

## Minutes of the Special Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Rowland Water District July 22, 2025 – 6:01 p.m. 3021 Fullerton Road Rowland Heights, CA 91748

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

#### **ROLL CALL OF DIRECTORS**

President John Bellah Vice President Vanessa Hsu Director Robert Lewis Director Lima Director Szu Pei Lu-Yang

**ABSENT:** None

#### **OTHERS PRESENT:**

Erin LaCombe, CV Strategies
Tara Bravo-Mullaly, CV Strategies
Habib Isaac, IB Consulting, Inc.
Andrea Boehling, IB Consulting, Inc.
Lutfi Kharuf, Partner, Best Best & Krieger

#### ROWLAND WATER DISTRICT STAFF

Tom Coleman, General Manager Dusty Moisio, Assistant General Manager Myra Malner, Director of Finance Gabby Palomares, Executive Services Manager

# ADDITION(S) TO THE AGENDA

None.

### PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEM - None.

#### 1. ACTION ITEMS

#### 1.1 Water Rate Study Workshop

General Manager, Tom Coleman, introduced Habib Isaac and Andrea Boehling, Managing Partners of IB Consulting, the firm conducting the District's rate study. He also introduced

Lutfi Kharuf, Partner, Best & Krieger, who is advising the District on the legal aspects of the rate design.

Habib Isaac delivered a PowerPoint presentation outlining the District's proposed financial plan and rate structure. He reviewed the District's current financial position under existing rates, then presented the cost-of-service analysis, highlighting the revenue needed to cover both fixed and variable costs over the next five years. Board members reviewed and discussed the findings and proposed rates presented by IB Consulting. Based on their feedback, IB Consulting will proceed with drafting a Cost-of-Service Report. General Manager Coleman added that in the interim he will coordinate with CV Strategies to prepare the Proposition 218 Notice and ensure all notification deadlines are met.

**General Manager's and Directors' Comments** – None.

Future Agenda Item(s) – None.

Late Business - None.

President Bellah adjourned the meeting at 8:08 p.m.

Attact

TOM COLEMAN

**Board Secretary**