



**AGENDA**  
**REGULAR BOARD MEETING**  
**Friday, December 8 – 2:00 PM**  
District Board Room, Community Services Building  
33540 Loop Road, Kirkwood, CA 95646

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**BOARD MEMBERS**

Robert Epstein, President

John Schroeder, Vice President  
Doug Mitarotonda, Treasurer

Peter Dornbrook, Secretary  
Bertrand Perroud, Assistant Secretary

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*Distribution Date: December 1, 2023*

**AGENDA**

- 1) **CALL TO ORDER** *President Epstein*
- 2) **ROLL CALL** *Secretary Dornbrook*
- 3) **ANNOUNCEMENTS** *General Manager Christeson*
- 4) **SEATING OF NEW BOARD MEMBERS** *Clerk of the Board Morris*
- 5) **CORRECTIONS TO THE AGENDA OR CONSENT CALENDAR** (For purposes of the Brown Act, all Action and Consent items listed give a brief description of each item of business to be transacted or discussed. Recommendations of the staff, as shown, do not prevent the Board from taking other action.)
- 6) **COMMENTS FROM THE AUDIENCE** (This is an opportunity for members of the public to address the Board on any short non-agenda items that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the District. No discussion or action can be taken on matters not listed on the agenda, per the Brown Act.)
- 7) **WRITTEN COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC** (This is an opportunity for Directors and Staff to share written comments received from the public. No discussion or action can be taken on matters not listed on the agenda, per the Brown Act.)
- 8) **ADOPTION OF THE CONSENT CALENDAR** (Any item can be removed to be discussed and considered separately upon request. Comments and questions from members of the public, staff or Board can be taken when the comment does not necessitate separate action.)
  - a) Approve November 10, 2023 Regular Meeting Minutes
  - b) Approve Current Consent for Claims
  - c) Review Receivables/Shut Offs Report
  - d) Re-Authorize AB 361 Teleconference Meetings
- 9) **CONSENT ITEMS BROUGHT FORWARD FOR SEPARATE DISCUSSION/ACTION**
- 10) **ITEMS FOR BOARD ACTION**
  - a) **President Nomination & Election.** Discussion & possible action. *President Epstein*
  - b) **Board Officer Nomination & Elections.** Discussion & possible action. *President*
  - c) **Committee Appointments.** Discussion & possible action. *President*
  - d) **Robert's Rules of Order.** Discussion and possible action. *GM Christeson*
- 11) **PUBLIC HEARING**
  - a) **Proposed Changes to Electric Rates and Possible Adoption of Ordinance 23-02 Revising Electric Rates to Protect Against Market Fluctuations.** (To be heard at, or as reasonably proximate to, 2:30 PM.) Discussion & possible action. *GM Christeson*
- 10) **ITEMS FOR BOARD ACTION (CONTINUED)**
  - e) **Finances.** Discussion and possible action regarding the District's financials. *AM Baggett*

- i) Overview & Budget Variances
  - ii) October Financials
  - iii) Cash Flow
- f) **Annual Employee Bonuses.** Discussion and possible action. *GM Christeson*
- g) **Performance Reporting & Aquifer Levels.** Update. *OM Benson*
- h) **Propane/Electric Meter Shed Status.** Update. *OM Benson*
- i) **Electric Power Content.** Discussion and possible action. *OM Benson*
- j) **Low-Income Electric Program / Needs Assessment.** Discussion and possible action.  
*GM Christeson*
- k) **Future Board Meetings Date / Time.** Discussion and possible action. *GM Christeson*
- 12) **MAJOR PROJECT UPDATES** (Discussion may take place; no action may be taken.)
- 13) **GENERAL MANAGER’S REPORT** (Discussion may take place; no action may be taken.)
- 14) **OPERATIONS REPORT** (Discussion may take place; no action may be taken.)
- 15) **STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS** (Discussion may take place; no action may be taken.)
- 16) **TEMPORARY ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORTS** (Discussion may take place; no action may be taken.)
- 17) **GENERAL BOARD DISCUSSION** Opportunity for the Board to ask questions for clarification, provide information to Staff, request Staff to report back on a matter, or to direct Staff to place a matter on a subsequent agenda.
- 18) **ADJOURNMENT**  
The next Regular Board Meeting is scheduled for Friday, January 12, 2023 at 2:00 PM.

The Kirkwood Meadows Public Utility District Board of Directors regularly meets the second Friday of each month. A complete Agenda packet is available for review at the meeting and at the District office during the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. This meeting is recorded and broadcast over Volcano Community Channel 19 and on the internet at [www.kmpud.com](http://www.kmpud.com). Items on the Agenda are numbered for identification purposes only and will not necessarily be considered in the order in which they appear. Designated times are for particular items only. Public Hearings will not be called to order prior to the time specified but may occur slightly later than the specified time.

Public participation is encouraged. Public comments on items appearing on the Agenda will be taken at the same time the Agenda items are heard; comments should be brief and directed to the specifics of the item being considered. Please provide the Clerk of the Board with a copy of all written materials presented at the meeting. Comments on items not on the Agenda can be heard during “Comments from the Audience”; however, action cannot be taken on items not on the Agenda.

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