

SAN JUAN WATER DISTRICT NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Directors of the San Juan Water District will hold public hearings both in-person at the District Office, 9935 Auburn Folsom Rd, Granite Bay, CA 95746, and via videoconference in accordance with the Executive Orders N-29-20 and N-25-20 regarding the COVID-19 emergency, on the following dates:

Monday, August 3, 2020, at 6:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard. This public hearing will constitute the first of a series of four public hearings the Board of Directors will hold pursuant to Elections Code section 10010 to receive public comments regarding the transition of San Juan Water District from at-large elections for members of the Board of Directors to by-division elections for members of the Board of Directors, the time frame for this transition, the criteria and factors that should go into the drawing of maps of single-member voting divisions, the composition of the divisions, and other matters related to the election of members of the Board of Directors.

Wednesday, August 5, 2020, at 4:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard. This public hearing will constitute the second of a series of four public hearings the Board of Directors will hold pursuant to Elections Code section 10010 to receive public comments and input regarding the potential Director election division boundaries.

Following the second public hearing, draft maps of potential Board Member election division boundaries will be published and additional public hearings scheduled.

All interested parties are invited to attend the public hearing and express opinions or submit information. The public hearings may be continued from time to time, as necessary, by giving notice at the aforementioned hearing.

PARTICIPATION DURING COVID-19 PANDEMIC: Due to State guidelines on physical distancing in public gatherings, the Boardroom can accommodate a maximum of 10 members of the public at one time. The District recommends that members of the public participate in Board meetings via videoconference per the instructions below. Persons who do plan to attend the meeting in person are urged to contact the Board Secretary prior to the meeting. The contact information for the Board Secretary is:

Teri Grant
(916) 791-6905
tgrant@sjwd.org

For members of the public interested in viewing and having the ability to comment at the public meeting via GoToWebinar, an internet-enabled computer equipped with a microphone and speaker or a mobile device with a data plan is required. There will be no call-in line to the hearing, so please make sure that your device provides audio for you, or plan to attend in person. To register to attend via videoconference, please use the following link:

For the August 3 hearing:

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/8390602338521753870>

For the August 5 hearing:

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/7602802257220401934>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

Your line will be muted upon entry into the videoconference. If you wish to make a public comment, you may use the “raise your hand” or “question” function to address the Board.

AVAILABILITY OF DOCUMENTS: Staff reports and any accompanying documents will be available for review at the District Office, 9935 Auburn Folsom Rd, Granite Bay, CA 95746 or online at <https://www.sjwd.org/board-meetings-a0ac8c8>. Staff reports for public hearings are generally available 5 days prior to the hearing date.

Information about division elections, why the District is making this change, and the process is available on the District's website at <https://www.sjwd.org/transitioning-to-division-based-elections>.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: All interested parties are invited to attend the public hearing to provide comments or send written comments to the Secretary for the Board, Teri Grant, at the San Juan Water District Office, 9935 Auburn Folsom Rd, Granite Bay, CA 95746, or via email to comments@sjwd.org, no later than the close of the public hearing.

The District does not transcribe its proceedings. Persons who wish to obtain a verbatim record of the proceedings should arrange for attendance by a court reporter. Such arrangements will be at the sole expense of the person requesting the recordation.

If you challenge the action taken on this matter in court, the challenge may be limited to only those issues raised at the public hearings described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Secretary for the Board at, or prior to, the public hearings.