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*Siskiyou County Clerk, 311 Fourth St., Rm 201, Yreka, CA 96097*

# **Agenda Worksheet**

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| **Regular** | |  | | | |  | | **Time Requested:** | | | | | | **30 Min** | | | | | | **Meeting Date:** | | | | **May 22, 2023** | | | |
| ***OR*** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Consent** | | | |  | |  | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Contact Person/Department:** | | | | | | | | | | | | | **Elizabeth Nielsen, County Administration** | | | | | | | | | | **Phone:** | | | **530-842-8012** | |
| **Address:** | | | | | **1312 Fairlane Road, Yreka CA** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Person Appearing/Title:** | | | | | | | | | | **Moss Driscoll, Klamath Water Users Association** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Subject/Summary of Issue:** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Discussion and possible direction regarding opportunities to store Clear Lake water for Klamath Project benefits. In 2022, Clear Lake Reservoir lost approximately 60,000 acre-feet of water from evaporation alone. However, there are vast opportunities to store Clear Lake water by diversion to either the National Wildlife Refuges, groundwater banking, or to off-stream storage, which would prevent the loss of this water through evaporation, thereby making water available for Klamath Project use. The Klamath Water Users Association has approached the Tri-Counties group requesting that the Tri-Counties develop a planning group and seek funding to perform a study of these opportunities. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Financial Impact:** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **NO** |  | | *Describe why no financial impact:* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **YES** |  | | *Describe impact by indicating amount budgeted and funding source below* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Activity Code: | | | | | |  | | | | |  | Description: | | |  | | |  | | | | | | | | | |
| Local Preference: YES  NO | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| For Contracts – *Explain how vendor was selected:* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **Recommended Motion:** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Staff recommends that the Board receives the presentation and provides any direction to staff and the Tri-Counties Group to develop a planning group and seek funding to perform a study. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Reviewed as recommended by policy:** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |  | ***Special Requests*:** | | | | | | | | | | |
| County Counsel | | | | | | |  | | | | | | | | |  |  | | | | | | | | | | |
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***NOTE: For consideration for placement on the agenda, the original agenda worksheet and backup material must be submitted directly to the Board Clerk (after reviewing signatures have been obtained) by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday the week prior to the Board Meeting.*** Revised 8/09/2021