

PORT COSTA SANITARY COMMISSION

Regular Business Meeting
AGENDA FOR WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2022

TIME: 7:00 PM
PLACE: Port Costa School, 1 Plaza Del Hambre, Port Costa

The Port Costa Sanitary Commission is an agent of the Crockett Community Services District.

1. CALL TO ORDER – ROLL CALL
2. CALL FOR REQUESTS TO CONSIDER ITEMS OUT OF ORDER
3. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS:
(The Board is prohibited from discussing items not on this agenda. Matters brought up that are not on the agenda may be referred to staff for action or calendared on a future agenda.)
4. PUBLIC HEARING:
5. ADMINISTRATIVE:
 - a. Consider report on actions taken by the District Board.
 - b. Receive Self-Monitoring Report cover letters for September and October 2022.
 - c. Approve meeting schedule for 2023.
 - d. Election of officers for 2023.
6. BUDGET AND FINANCE:
7. WASTEWATER:
8. REPORT OF DEPARTMENT MANAGER: (These items are typically for exchange of information only. No action will be taken at this time.)
 - a. Operations, maintenance and capital improvements.
 - b. Governmental matters.
 - c. Announcements and discussion.
9. REPORTS FROM COMMISSIONERS: (These items are typically for exchange of information only. No action will be taken at this time.)
10. CONSENT CALENDAR: Consideration of a motion to approve the following item:
 - a. Approve Minutes of October 12, 2022.

11. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:
Bull Valley Agricultural Center & Port Costa School – scope and costs.
Backup effluent pump with capacity to handle wet weather flow.
12. COMMENTS FROM COMMISSIONERS:
13. ADJOURNMENT to January 11, 2023.

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October 30, 2022

William Burrell
Water Resource Control Engineer
San Francisco Bay Regional
Water Quality Control Board
1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400
Oakland, CA 94612

SUBJECT: Self-Monitoring Report Submittal for September and third quarter 2022 for Crockett Community Services District (CCSD) WWTP Port Costa, CA

The Legally Responsible Official (LRO) for CCSD is James Barnhill, contact phone number (510) 787-2992. The Chief Plant Operator is Nicholas Gaunt with Valley Operators, a licensed California Wastewater Treatment Plant Contract Operator (40029), contact phone number (925) 698-4636.

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The monthly report for September and third quarter 2022 has been uploaded to the CIWQS website.

During the month of September, no exceedances occurred.

The following samples were not collected for third quarter: copper effluent and cyanide effluent.

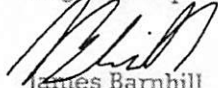
I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designated to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

Prepared by:



Nicholas Gaunt,
Chief Plant Operator

Legally Responsible Official:



James Barnhill
Port Costa Manager

cc: Casey Wichert, Valley Operators

November 29, 2022

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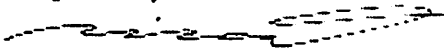
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MEETING SCHEDULES/HOLIDAYS FOR 2023

<i>Commission</i>	<i>Jan</i>	<i>Feb</i>	<i>March</i>	<i>April</i>	<i>May</i>	<i>June</i>	<i>July</i>	<i>Aug</i>	<i>Sept</i>	<i>Oct</i>	<i>Nov</i>	<i>Dec</i>
PLC/Recreation	2	6	6	3	1	5	3	No Mtg	11	2	6	4
Port Costa	11	8	8	12	10	7	12	9	13	11	1**	6**
Crockett Sanitary	18	15	15	19	17	14	19	16	20	18	8**	13**
District Board	25	22	22	26	24	21	26	23	27	25	15**	20**
Memorial Hall												
<i>Holidays</i>												
New Year's	1*											
Martin Luther King	16											
Presidents' Day		20										
Memorial Day					29							
Independence Day							4					
Labor Day									4			
Veterans Day											10*	
Thanksgiving Day											23, 24	
Cesar Chavez Day			31									
Christmas Day												25

* Observed
 ** One Week Early
 *** Tuesday

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MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING, OCTOBER 12, 2022

1. CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 7:03 PM by Commissioner Cusack. Present were Commissioners Klaiber, and Scheer, along with Dept. Manager Barnhill. Commissioners List and Surges were absent.
2. AGENDA ORDER: There were no requests to hear agenda items out of order.
3. PUBLIC COMMENTS: None
4. PUBLIC HEARING: None
- 5.a. DISTRICT BOARD ACTIONS: None
- 5.b. SELF-MONITORING REPORT: Mr. Barnhill reported that no exceedances occurred in August and no sanitary sewer overflows occurred in September.
6. FINANCIAL REPORT: Mr. Barnhill reported that the monthly summary worksheet includes debts owed by the Recreation Department. The debt is due to a prior lack of Recreation Department checks and their use of Port Costa Sanitary Department checks.
7. WASTEWATER: None
- 8.a. STAFF REPORT ON OPERATIONS: Mr. Barnhill reported that the scum layer in chamber #1 of the septic tank has built up and needs to be removed in preparation for the wet weather season. He said he contacted WCWD to schedule their vacuum truck and crew. The scum layer has been removed twice per year following the tank rehabilitation, the baffles are working well to prevent the floating scum layer from passing to the treatment plant. He said the sludge is settling throughout the first three chambers of the tank, no sludge has been measured in the final (4th) chamber. He recommended that staff time be dedicated in planning for sludge removal. Mr. Barnhill recommended dedicating staff time toward researching and obtaining an emergency pump capable of handling town flow in the event of primary influent pump failure.
- 8.b. STAFF REPORT ON GOVERNMENTAL MATTERS: None
- 8.c. STAFF ANNOUNCEMENTS: Mr. Barnhill reported that the odor issues in the Crockett are being dealt with and parties involved are working together to remedy the situation.
9. REPORTS FROM COMMISSIONERS: None

Commissioners: Tom Cusack, Karren Klaiber, Tom List, Anne Scheer, Joe Surges

- 10. CONSENT CALENDAR:** The consent item was approved unanimously (as/kk):
a. Approve Minutes of September 7, 2022.

11. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:

Bull Valley Agricultural Center & Port Costa School – scope and costs.
Acquire backup effluent pump with capacity to maintain flow to filter beds

12. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS:

- 13. ADJOURNMENT:** The meeting was adjourned at 7:38 PM until November 2, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,



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James Barnhill
October 27, 2022