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# FIRE SAFE COUNCIL OF NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETING

#### **PUBLIC NOTICE & AGENDA**

Notice is now given that a regular meeting of the Board of Directors' has been called and will be held on **Thursday**, **August 22nd**, **2019**, at **10:00 a.m.** in the **Madelyn Helling Library**, located at 980 Helling Way, Nevada City, CA. Video conferencing or teleconferencing will be available at the Joseph Center in Truckee, CA.

"To provide Firewise education and programs to enhance emergency preparedness for catastrophic wildfire to all citizens in Nevada County in order to reduce the loss of life, property, and natural resources and to create Firewise Communities/USA®; to network with other Fire Safe Councils, governmental agencies and foundations for the benefit of the citizens of Nevada County."

- 1) CALL TO ORDER, ROLL CALL, AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 2) MEETING SAFETY BRIEFING
- 3) AGENDA AND ORDER OF BUSINESS:

a) Approval of Agenda and Order of Business

Action

4) MEETING MINUTES:

a) Approval of Minutes from the June 2019 Board Meeting

Action

#### 5) **PUBLIC COMMENT:**

This time is set aside for persons wishing to address the Board on any matter of interest that is not on the agenda. The Board invites comments from the agenda items after discussion by the Board Members. Speakers will be limited to five (5) minutes, unless extended by the Board chair. The Board chair reserves the right to further limit or exclude repetitious or irrelevant presentations. If written material is included, 20 copies of all information to be distributed to Board members should be given to the Secretary prior to the meeting. Action will not be taken at this meeting on citizen comments. The Board, however, after hearing from interested citizens, may place items under new business on a future agenda so proper notice may be given to all interested parties. If no one wishes to comment, the next scheduled agenda item will be considered.

**6) AGENCY/PARTNER REPORTS** – (Limit to 3-5 minutes)

Information

#### 7) REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE – Donn Thane

a)	Lake Wildwood Green Waste	Information
b)	Executive Directors Objectives and Priorities	Information
c)	Director Interviews	Information
	1. Director Nominations	Action
	2. Secretary Nomination and Vote	Action

d) Next Meeting: Thursday, **September 5th, 2019** at 9:30am – Fire Safe Council 143 B Springhill Drive, Suite 13, Grass Valley, CA 95945

**Information** 

#### 8) REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE – Dave Walker

a) Financial Analysis
b) Next Meeting: Thursday, September 5th, 2019 at 9:30am – Fire Safe Council
143 B Springhill Drive, Suite 13, Grass Valley, CA 95945

#### 9) REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD - Donn Thane

a) Chairman's Report Information b) Fire Safe Council Board of Director Representation Guidelines Information

c) Fire Safe Council Roles and Responsibilities:

1. Directors Information 2. Agency/Partners Information 3. Executive Director Information

## 10) REPORT FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR - Jamie Jones

a) Grant Applications Update Information b) Staffing Update **Information** c) Office Operations Update Information d) Partnership Update Information e) Wildfire Stakeholder Meeting Information

#### 11) RED ZONE AFFAIR - John Paye

a) Event Details Information b) Sponsorship/Ticket Sales Information

# 12) REPORT OF THE PROJECTS COMMITTEE - Donn Thane

a) Projects Update Information b) Next Meeting: TBA Information

### 13) DIRECTORS' COMMENTS

#### 14) PRESENTATION BY DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR – Trisha Tillotson Information

#### 15) CLOSED SESSION - (Only Voting Board Members May Participate):

(Closed session pursuant to California Government Code 11126(a) regarding pending litigation)

a) Director Non-Disclosure Signature Forms

Information b) CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL--EXISTING LITIGATION Action (Subdivision (a) of Section 54956.9)

Name of case: Drummond v. Fire Safe Council

Report out of Closed Session

2) ADJOURNMENT – Estimated @ 12:00pm

NEXT BOARD MEETING: Thursday, September 19th, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. at the Madelyn Helling Library, located at 980 Helling Way, Nevada City, CA. Video conferencing or teleconferencing will be available at the Joseph Center in Truckee, CA.

Times stated are approximate and subject to change. Agenda order is tentative and may be changed by Board action without prior notice. This meeting will conform to the Open Meeting Act. Agenda discussions and report items are subject to action being taken on them during the meeting by the Board at its discretion. The Board provides the public the opportunity at meetings to address each agenda item during the Board's discussion or consideration of the item. Total time allocated for public comment on particular issues is limited. The meeting is accessible to the physically disabled. A person who needs disability-related accommodations or modifications in order to participate in the meeting shall make a request no later than five (5) working days before the meeting to the Board to (530) 272-1122 or by email to info@areyoufiresafe.com.

Information

#### **BOARD MEMBERS**

Donn Thane, Chairman Rick Nolle, Vice-Chairman Dave Walker, Treasurer Bill Drown, Director Hank Weston, Director Steve Eubanks, Director Pete Williams, Director Eric Trygg, Director Alan Doerr, Director Don Wagner, Director Sue Hoek, Director Wanda Mertens, Director Bill Houdyschell, Associate Gretchen Bennitt, Associate Jim Mathias, Associate Jecobie Waters, Associate Joshua Robinson, Associate Crawford Bost, Associate Jerry Martinez, Associate Heidi Hall, Alternate

# **AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING**

Meeting Notice/Agenda of the Fire Safe Council of Nevada County regular board meeting, scheduled for August 22nd, 2019, was posted per Open Meeting Law requirements at the following locations:

Fire Safe Council of Nevada County, 143 B Springhill Dr., Grass Valley, CA 95945 Madelyn Helling Library, 980 Helling Way, Nevada City CA www.areyoufiresafe.com

**AGENDA POSTED: Monday August 19th, 2019**