## GALT IRRIGATION DISTRICT Special Board Meeting Minutes June 28, 2021

## **Opening:**

1. The meeting was called to order by Chairman VanWarmerdam at 1:03p.m. at the Galt Irrigation District Office, Herald, California.

2. Members present were Leo VanWarmerdam, John Mulrooney, Pat Kirby and Tony Merola. Also present were Mike Wackman, Rebecca Smith and Wendy Sparrowk.

3. Public Comment – Nothing to report.

## **Information/Action Items:**

1. Groundwater Management Report -

a. GSA update – Well monitoring was completed in June. A new well owned by John Mulrooney was added to the GID list and will replace the Arcohe School well. Each GSA will be billed for wells monitored in their area for this first data collection.

b. Groundwater Sustainability Plan-Fee Assessment – Review Irrigated lands – The Directors reviewed the timeline for the GSA fee assessment process. The Public Hearing via Zoom will be held on July 29<sup>th</sup> as a GID Special Meeting to allow the public to discuss the fee assessment and the District to vote on the assessment. It was decided to send a postcard to all irrigated parcel owners to inform them of the Public Hearing. The appeal process for parcel owners wanting to appeal their designated irrigated land acreage was discussed. GID will handle all appeals as a Board and will vote on corrections. Motion was made by Director Mulrooney to set the Public Hearing date to July 29, 2021 at 6:30pm via Zoom; second by Director Kirby.

The list of irrigated parcels within GID boundaries that was put together by HDR was reviewed. 2018 land usage data was used. There is a short list of irrigated parcels that HDR shows are over 100% of the county recorded property acreage due to runoff or drainage. Motion was made by Director Kirby to assess a fee only up to 100% of the recorded parcel acreage; second by Director Mulrooney. These changes will be given to the County for assessment purposes.

2. Other Business- Nothing to report.

3. Director Comments – Nothing to report.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 2:47 p.m.

Leo VanWarmerdam, Chairman