South Fork Kings Groundwater Sustainability Agency Regular Meeting Minutes

May 18, 2023 at 5:30 p.m. 429 C Street, Lemoore, CA 93245

Members Present: Members Absent:

Joe Neves, County of Kings (Chair)

Ceil Howe, Jr., Empire West Side Irrigation District (Vice Chair)

Scott Mercer, Stratford Public Utility District (5:34 p.m.)

Michael Newton, Stratford Irrigation District

Others Present:

Paul Stiglich, General Manager Frank Coelho
Amer Hussain, Geosyntec (Engineering Consultant) Antonio Solorio
Alison Lechowicz (Prop. 218 Consultant) Steve Jackson

Item 1: CALL TO ORDER Presenter: Chair Neves

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m., and the Roll was called to establish a quorum.

Roll Call:

Director Neves: Present Director Gornick: Present Director Newton: Present Director Mercer: Present

Item 2:PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCEPresenter:Chair Neves

Item 3: ADDITIONS TO OR DELETIONS FROM THE AGENDA Presenter: Chair Neves

Discussion:

None.

Actions:

None.

Item 4: PUBLIC COMMENT Presenter: Chair Neves

Discussion:

None.

Actions:

None.

Item 5: **CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES** Presenter: Chair Neves Discussion: None. Actions: It was moved by Director Newton, seconded by Director Mercer, and unanimously carried to approve the minutes of the May 18, 2023, Special Meeting. (Ayes: Directors Neves, Gornick, Newton, and Mercer; Noes: None; Abstentions: None; Absent: Howe) Item 6: Presenter: **DIRECTOR REPORTS** Chair Neves Discussion: None Actions: None. Item 7: **Presenter: GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT** Paul Stiglich **Discussion**: General Manager Paul Stiglich noted his written report on previous and upcoming activities, meetings, correspondences, legislation, projects, and items of relevance to the GSA's operation. He invited comments and questions from Directors, and there were none. Actions: None. Item 8: **GEOSYNTEC REPORT** Presenter: Amer Hussain Discussion: Engineer Amer Hussain provided information to the Board regarding the Groundwater Sustainability Plan. Actions: None Item 9: LECHOWICA + TSENG MUNICIPAL CONSULTANTS Presenter: Alison Lechowicz Discussion: Mrs. Lechowicz summarized Proposition 218 activities and provided dates for future meetings. Actions:

None