

**BANTA-CARBONA IRRIGATION DISTRICT  
NOTICE OF REGULAR BOARD MEETING AND AGENDA**

**March 16, 2022 – 9:00 am**

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Notice is hereby given that a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Banta-Carbona Irrigation District (BCID) will be held on the above named date and time, at the Banta-Carbona Irrigation District, 3514 West Lehman Road, Tracy, California 95304; or by conference call. Note: If you need disability-related modification or accommodation in order to participate in this meeting, please contact the Secretary of the Board of Directors at (209) 835-4670 at least 48 hours prior to the start of the meeting. Government Code Section 54954.2(a).

ITEM 1- Board to consider the circumstances of the state of emergency and determine that (i) The state of emergency continues to directly impact the ability of the members to meet safely in person and/or (ii) State or local officials continue to impose or recommend measures to promote social distancing. Action as necessary.

ITEM 2 - Minutes & Treasurer's Report

ITEM 3 - Miscellaneous Correspondence

ITEM 4 - Manager's Report & Discussion Items.

ITEM 5 - Director and Staff Items

ITEM 6 - Review current water supplies available to the District, review scheduling of available water supplies and potential rationing. Action as necessary

ITEM 7 – Request to purchase a segment of 5 West Canal Lateral north of Linne Road with a pipeline in it. In return an easement would be granted to the District for the pipeline. Action as necessary.

ITEM 8 – Review B.F Sisk Dam Raise and Reservoir Expansion Project Activity Agreement. Action as necessary.

ITEM 9 – Review BCID GSA policy for groundwater pumping during curtailment periods. Action as necessary.

ITEM 10 - Update on San Joaquin River fish population study. Action as necessary.

ITEM 11 - Report on progress of PROP 1 Grant Contract development to study, design, and permit a habitat restoration project to include biotechnical bank stabilization for long term sustainability of the habitat restoration and protection of District's diversion point. Action as necessary.

ITEM 12 - Update on the Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP) for the Tracy Subbasin. Action as necessary

ITEM 13 - CLOSED SESSION:

- 1) CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL on EXISTING LITIGATION PURSUANT to Subdivision (a) of Section 54956.9 of the Government Code
  - A. Banta-Carbona Irrigation District v. California State Water Resources Control Board, et al, Case No. 2015-1-CV-285182 in Santa Clara County Superior Court, Dept 1. This case originated in San Joaquin County as Case No. 39-2015- 00326421-CU-WM-STK, currently on appeal in the 6<sup>th</sup> District.
  - B. Banta-Carbona Irrigation District v. California State Water Resources Control Board, et al, Case No. 34-2021-80003718 in Sacramento County Superior Court, Department 17
  - C. Center for Biological Diversity et al. v. United States Bureau of Reclamation, et al., Case No. 1:20-cv-00706;DAD-EPG, Eastern District of California

2) CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION

Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to subdivision(b) of Section 54956.9 (1 potential case)

ITEM 14 - Update on pipeline construction to Yamasaki Farms to serve in-District parcels #255-120-10 and 255-270-16. Action as necessary

ITEM 15 – Update on filling future open positions of Secretary/Treasurer, Administrative Assistant, Ditchtender, and Maintenance. Action as necessary.

ITEM 16 - Approval of Warrants

**ADJOURNMENT**

Any materials related to items on this agenda distributed to the Board of Directors of Banta-Carbona Irrigation District less than 72 hours before the public meeting are available for public inspection at the District's offices located at the following address: 3514 W. Lehman Rd., Tracy, CA 95304. Upon request, these materials may be made available in an alternative format to persons with disabilities.