

GALT IRRIGATION DISTRICT
Special Board Meeting Minutes
October 31, 2023

Opening:

1. The Special Meeting was called to order by Chairman VanWarmerdam at 8:30a.m. at the Galt Irrigation District office, Herald, California.
2. Members present were Leo VanWarmerdam, Pat Kirby and Tony Merola. Also present were Mike Wackman, Stephen Julian, Teresa Flewellyn, Tish Espinosa, Delores Gregorio, Gary Silva Jr. and Wendy Sparrowk.

Information/Action Items:

1. Resolution 2023-01 Adopting a Request for Collection of Groundwater Sustainability Fees in the same manner as Ordinary Municipal Ad Valorem Taxes – Chairman VanWarmerdam and Director Kirby reviewed their meeting with Supervisor Hume and Sacramento County staff to review the absence of the Irrigated Land assessment on property taxes and discuss the potential to invoice the levies on a supplemental tax bill. The County did agree to send out Supplemental bills for \$5100 which will be taken out of the collected taxes. Paperwork and the data file will be submitted to the County for immediate processing. Resolution 2023-01 Adopting a Request for Collection of Groundwater Sustainability Fees was reviewed and discussed in length. Motion was made by Director Kirby to adopt the Resolution; motion second by Director Merola. Additional paperwork required was discussed.
2. Public Comment – Nothing to report.
3. Director Comment – Chairman VanWarmerdam reported that GID would benefit from gathering data from sustainability practices already being followed by local farmers and mapping out any changes to land usage each year in the District.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:38 a.m.

Leo VanWarmerdam, Chairman