



ORANGE COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICT SPECIAL NOTICE REGARDING CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) AND ATTENDANCE AT PUBLIC MEETINGS

Governor Newsom signed Assembly Bill (AB) 361 on September 16, 2021, which, in part, addresses the conduct of public meetings in light of the continued State of Emergency order.

Effective October 1, 2021, AB 361 suspends the requirements located in California Government Code, Section 54953, Subdivision (b), Paragraph (3) specifically pertaining to the conduct of public meetings. As such, the Orange County Sanitation District (OC San) Board of Directors has determined that due to the size of OC San's Board of Directors (25), and the health and safety of the members, the Board of Directors will be participating in meetings of the Board telephonically and via Internet accessibility.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Your participation is always welcome. OC San offers several ways in which to interact during meetings. You will find information as to these opportunities below.

ONLINE MEETING PARTICIPATION

You may join the meeting live via Teams on your computer or similar device or web browser by using the link below:

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

We suggest testing joining a Teams meeting on your device prior to the commencement of the meeting. For recommendations, general guidance on using Teams, and instructions on joining a Teams meeting, [please click here](#).

Please mute yourself upon entry to the meeting. Please raise your hand if you wish to speak during the public comment section of the meeting. The Clerk of the Board will call upon you by using the name you joined with.

Meeting attendees are not provided the ability to make a presentation during the meeting. Please contact the Clerk of the Board at least 48 hours prior to the meeting if you wish to present any items. Additionally, camera feeds may be controlled by the meeting moderator to avoid inappropriate content.

HOW TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETING BY TELEPHONE

To join the meeting from your phone: Dial (213) 279-1455
When prompted, enter the Phone Conference ID: 123 061 761#

All meeting participants may be muted during the meeting to alleviate background noise. If you are muted, please use *6 to unmute. You may also mute yourself on your device.

Please raise your hand to speak by use *5, during the public comment section of the meeting. The Clerk of the Board will call upon you by using the last 4 digits of your phone number as identification.

NOTE: All attendees will be disconnected from the meeting at the beginning of Closed Session. If you would like to return to the Open Session portion of the meeting, please login or dial-in to the Teams meeting again and wait in the Lobby for admittance.

VIEW THE MEETING ONLINE ONLY

The meeting will be available for online viewing only at:

<https://ocsd.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>

HOW TO SUBMIT A COMMENT

You may provide verbal comment in real time during the meeting. In order to provide a verbal comment, please raise your hand as described above or alert the Clerk of the Board before or during the public comment period.

You may also submit your comments and questions in writing for consideration in advance of the meeting by using the eComment feature available online at: <https://ocsd.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx> or sending them to OCSanClerk@ocsan.gov with the subject line "PUBLIC COMMENT ITEM # (insert the item number relevant to your comment)" or "PUBLIC COMMENT NON-AGENDA ITEM".

You may also submit comments and questions for consideration during the meeting by using the eComment feature available online at: <https://ocsd.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>. The eComment feature will be available for the duration of the meeting.

All written public comments will be provided to the legislative body and may be read into the record or compiled as part of the record.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT PRIOR TO AND DURING MEETINGS

For technical assistance before and during the meeting, please call 714-593-7431. For any other questions and/or concerns, please contact the Clerk of the Board's office at 714-593-7433. Thank you, in advance, for your patience in working with these technologies. We appreciate your interest in OC San!

February 15, 2023

NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING

**STEERING COMMITTEE
ORANGE COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICT**

Wednesday, February 22, 2023 – 5:00 P.M.

ACCESSIBILITY FOR THE GENERAL PUBLIC

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The Regular Meeting of the Steering Committee of the Orange County Sanitation District will be held at the above location and in the manner indicated on Wednesday, February 22, 2023 at 5:00 p.m.



