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Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors July 7, 2025 at 1:30 p.m.

President Valdivia will be participating via teleconference from the following location:

Carivan Outpost, 317 Bryant St. Ojai, CA 93023

AGENDA

This meeting is being held virtually and in person. Link and telephone option provided is available for the convenience of the public.

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Members of the public who wish to comment on any item within the jurisdiction of the Agency or any item on the agenda may submit comments by emailing mcabral@sgpwa.com or may do so during the meeting. Comments will become part of the Board meeting record.

*In order to reduce feedback, please mute your audio when you are not speaking.

Esta reunión se llevará a cabo virtualmente y en persona. El enlace y la opción telefónica proporcionada es para la comodidad del público.

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- 1. Call to Order, Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Adjustment and Adoption of Agenda
- 4. Public Comment

Members of the public may address the Board at this time concerning items relating to any matter within the Agency's jurisdiction. There will be an opportunity to comment on specific agenda items, as the items are addressed.

Speakers are requested to keep their comments to no more than five minutes. Under the Brown Act, no action or discussion shall take place on any item not appearing on the agenda, except that the Board or staff may briefly respond to statements made or questions posed for the purpose of directing statements or questions to staff for follow-up.

5. Consent Calendar

If any board member requests that an item be removed from the Consent Calendar, it will be removed so that it may be acted upon separately.

- A. Approve Minutes of the June 16, 2025, Regular Meeting of the San Gorgonio Pass Water Agency Board of Directors, (pg. 4)
- B. Approve Finance and Budget Committee Meeting Report for June 2025, (pg. 9)
- C. Approve Resolution No. 2025-04, Appropriations Limit for Fiscal Year 2025-26, (pg.33)

6. Reports - Staff

- A. General Manager's Report
- B. General Counsel's Report

7. Informational Presentations and Updates

A. Update on Golden Mussels, (pg. 37)

8. New Business - Discussion and Possible Action

- A. Consideration of Approval for the Purchase of One (1) 2025 Ford Explorer through Sourcewell Cooperative Purchasing Program in an amount not to exceed \$60,000, including all applicable taxes and fees, (pg. 52)
- B. Consideration of Cost-of-Living Adjustment for Fiscal Year 2025-26, (pg. 103)
- C. Approve Proposed Debt Service Budget for Fiscal Year 2025-26, (pg. 107)
- D. Approve Resolution No. 2025-05, Setting Tax Rate for Fiscal Year 2025-26, (pg.124)

9. Reports – Directors and Committees

10. Board Requests for Future Agenda Items

11. Announcements

- A. Regular Board Meeting, July 21, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.
- B. Finance & Budget Committee Meeting, July 24, 2025 at 10:00 a.m.
- C. Regular Board Meeting, August 4, 2025 at 1:30 p.m.
- D. Southern California Water Conference, August 8, 2025

12. Adjournment

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Pending Agenda Items:

Request	Requester	Date of Request	Status
Agency Law Workshop	Walton	5/5/25	
Heli-Hydrant Dedication to Fallen Firefighter(s)	Walton	6/16/25	

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