

# AGENDA Board Meeting of the GOLD RIDGE RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT PHONE: 707.823.5244 FAX: 707.823.5243 March 23, 2017, 3:30-5:30pm\* \*Note the irregularly scheduled meeting

Location: Gold Ridge RCD Office, 2776 Sullivan Rd., Sebastopol, CA 95472 Call for directions

### Time: 3:30-5:30pm

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### I. CALL TO ORDER, DETERMINATION OF A QUORUM, INTRODUCTIONS

### II. ADDITIONS/CHANGES TO THE AGENDA (GOV. CODE 54954.2 (B))

**III. PUBLIC COMMENT** Public may comment on agenda items when they are discussed. Speakers are asked to limit comments to three minutes (Gov. Code 54954.3(a)).

#### IV. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

- 4-1 Correspondence and Notices/Additional Agenda Items:
- 4-2 NRCS Report
- 4-3 Water Update

#### 4-4 Project Updates:

- Green Valley Road Flooding
- New No-Till Drill Seeder Discussion
- 4-5 GRRCD 2017 Outreach Plan

#### V. CONSENT CALENDAR

5-1 February 16, 2017 Meeting Minutes and February Grant Status Report

#### VI. ACTION ITEMS

6-1 Approval of February 2017 Financial Report/Warrant Request

6-2 **Resolution 2017-2** of the Gold Ridge Resource Conservation District authorizing submittal of application for the Department of Conservation RCD Capacity Building Program.

6-3 **Review of bids Upper Green Valley Fish Passage Enhancement Project,** selection of contractor and approval for Executive Director to enter into contract with selected contractor.

6-4 Approval of Executive Director to enter into a Cooperative Agreement with the Sonoma County Agricultural Preservation and Open Space District and for the USDAs NRCS Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP) to provide grant funds to Gold Ridge RCD on a reimbursement basis for Technical Assistance, including completion of up to 38 Conservation Plans in the amount of \$686,600 over 5 years and to provide matching funds for implementation of the NRCS RCPP grant to the district for the Sonoma County Venture Conservation Project in the amount up to \$582,950. 6-5 Approval for Executive Director to enter into agreement with Cal-Coast for partial purchase of materials for a kit livestock and feed barn not to exceed \$45,000 for Laguna de Satan Rosa Dairy S.
6-6 Selection and Approval of a Director and Alternate Director to sit on the Santa Rosa Plains Groundwater Sustainability Agency Board.

## VII. ADJOURNMENT AND AGENDA SETTING • Approval of 2017/18 Budget

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Calendar of Upcoming Events			
RCD April Board Meeting	April 20, 3:30-5:30pm, GRRCD Office		
Russian River Confluence	March 24, Shone Farm, Forestville		
Sonoma County Vital Lands Initiative Comm. Meeting	March 29, 6-8pm, Santa Rosa Veterans Building		
IPM: New Worker Protection Standards	April 6, Register at <u>cesonoma.ucanr.edu</u>		

Schedule of Upcoming Gold Ridge RCD Board Meetings – Every Third Thursday of the Month		
April 20, 3:30-5:30pm	July 20, 3:30-5:30pm	
May 18, 3:30-5:30pm	August 17, 3:30-5:30pm	
June 15, 3:30-5:30pm	September 21, 3:30-5:30pm	
*asterisk denotes an irregularly scheduled monthly Board meeting		

Board of Directors		RCD Team	
Joe Dutton	Board President	Brittany Jensen	Executive Director
Richard Hughes	Vice President	Joe Pozzi	District Manager
Torrey Olson	Treasurer	Noelle Johnson	Conservation Planner
Ann Cassidy	Secretary	John Green	Lead Scientist/Project Manager
Melvin Sanchietti	Director	Sierra Cantor	Ecologist
Guy Smith	Associate Director	William Hart	Project Manager
Chris Choo	Associate Director	Michele Harris	Bookkeeper
		Mare O'Connell	Financial Manager
		Adriana Stagnaro	Project Coordinator
		Jason Hoorn	Project Manager
		Erica Mikesh	Engineer