



The Mission of the Las Gallinas Valley Sanitary District is to protect public health and the environment by providing effective wastewater collection, treatment, and recycling services.

DISTRICT BOARD
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General Manager
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District Engineer
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BOARD MEETING AGENDA

January 21, 2021

On March 12, 2020, Governor Newsom issued Executive Order N-25-20, which enhances State and Local Governments' ability to respond to COVID-19 Pandemic based on Guidance for Gatherings issued by the California Department of Public Health. The Executive Order specifically allows local legislative bodies to hold meetings via teleconference and to make meetings accessible electronically, in order to protect public health. In light of this, January 21, 2021 meeting of the LGVSD Board will be held via Zoom electronic meeting. There will be NO physical location of the meeting. Due to the current circumstances, there may be limited opportunity to provide verbal comments during the meeting. Persons who wish to address the Board for public comment or on an item on the agenda are encouraged to submit comments in writing to the Board Secretary (tlerch@lgvsd.org) by 5:00 pm on Wednesday, January 20, 2021. In addition, Persons wishing to address the Board verbally must contact the Board Secretary, by email (tlerch@lgvsd.org) and provide their Name; Address; Tel. No.; and the Item they wish to address by the same date and time deadline for submission of written comments, as indicated above. Please keep in mind that any public comments must be limited to 3 minutes due to time constraints. Any written comments will be distributed to the LGVSD Board before the meeting.*

**Prior to the meeting, participants should download the Zoom app at:*

<https://zoom.us/download> A link to simplified instructions for use of the Zoom app is:

<https://blog.zoom.us/wordpress/2018/07/03/video-communications-best-practice-guide/>

REMOTE CONFERENCING ONLY

Join Zoom Meeting online at:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83230286249>

OR

By teleconference at: +16699009128 Meeting ID: 832 3028 6249

**MATERIALS RELATED TO ITEMS ON THIS AGENDA ARE AVAILABLE FOR
PUBLIC INSPECTION ON THE DISTRICT WEBSITE WWW.LGVSD.ORG**

NOTE: Final board action may be taken on any matter appearing on agenda

Estimated
Time

OPEN SESSION:

3:30 PM

1. PUBLIC COMMENT

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2. PUBLIC HEARING FOR ORDINANCE NO. 185 AMENDING TITLE 4, CHAPTER 1 – REGULATING SOLID WASTE, RECYCLABLE AND ORGANIC MATERIALS, AND THE COLLECTION, REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL THEREOF INCLUDING THE GARBAGE AND REFUSE RATE ADJUSTMENT FOR 2021

Board to consider the adoption of Ordinance No. 185 - An Ordinance amending Title 4, Chapter 1 of the District Ordinance Code and increasing the garbage and refuse rate by 4.24%. Representatives of Marin Sanitary Service and R3 Consulting Group will be in attendance to discuss the 2021 Rate Application Report.

Possible expenditure of funds: None, all costs to be paid by District (non-City of San Rafael) customers.

Staff recommendation: Board Adopt Ordinance No. 185, An Ordinance Amending Title 4, Chapter 1 of the District Ordinance Code and adjusting the garbage and refuse rate by 4.24%.

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3. CONSENT CALENDAR:

These items are considered routine and will be enacted, approved or adopted by one motion unless a request for removal for discussion or explanation is received from the staff or the Board.

- A. Approve the Board Minutes for December 22, 2020 and January 7, 2021
- B. Approve the Warrant List for January 21, 2021
- C. Approve Board Compensation for December 2020.
- D. Approve General Manager's Second Amendment to Employee Agreement

Possible expenditure of funds: Yes, Items B through D.

Staff recommendation: Adopt Consent Calendar – Items A through D.

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4. INFORMATION ITEMS:

STAFF/CONSULTANT REPORTS:

1. General Manager Report – Verbal
2. District Correspondence - None

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- 4:40 PM** **5. DONATION POLICY**
Board to discuss and consider adopting a formal Donation Policy.
- 5:10 PM** **6. PUBLIC COMMENT**
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- 5:15 PM** **7. BOARD MEMBER REPORTS:**
1. CLARK
 - a. NBWA Board Committee, NBWA Conference Committee, Other Reports
 2. ELIAS
 - a. NBWRA, Ad Hoc Engineering Committee re: STPURWE, 2021 GM Evaluation Ad Hoc Committee, Other Reports
 3. MURRAY
 - a. Marin LAFCO, CASA Energy Committee, 2021 GM Evaluation Ad Hoc Committee, Other Reports – California Bioresources Symposium
 4. SCHRIEBMAN
 - a. Gallinas Watershed Council/Miller Creek Watershed Council, JPA Local Task Force NBWA Tech Advisory Committee, Other Reports
 5. YEZMAN
 - a. Flood Zone 7, CSRMA, Ad Hoc Engineering Committee re: STPURWE Engineering Subcommittee, Other Reports
- 5:30 PM** **8. BOARD REQUESTS:**
- A. Board Meeting Attendance Requests – Verbal
 - B. Board Agenda Item Requests – Verbal
 - C. Pending Board Agenda Item Requests
 - i. INFORMATION - Pump Station Vegetation and Safety Report
 - ii. ACTION - Relocation Assistance Act Policy for Real Estate Acquisitions
 - iii. INFORMATION - Meet and Greet new San Rafael Councilmember
 - iv. INFORMATION – ERAF Allocation/Formula

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9. ADJOURNMENT

FUTURE BOARD MEETING DATES: JANUARY 29, FEBRUARY 4 AND FEBRUARY 18, 2021

AGENDA APPROVED:	Megan Clark, Board Vice President	Patrick Richardson, Legal Counsel
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CERTIFICATION: I, Teresa Lerch, District Secretary of the Las Gallinas Valley Sanitary District, hereby declare under penalty of perjury that on or before January 18, 2021 at 3:30 p.m., I posted the Agenda for the Board Meeting of said Board to be held January 21, 2021 at the District Office, located at 101 Lucas Valley Road, Suite 300, San Rafael, CA.



Teresa L. Lerch
District Secretary

The Board of the Las Gallinas Valley Sanitary District meets regularly on the first and third Thursday of each month. The District may also schedule additional special meetings for the purpose of completing unfinished business and/or study session. Regular meetings are held at the District Office, 101 Lucas Valley Road, Suite 300, San Rafael, CA.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance to participate in this meeting, please contact the District at (415) 472-1734 at least 24 hours prior to the meeting. Notification prior to the meeting will enable the District to make reasonable accommodation to help ensure accessibility to this meeting.