

SAN FRANCISCO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

City and County of San Francisco

Daniel Lurie Mayor

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA Tuesday, February 11, 2025 1:30 PM

> 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place City Hall, Room 400

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ORDER OF BUSINESS

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Approval of the Minutes of January 28, 2025
- 4. General Public Comment

Members of the public may address the Commission on matters that are within the Commission's jurisdiction and are not on today's agenda. The Commission values civic engagement and encourages respectful communication at the public meeting. We ask that all public comment be made in a civil and courteous manner and that you refrain from the use of profanity. Thank you.

- 5. Report of the General Manager (discussion only)
 - a) Report on Recent San Francisco Public Utilities Commission Activities, Events and Announcements
- 6. Fiscal Year 2023-24 Audited Financial Statements

7. CONSENT CALENDAR

a) Award Contract WW-744, Seacliff 2 Pump Station and Force Main Upgrade, to Western Water Constructors, Inc., in the amount of \$14,944,000 and with a duration of 720 consecutive calendar days (approximately two years), to repair and rehabilitate the existing Seacliff 2 Pump Station and construct a new force main. This action constitutes the Approval Action for the Project for the purposes of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code section 31.04(h). The Planning Department has determined that the Project is exempt from the CEQA. The Commission will rely on that determination to make its decision on this action. (Robinson)

REGULAR CALENDAR

- 8. Approve, in support of the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission's Water Enterprise Interim Funding Program, the (1) form of First Amendment to the Reimbursement Agreement, dated May 1, 2021, with Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation (SMBC) in the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$100 million (exclusive of 270 days' interest) and the form of related Amended and Restated Fee Agreement; (2) form of Reimbursement Agreement with PNC Bank in the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$150 million (exclusive of 270 days' interest) and form of related Fee Agreement; (3) Form of First Amendment to Dealer Agreement; (4) Issuing and Paying Agent Agreement with U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association (US Bank); and (5) Offering Memorandum; and authorize the General Manager to enter into agreements with SMBC and PNC Bank for new Letters of Credit. (Hom)
- 9. Approve, in support of the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission's Power Enterprise
 Interim Funding Program, the (1) form of Reimbursement Agreement with Sumitomo Mitsui
 Banking Corporation (SMBC) in the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$100 million
 (exclusive of 270 days' interest) and form of related Fee Agreement; (2) form of Second
 Amended and Restated Issuing and Payment Agent Agreement; (3) form of First Amendment to

- Dealer Agreement; and (4) Offering Memorandum; and authorize the General Manager to enter into an agreement with SMBC for a new Letter of Credit. (Hom)
- 10. **Public Hearing** to consider and possible action to amend the <u>Fiscal Year 2025-26 San Francisco</u> <u>Public Utilities Commission Operating Budget</u> including the Revenue Transfer for Capital, with a reduction of \$30,233,308, for a total amount of \$2,127,237,927; and authorize the General Manager to submit a supplemental appropriation request to the Mayor and Board of Supervisors. (Hom)
- 11. **Public Hearing** to consider and possible action to authorize the General Manager to seek Board of Supervisors approval for the issuance of \$1,054,138,857 aggregate principal amount of <u>Water Revenue Bonds</u> and other forms of indebtedness, including commercial paper and State Revolving Fund (SRF) loans, an increase of \$14,131,507 to the Fiscal Year 2025-26 debt authorization, subject to the terms of Charter Sections 9.107(6) and 9.107(8). (Hom)
- 12. **Public Hearing** to consider and possible action to adopt the <u>San Francisco Public Utilities</u> <u>Commission 10-Year Capital Plan for Fiscal Year 2025-26 through Fiscal Year 2034-35</u> totaling \$11,062,520,691. (Hom)
- 13. **Public Hearing** to consider and possible action to adopt the <u>San Francisco Public Utilities</u> <u>Commission 10-Year Financial Plan for Fiscal Year 2025-26 through Fiscal Year 2034-35.</u>
 (Hom)
- 14. Ratify the termination of the Los Vaqueros Reservoir Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement and the dissolution, winding up, and liquidation of the Los Vaqueros Reservoir Joint Powers Authority in accordance with the terms of Authority Resolution No. 1-25-01, adopted on January 8, 2025, in response to Los Vaqueros Reservoir Expansion Project site owner Contra Costa Water District's decision to end its participation in the Project. (Ritchie)
- 15. Award Contract No. CS-1263, Standard Renewable Gas Interconnection, to Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for an amount not to exceed \$7,000,000, and with a duration of ten years, to obtain natural gas conveyance services, which require Pacific Gas & Electric Company to design, construct, install, and operate the facility required for pipeline injection of the renewable natural gas generated from the new digesters at the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission's Southeast Treatment Plant. (Robinson)
- 16. Approve an increase of 560 calendar days to the duration contingency for Contract No. WD-2717, College Hill Reservoir Outlet Structure and Pipeline, with Ranger Pipelines Incorporated, for a revised duration limit of up to 1,660 consecutive calendar days (approximately four years and seven months), with no change to the contract amount, due to delays associated with Pacific Gas and Electric Company, requiring a change during the construction contract from wholesale electric rate tariff to retail rate tariff for the site, resulting in the need for a revised permanent power service application, subsequently causing delays in fabricating and installing electrical panels, and delays to startup, testing, and site energization. Additional contingency is also requested for fabrication and installation of a Pacific Gas and Electric Company meter-pedestal prior to site energization. (Robinson)
- 17. <u>Approve Amendment No. 1 to Contract No. PRO.0140.A</u>, Construction Management Services for the East Bay Region, with CPM/CM Pros Joint Venture, increasing the contract not-to-exceed amount by \$25,000,000 and increasing the contract duration by two years, for a total

contract not-to-exceed amount of \$34,000,000 and a total contract duration of nine years, to provide continued and additional construction management, construction inspection, special inspection, materials testing, project controls, and safety oversight services for Contract No. WD-2897, Sunol Valley Water Treatment Plant Ozonation Project, and Contract No. WD-2909, Sunol Valley Water Treatment Plant Short Term Improvements Project, which are two major capital projects that have grown significantly in scope, cost, and complexity since this contract was awarded, subject to the Board of Supervisors approval pursuant to Charter Section 9.118.

(Robinson)

18. COMMUNICATIONS (information only)

- a. Advance Calendar
- b. Contract Advertisement Report
- c. Correspondence Log
- d. Water Supply Conditions Update
- e. FY 2023-24 Annual Comprehensive Financial Report
- f. FY 2023-24 Popular Annual Financial Report
- g. Annual Dry Year Supply Progress Report Pursuant to AB1823
- 19. Items initiated by Commissioners (discussion only)
- 20. Adjournment

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