NYE COUNTY WATER DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD
REGULAR MEETING
Monday July 29, 2019 – 9:00 AM
101 Radar Road
Commissioners’ Chambers
Tonopah, NV 89049

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There may be a quorum of the Nye County Board of Commissioners present but no deliberations shall occur, and no action shall be taken by the Board of County Commissioners. Any person with an action item on the Agenda must be represented at this meeting to answer any questions that might arise or that item may be tabled.

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Agenda: All items are approximate except for public hearings and any other item agendized at a specific time. Items on the agenda without a time designation may be taken out of order. The Board may combine two or more agenda items for consideration. The Board may remove an item from the agenda or delay discussion relating to an item on the agenda at any time. Items on the agenda without a time designation may not necessarily be considered in the order in which they appear on the agenda.

Speakers must come forward to the microphone, begin testimony by clearly stating their name, and direct all questions and comments to the Chairperson. The Chairperson will then direct the questions to the appropriate individual. Please avoid repeating testimony that has already been provided and be brief and to the point. Discussions on an item will be closed if they become long-winded, repetitious, or if members in support or opposition become rude. As a courtesy to all persons, please turn o or set to a silent mode all cell-phones or pagers.

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Persons are also invited to submit comments in writing on the agenda items.

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The Nye County Water District is an equal opportunity provider, employer, and lender.
1. Call to Order – Pledge of Allegiance

2. Roll Call

3. Mission Statement – “Provide, protect and preserve water resources within Nye County.”

4. General Public Comment (first) - (Up to three-minute time limit per person) - Action will not be taken on the matters considered during this period until specifically included on an agenda as an action item.

5. Approval or modifications of the Agenda for the Water District Meeting of July 29, 2019.

6. For Possible Action - Discussion, deliberation and decision regarding approval of Minutes for May 30, 2019.

7. Correspondence and Announcements

8. Ex-Parte Communications and Conflict of Interest Disclosure Statements

   a. Chair
   b. Vice Chair
   c. Secretary / Treasurer

10. For Possible Action - Discussion, deliberation and decision regarding payment of the annual $7,500 membership fee to the Central Nevada Regional Water Authority (CNRWA) and the reappointment of: John Koenig, Joni Eastley and Midge Carver, who have all expressed interest in continuing to serve from Nye County as the representatives to CNRWA.

11. For Presentation and Discussion – Oz Wichman, General Manager of the Nye County Water District to provide an update of the 2019 Legislative Session.

12. For Presentation and Discussion – Jay Dixon, Chief Hydrologist, RMGC, will be providing a 2018 – 2019 Round Mountain Gold Corporation Water Management Update.

13. For Possible Action - Presentation, discussion, deliberation and decision – Frank McDonough, Desert Research Institute, will be presenting a summary of the Spring Mountains Cloud Seeding Project for water year 2019. In addition, the Nye County Water District’s role in providing potential, future funding.
14. **For Possible Action** – Discussion, deliberation and decision regarding the Volunteer Domestic Well Metering Program started in support of the Ground Water Management Plan for Basin 162. Discussion to expand to other areas of Nye County.

15. **District Member, Staff and Liaison Reports/Comments:**
   
a. **Finances**
   I. Savannah Rucker
   **FY 18-19 Budget Status through June 2019**

b. **Board Reports**
   I. LVVWD/SNWA
   II. CNRWA – John Koenig

c. **Staff Reports**
   I. Oz Wichman
   II. John Klenke
   III. Christal Behrends

d. **Projects Status Report**
   I. Staff

e. **Board Liaison Reports**
   I. Commissioner John Koenig

f. Report from other individuals, groups and or agencies regarding water-related Issues; for informational purposes only.

16. **Discussion concerning future Water District Governing Board meetings to include:**
   10/7/2019 Railroad Valley (1 pm start time)
   12/9/2019 Pahrump

17. **General Public Comment (Second)**

18. **Adjourn**
DECLARATION OF POSTING

STATE OF NEVADA
COUNTY OF NYE

The undersigned deposes and says: That she is over the age of 21 years; that she posted at the places below mentioned, the Agenda for the Nye County Water District Governing Board Meeting for July 29, 2019 not later than 9:00 a.m. on July 24, 2019.

Name: Christal Behrends
Signature:
Title: Administrative Assistant

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