Clerk of the Board

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Anaheim

Brea

Buena Park

Cypress

Fountain Valley

Fullerton

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Placentia

Santa Ana

Seal Beach

Stanton

Tustin

Villa Park

County of Orange

Costa Mesa
Sanitary District

Midway City
Sanitary District

Irvine Ranch
Water District

Yorba Linda
Water District



STEERING COMMITTEE
Regular Meeting Agenda
Wednesday, February 22, 2023 - 5:00 PM
Conference Room A
Administration Building
10844 Ellis Avenue
Fountain Valley, CA 92708
(714) 593-7433

ACCOMMODATIONS FOR THE DISABLED: If you require any special disability related accommodations, please contact the Orange County Sanitation District (OC San) Clerk of the Board's office at (714) 593-7433 at least 72 hours prior to the scheduled meeting. Requests must specify the nature of the disability and the type of accommodation requested.

AGENDA POSTING: In accordance with the requirements of California Government Code Section 54954.2, this agenda has been posted outside the main gate of the OC San's Administration Building located at 10844 Ellis Avenue, Fountain Valley, California, and on the OC San's website at www.ocsan.gov not less than 72 hours prior to the meeting date and time above. All public records relating to each agenda item, including any public records distributed less than 72 hours prior to the meeting to all, or a majority of the Board of Directors, are available for public inspection in the office of the Clerk of the Board.

AGENDA DESCRIPTION: The agenda provides a brief general description of each item of business to be considered or discussed. The recommended action does not indicate what action will be taken. The Board of Directors may take any action which is deemed appropriate.

MEETING RECORDING: A recording of this meeting is available within 24 hours after adjournment of the meeting at <https://ocsd.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx> or by contacting the Clerk of the Board at (714) 593-7433.

NOTICE TO DIRECTORS: To place items on the agenda for a Committee or Board Meeting, the item must be submitted in writing to the Clerk of the Board: Kelly A. Lore, MMC, (714) 593-7433 / klore@ocsan.gov at least 14 days before the meeting.

FOR ANY QUESTIONS ON THE AGENDA, BOARD MEMBERS MAY CONTACT STAFF AT:

General Manager: Rob Thompson, rthompson@ocsan.gov / (714) 593-7110
Asst. General Manager: Lorenzo Tyner, ltyner@ocsan.gov / (714) 593-7550
Director of Human Resources: Celia Chandler, cchandler@ocsan.gov / (714) 593-7202
Director of Engineering: Kathy Millea, kmillea@ocsan.gov / (714) 593-7365
Director of Environmental Services: Lan Wiborg, lwiborg@ocsan.gov / (714) 593-7450
Director of Operations & Maintenance: Riaz Moinuddin, rmoinuddin@ocsan.gov / (714) 593-7269

CALL TO ORDER**ROLL CALL AND DECLARATION OF QUORUM:**

Clerk of the Board

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REPORTS:

The Board Chairperson and the General Manager may present verbal reports on miscellaneous matters of general interest to the Directors. These reports are for information only and require no action by the Directors.

CONSENT CALENDAR:

Consent Calendar Items are considered to be routine and will be enacted, by the Committee, after one motion, without discussion. Any items withdrawn from the Consent Calendar for separate discussion will be considered in the regular order of business.

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**[2023-2803](#)****RECOMMENDATION:**

Approve minutes of the Special meeting of the Steering Committee held January 25, 2023.

Originator: Kelly Lore

Attachments: [Agenda Report](#)
[01-25-2023 Special Steering Committee Minutes](#)

2. PUBLIC AFFAIRS UPDATE FOR THE MONTHS OF JANUARY AND FEBRUARY 2023 [2023-2818](#)

RECOMMENDATION: Recommend to the Board of Directors to:

Receive and file the Public Affairs Update for the months of January and February 2023.

Originator: Rob Thompson

Attachments: [Agenda Report](#)
[Outreach Report for January-February 2023](#)

3. LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS UPDATE FOR THE MONTHS OF JANUARY AND FEBRUARY 2023 [2023-2798](#)

RECOMMENDATION: Recommend to the Board of Directors to:

Receive and file the Legislative Affairs Update for the months of January and February 2023.

Originator: Rob Thompson

Attachments: [Agenda Report](#)
[Federal Legislative Update](#)
[State Legislative Update](#)
[Grant Matrix 2023](#)

NON-CONSENT:

4. PUBLIC AFFAIRS STRATEGIC PLAN FOR FISCAL YEARS 2022-2024 MID-YEAR UPDATE [2023-2740](#)

RECOMMENDATION: Recommend to the Board of Directors to:

Receive and file the Public Affairs Strategic Plan for Fiscal Years 2022- 2024 Mid-year Update.

