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# PUBLIC MEETING OCTOBER 12, 2023

#### **AGENDA**

LOCATION: MEETING TO BE CONDUCTED ON-LINE AND TELEPHONICALLY

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NEW JERSEY OPEN PUBLIC

**MEETINGS ACT** 

TIME: 12:00 PM

#### 1. <u>Call to Order</u>

#### 2. Statement of Compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act

This public meeting is being held in compliance with the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act. Adequate notice of this meeting has been posted in the PVSC Training Center, filed with PVSC's Clerk, posted to PVSC's public website, sent to the municipal clerks of all member and contracting municipalities within PVSC's treatment district, and forwarded to the Newark Star-Ledger, the Herald News, the Jersey Journal, the Bergen Record, Luso Americano, and El Especialito on December 2, 2022.

## 3. Roll Call

Commissi	oners:	
		Elizabeth Calabrese
		John J. Cosgrove
		C. Lawrence Crump
		James P. Doran
		Joseph F. Isola
		Hector C. Lora
		Brendan Murphy

	 Luis A. Quintana, Vice Chairman
	 Thomas Tucci, Jr., Chairman
Staff:	
	 Gregory A. Tramontozzi, Executive Director
	 Albert Lukin, Clerk
	 Michael D. Witt, General Counsel

#### 4. Pledge of Allegiance

#### 5. Public Comment

Members of the public are invited to comment on any issues, whether or not on the agenda.

## **6.** <u>Discussion of Administrative Matters</u>

- A-1 Request for Approval of Meeting Minutes September 14, 2023, Public Meeting; *presented by A. Lukin*
- A-2 Presentation of Check Register for Payment of Bills October 2023; presented by P. Wilson
- A-3 Request for Authorization to Award Professional Services Agreement Relative to Independent Auditing Services; *presented by P. Wilson*
- A-4 Request for Authorization to Reject Bid Received on Contract B253A (Main Interceptor Venturi Flow Meters Rehabilitation Project); *presented by J. Rotolo*
- A-5 Request for Authorization to Award Contract B278 (Rehabilitation of the Branch Interceptor Sewer Within the City of Garfield and the City of Passaic); *presented by J. Rotolo*
- A-6 Request for Authorization to Award Contract B373 (Plant Infrastructure Repairs on an As-Needed Basis for a Two (2) Year Period); *presented by J. Rotolo*
- A-7 Request for Authorization to Award Contract B375 (Plantwide Replacement of Pipe, Fittings and Ancillary Piping Systems on an As-Needed Basis for a Two (2) Year Period); *presented by J. Rotolo*

- A-8 Request for Authorization to Award Contract B376 (Maintenance on Dumbwaiters, Special Purpose Personnel Elevators and Passenger Elevators for a Two (2) Year Period); *presented by J. Rotolo*
- A-9 Request for Authorization to Award Contract B379A (Furnish and Deliver Various Shop and Garage Equipment and Supplies to the PVSC Warehouse for a One (1) Year Period); *presented by J. Rotolo*
- A-10 Request for Authorization to Award Contract B382 (Plantwide Roadway Repairs for a Two (2) Year Period); *presented by J. Rotolo*
- A-11 Request for Authorization to Modify Table of Organization; *presented by J. Rotolo*
- A-12 Request for Authorization to Award Contract B364A (Furnish and Deliver Various Spare Parts and Equipment to the PVSC Warehouse for a Two (2) Year Period); *presented by T. Laustsen*
- A-13 Request for Authorization to Award Contract B378A (Furnish and Deliver Various Hose Couplings and Fittings to the PVSC Warehouse for a One (1) Year Period); *presented by T. Laustsen*
- A-14 Report on LWA Revenue August 2023; presented by T. Laustsen
- A-15 Report on Plant Performance August 2023; presented by T. Laustsen
- A-16 Request for Authorization to Award Contract B384 (Furnish and Install Wireless Monitoring and Alarm Equipment for a One (1) Year Period); presented by T. Fuscaldo
- A-17 Request for Authorization to Award Contract B385 (Furnish and Deliver Janitorial Supplies and Equipment to the PVSC Warehouse for a One (1) Year Period); *presented by T. Fuscaldo*
- A-18 Request for Authorization to Approve Memberships of the Township of Boonton, the Long Branch Sewerage Authority, the Town of Clinton, and the Township of Winslow, in the North Jersey Wastewater Cooperative Pricing System; *presented by T. Fuscaldo*
- A-19 Request for Approval of Renewal of Professional Services Agreement Relative to Administration of Owner Controlled Insurance Program; presented by T. Fuscaldo
- A-20 Report on Declaration of Emergency Relative to the Kearny-Harrison-Newark Branch Interceptor Sewer located in Harrison; *presented by T. Fuscaldo*

- A-21 Report on Connection Fees 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2023; *presented by H. Skinner*
- A-22 Request for Approval of Sewer Use Permits; presented by H. Skinner

## 7. Executive Session

The New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-6, et seq., requires that, with certain exceptions, all meetings of public bodies shall be open to the public at all times. Upon adoption of a resolution for Executive Session, the public shall be excluded for discussion of the following matters:

Clerk reads Resolution No. 181-23 for Executive Session.			
Motion	Second		
Commissioners:			
	Elizabeth Calabrese John J. Cosgrove C. Lawrence Crump James P. Doran Joseph F. Isola Hector C. Lora Brendan Murphy		
_	Luis A. Quintana, Vice Chairman Thomas Tucci, Jr., Chairman		

#### A. <u>Legal</u>

- L-1 Report Regarding Doremus Avenue Property Condemnation (N.J.S.A. 10:4-12(b)(7) (pending or anticipated litigation or contract negotiation and attorney-client privilege)); presented by G. Tramontozzi and M. Witt
- L-2 Report on Long Term Control Planning/NJPDES Permit Issues (N.J.S.A. 10:4-12(b)(7) (pending or anticipated litigation and attorney-client privilege)); presented by G. Tramontozzi and M. Witt
- L-3 Report on Agreement with BP Energy Retail Company Relative to Procurement of Electricity (N.J.S.A. 10:4-12(b)(7) (pending or anticipated contract negotiation and attorney-client privilege)); presented by G. Tramontozzi, J. Rotolo, P. Wilson and J. Bolcar

- **B.** Personnel (N.J.S.A. 10:4-12(b)(8) (personnel matters)); presented by M. Pulver
- P-1 Recommendation New Employees
- P-2 Recommendation Passed Evaluations
- P-3 Recommendation Promotions (Filled Vacancies)
- P-4 Recommendation Salary Adjustments
- P-5 Recommendation Out of Title Assignments
- P-6 Recommendation Contractual Range and Step Increases
- P-7 Recommendation Medical Leaves of Absence
- P-8 Recommendation Voluntary Demotion

## 8. Return to Public Session

## 9. Adoption of Resolutions

Consideration of all matters requiring resolution, either by consent or individually, as necessary:

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## 10. Adjournment of Public Meeting

This Agenda was prepared as of October 11, 2023, with all available information as of that date.

Albert Lukin Clerk