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

# **Agenda Worksheet**

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| **Regular** | **[x]**  |  | **Time Requested:** | **5 min**  | **Meeting Date:** | **07/11/2023** |
| ***OR*** |
| **Consent** | **[ ]**  |  |
| **Contact Person/Department:** | **Elizabeth Nielsen/Matt Parker**  | **Phone:** | **530-842-8005** |
| **Address:** | **1312 Fairlane Road, Yreka CA 96097** |
| **Person Appearing/Title:** | **Matt Parker/Natalie Reed**  |
| **Subject/Summary of Issue:** |
| Staff is seeking Board approval of a letter to the State Water Resources Control Board providing oppositional comments on the Environemntal Law Foundation's and the Karuk Tribe's Petition for Rulemaking to Set Minimum Flows on the Scott River. This petition will be the subject of a public hearing before the Water Board this August. Staff has been coordinating with Larry Walker Asssociates, the Scott Valley Agriculture Alliance, and other stakeholders to prepare a comment letter in opposition to the petition in advance of the July 20th deadline for written comments. Staff has brought to the Board today its detailed outline of the proposed content of the Board's comment letter. Staff will continue to put the letter into final form for submission on or before the July 20th, but the main points that will be made in the letter are before the Board for consideration today.  |
| **Financial Impact:** |
| **NO** | [x]  | *Describe why no financial impact:*       |
| **YES** | [ ]  | *Describe impact by indicating amount budgeted and funding source below* |
| Amount: |   |  |  |  |  |
| Fund:  |       |  | Description: |       | Org.: |       | Description: |       |
| Account: |       |  | Description: |       |  |
| Activity Code:  |       |  | Description: |       |  |
| Local Preference: YES [ ]  NO [x]  |
| For Contracts – *Explain how vendor was selected:*       |
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| Additional Information: |       |
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| **Recommended Motion:** |
| (1) Approve the outline of the proposed content of the oppositional comment letter to the State Water Resources Control Board, (2) direct staff to put the letter into its final form, and (3) authorize the Chair to execute the final copy of the letter with the approved content.  |
| **Reviewed as recommended by policy:** |  | ***Special Requests*:** |
| County Counsel |       |  |  |
|  |  |  | *Certified Minute Order(s)* |       | *Quantity:* |       |
| Auditor |       |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Personnel |       |  | *Other:* |       |
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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