Originator: Rob Thompson

Attachments: [Agenda Report](#)
[Public Affairs Strategic Plan for FY 2022-2024](#)

INFORMATION ITEMS:

None.

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS:

CLOSED SESSION:

During the course of conducting the business set forth on this agenda as a regular meeting of the Board, the Chairperson may convene the Board in closed session to consider matters of pending real estate negotiations, pending or potential litigation, or personnel matters, pursuant to Government Code Sections 54956.8, 54956.9, 54957 or 54957.6, as noted.

Reports relating to (a) purchase and sale of real property; (b) matters of pending or potential litigation; (c) employment actions or negotiations with employee representatives; or which are exempt from public disclosure under the California Public Records Act, may be reviewed by the Board during a permitted closed session and are not available for public inspection. At such time the Board takes final action on any of these subjects, the minutes will reflect all required disclosures of information.

CONVENE IN CLOSED SESSION.**CS-1 CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL RE ANTICIPATED LITIGATION - GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9(d)(2) [2023-2809](#)**

RECOMMENDATION: Convene in Closed Session:

Number of Potential Cases: 2

- A. Claim/Demand Letter received from Branscomb Law re: United Plant Services (UPS) Midstream Services, Inc. - Demand for payment of past due invoice.
- B. Claim/Demand Letter received from attorney for OHL USA, Inc. and the City of Anaheim in connection with personal injury lawsuit brought by Ignacio Castro.

Attachments: [Agenda Report](#)
[Steering Closed Session Memo re United Plant Services 2-22-23](#)
[Steering Closed Session Memo re Ignacio Castro 2-22-23](#)

CS-2 CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL RE EXISTING LITIGATION - GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9(d)(1) [2023-2797](#)

RECOMMENDATION: Convene in Closed Session:

Number of Cases: 1

Jose O. Cruz v. Orange County Sanitation District Financing Corporation, a California corporation; and Does 1-50, inclusive, Superior Court of California, County of Orange, Case No. 30-2019-01100180-CU-WT-CJC.

Attachments: [Agenda Report](#)
[Steering Closed Session Memo re Jose Cruz 2-22-23](#)

CS-3 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE EVALUATION 54957(b)(1)[2022-2654](#)

RECOMMENDATION: Convene in Closed Session:

Public Employee Performance Evaluation

Number of Employees: 1

- General Counsel

Attachments: [Agenda Report](#)
[Steering Closed Session Memo re General Counsel](#)
[Evaluation 2-22-23](#)

**CS-4 CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL RE EXISTING LITIGATION -
GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9(d)(1)**[2023-2825](#)

RECOMMENDATION: Convene in Closed Session:

Number of Cases: 2

- A. Bayside Village Marina, LLC v. Orange County Sanitation District; Orange County Sanitation District Board of Directors; and Does 1-25, Inclusive, Superior Court of the State of California for the County of Orange - Central Justice Center Case No. 30-2021-01194238-CU-WM-CXC.
- B. Orange County Sanitation District, a public entity v. Bayside Village Marina, LLC, a limited liability company; Laguna Beach County Water District, a public entity; and Does 1-100, inclusive; and all Persons Unknown Claiming an Interest in the Property, Superior Court of California, County of Orange, Case No. 30-2022-01251890.

Attachments: [Agenda Report](#)
[Steering Closed Session Memo re Bayside Village CEQA](#)
[2-22-23](#)
[Steering Closed Session Memo re Bayside Village Eminent](#)
[Domain 2-22-23](#)

RECONVENE IN REGULAR SESSION.

CONSIDERATION OF ACTION, IF ANY, ON MATTERS CONSIDERED IN CLOSED SESSION:

OTHER BUSINESS AND COMMUNICATIONS OR SUPPLEMENTAL AGENDA ITEMS, IF ANY:

BOARD OF DIRECTORS INITIATED ITEMS FOR A FUTURE MEETING:

At this time Directors may request staff to place an item on a future agenda.

ADJOURNMENT:

Adjourn the meeting until the Regular meeting of the Steering Committee on March 22, 2023 at 5:00 p.m.