. COMMITTEE AND DELEGATE REPORTS

All Committee Meetings will be held at the Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District Board Room, 10545 Armstrong Avenue, Mather, California unless otherwise specified.

A. Executive Committee – (President Saylors)
Report Out: April 14, 2022 at 5:00 PM

Next Meeting: TBD

B. Communications Center JPA – (DC Wagaman)

Report Out: Special Meeting, March 31, 2022 at 9:00 AM

Regular Meeting, April 12, 2022 at 9:00 AM

Next Meeting: May 10, 2022 at 9:00 AM

C. California Fire & Rescue Training JPA – (Fire Chief Harms)

Next Meeting: April 20, 2022 at 9:00 AM Location: 3121 Gold Canal Drive Mather, CA 95670

D. Finance and Audit Committee – (Director Orzalli)

Next Meeting: TBD

E. Policy Committee – (Director Goold)

Next Meeting: May 12, 2022 at 5:30 PM

# **BOARD MEMBER QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS**



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## **CLOSED SESSION**

1. Conference with Labor Negotiator

Pursuant to California Government Code Section 54957.6

**A.** District Negotiator: Jack Hughes, Liebert Cassidy Whitmore Employee Organization: Sacramento Area Fire Fighters Local 522

B. District Negotiator: Jack Hughes, Liebert Cassidy Whitmore

Employee Organization: Battalion Chiefs Bargaining Group,

Sacramento Area Fire Fighters Local 522

C. District Negotiator: Jack Hughes, Liebert Cassidy Whitmore

Employee Organization: Administrative Support Personnel (ASP)

Affiliate of Sacramento Area Fire Fighters Local 522

**D.** District Negotiator: Jack Hughes, Liebert Cassidy Whitmore

Employee Organization: Safety Senior Management, Management

and Unrepresented Confidential Employees

**E.** District Negotiator: Jack Hughes, Liebert Cassidy Whitmore

Employee Organization: Non-Safety Senior Management, Management

and Unrepresented Confidential Employees

2. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION – Significant Exposure to litigation pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9 (b): One (1) case

Claim Against Public Entity Pursuant to Government Code Section 910 Kaila Kailonn v. Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District Ty Bailey, Deputy Chief Administration

- 3. Pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9 (a) Two (2) matters of Industrial Disability Retirement.
  - A. Joseph M Reyes and the Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District Claim # SMDP 549570 Industrial Disability Retirement Ty Bailey, Deputy Chief Administration
  - B. Roy E Rud and the Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District
     Claim # 4A220101GBD 0001 Industrial Disability Retirement –
     Ty Bailey, Deputy Chief Administration

REPORT OUT FROM CLOSED SESSION

**ADJOURNMENT** 



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# **NEXT BOARD MEETING(S):**

Unless specified differently, all meetings of the Board are held at Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District, 10545 Armstrong Avenue, Mather, CA

Next Board Meeting – April 28, 2022 at 6:00 PM

The following action and presentation items are scheduled for the next board meeting agenda. Board members are requested to identify additional action or presentation items they desire to be scheduled on the agenda.

ANTICIPATED AGENDA ITEMS: TBD

Posted on April 11, 2022

Melissa Penilla, Clerk of the Board

\* No written report

\*\* Separate Attachment

## **DISABILITY INFORMATION:**

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