

**AGENDA**  
**TRI-COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY**  
**BOARD OF DIRECTORS**  
March 7, 2016

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**CALL TO ORDER:** 1:00 P.M. Authority Office Boardroom  
944 Whitley Avenue, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Corcoran, California

**ROLL CALL:** Ceil Howe III, Kayode Kadara, Matthew Hurley.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** The Board of Directors welcomes participation in Board meetings. The public may address matters under the jurisdiction of the Board that have not been posted in the Agenda. However, California Law prohibits the Board from taking action on any matter that is not on the posted Agenda unless the Board determines that it is an emergency or one of the other situations specified in Government Code section 54954.2. The public will be given the opportunity to address the Board on any item on the Agenda at this time or before the Board's consideration of that item. If members of the public desire to address the Board relative to a particular Agenda item at the time it is to be considered, they should so notify the Chairman of the Board at this time. The Chairman may limit the total amount of time allocated for public testimony on particular issues for each individual speaker.

**ADDITIONS OR DELETIONS TO AGENDA**

**CONSENT CALENDAR**

**ITEM A & B**

- A. Approval/Ratification of Tri-County Water Authority warrants. (1/08/16 – 03/06/16)
- B. Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of January 7, 2016.

**ACTION CALENDAR**

**ITEM 1-4**

1. Review and take Action on **RESOLUTION 16-2 DECLARING TRI-COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY'S INTENTION TO BECOME A GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY UNDER THE SUSTAINABLE GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT ACT FOR THE PORTIONS OF THE TULE SUBBASIN WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE AUTHORITY.**
2. Review of Sustainable Groundwater Management Act ("SGMA") and Discussion of Authority's Role in Implementation of SGMA in the Tule and Tulare Lake, Department of Water Resources Bulletin 118 Sub-basins, and Action, as appropriate, to Support Authority's Role.

3. Review of the Tri-County Water Authority website development.
4. Legal Counsel Report – Review and Update.

#### OLD BUSINESS

5. **CONFLICT OF INTEREST CODE** - review and update

#### ADJOURNMENT

#### ITEM 5

6. Adjourn to the next Regular Meeting on May 5, 2016, 1:00 P.M., Boardroom of the Authority Office or as otherwise directed by the Board.

- ❖ Items on the Agenda may be taken in any order.
- ❖ Action may be taken on any item listed on the Agenda.
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