KENSINGTON FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT AGENDA OF A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Date of Meeting:

February 8, 2012

Time of Meeting:

7:30 p.m. Kensington Community Center

Place of Meeting: K

59 Arlington Avenue, Kensington, CA 94707

<u>Please Note:</u> Copies of the agenda bills and other written documentation relating to each item of business referred to on the agenda are on file in the office of the Kensington Fire Protection District Administration Office, 217 Arlington Avenue, Kensington, and are available for public inspection. A copy of the Board of Directors packet can be viewed

on the internet at www.kensingtonfire.org/agenda/index.shtml.

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CALL TO ORDER

Directors:

Helmut Blaschczyk, Joseph de Ville, Nina Harmon, Janice Kosel and Leslie Michael

1. ADOPTION OF CONSENT ITEMS. Items 3, 4 & 5

All matters listed with the notation "CC" are consent items, which are considered to be routine by the Board of Directors and will be enacted by one motion. The Board of Directors has received and considered reports and recommendations prior to assigning consent item designations to the various items. Copies of the reports are on file in the Fire Protection District Administrative Office at 217 Arlington Avenue and are available to the public. The disposition of the item is indicated. There will be no separate discussion of consent items. If discussion is requested for an item, that item will be removed from the list of consent items and considered separately on the agenda. PLEASE NOTE: Public review copy of the agenda packet is available at the Directors' table at the Board meetings.

- 2. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS. (This place on the agenda is reserved for comments and inquiries from citizens and Board members concerning matters that do not otherwise appear on the agenda. Speakers shall be requested to provide their names and addresses prior to giving public comments or making inquiries.)
- CC 3. **APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.** Approval of the minutes of the regular meeting of January 11, 2012 (APPROVE)
- CC 4. APPROVAL OF MONTHLY A/P VOUCHER TRANSMITTAL #8 (APPROVE)
- CC 5. APPROVAL OF MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT. December 2010/January 2011 (APPROVE)
 - 6. FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT
 - a. Review of operations.
 - b. Regional issues and developments.
 - 7. PRESIDENT'S REPORT
 - LAFCO election

NEW BUSINESS

8. Mid-Year Budget Review - Finance Committee (Possible ACTION)

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9. Resolution 12-02 Recognizing February as Heart Safe Month (ACTION)

10. BOARD REPORTS

Informational reports from Board members or staff covering the following assignments:

- a. Finance Committee (Kosel/Blaschczyk): Committee minutes of May 24 and July 26, 2011.
- b. Public Safety Building (deVille/Harmon)
- c. Education (Kosel)
- d. Contra Costa County/California Special Districts Assoc. (Harmon): Report on 1/23/12 quarterly meeting
- e. Diablo Fire Safe Council/Interface (Staff)

ADJOURNMENT. The next regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Kensington Fire Protection District will be held on Wednesday, <u>March 14, 2012</u>, at 7:30 p.m. at the Kensington Community Center, 59 Arlington Avenue, Kensington, CA 94707.

The deadline for agenda items to be included in the Board packet for the next regular meeting of 3/14/12 is Wednesday, 2/29/12 by 1:00 p.m. The deadline for agenda-related materials to be included in the Board packet is Wednesday, 3/7/12 by 1:00 p.m., Fire Protection District Administration Office, 217 Arlington Ave., Kensington.

IF YOU CHALLENGE A DECISION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN COURT, YOU MAY BE LIMITED TO RAISING ONLY THOSE ISSUES YOU OR SOMEONE ELSE RAISED AT THE BOARD MEETING OR IN WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE DELIVERED AT, OR PRIOR TO, THE BOARD MEETING

CONSENT CALENDAR

MINUTES OF THE JANUARY 11, 2012 MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE KENSINGTON FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

PRESENT:

Directors:

Helmut Blaschczyk, Joe de Ville, Nina Harmon, Janice Kosel, Leslie Michael

Staff:

Chief Lance Maples, Manager Brenda Navellier

CALL TO ORDER:

President Kosel called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. and noted that all Directors were in attendance. President Kosel moved the agenda to item #9 Chief's Report to accommodate Maples' schedule.

FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT:

Chief Maples reviewed his written report which included the annual responses for the Kensington community. Call amounts consistently remain at approximately 300 annually with 60% medical calls and 15% service calls.

Maples walked the trailhead off of Grizzly Peak to Hilltop School yesterday. The neighborhood group that has a right-of-way entry into EBRPD is doing an amazing amount of vegetation management in this area and their work period has been extended due to the dry winter. A group on Leneve in El Cerrito has copied the right-of-entry idea along with a neighborhood group in Claremont Canyon. The Kensington group is planning a celebration to recognize their partnership with Diablo Fire Safe Council, KFPD and PG&E at the beginning of fire season. The District very much appreciates all of the group's hard work.

El Cerrito/Kensington had a projected cost of \$500,000 to purchase radios for the East Bay Regional Communication System (EBRICS) for Alameda and Contra Costa County. ECFD has been notified that they received a federal grant for portable radios for all of the fire agencies in Contra Costa County and San Ramon Valley Fire received a federal grant for station and mobile radios for all of the Contra Costa fire agencies. The federal grant pays for 80% of the costs and the agencies must all match with 20% of their costs. The total grant is \$5.6 million. ECFD will be responsible for managing all portable radios for the County. KFPD will need to pay approximately 1/3 of the unpaid 20%. EBRICS should be in place by January 2013. The Board congratulated Maples on the grant award.

Chief Maples left the meeting. B/C Bond took his place.

APPROVAL OF CONSENT ITEMS:

President Kosel called for approval of the consent calendar (items 3, 4, 5 & 6) consisting of approval of the minutes of the December 14, 2011 meeting, approval of the December 2011 incident activity report, approval of the monthly transmittal #7, and approval of the November/December 2011 monthly financial report. Director Michael made a motion to accept the consent calendar items as presented. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS:

Resident Anthony Knight asked when the next shredding event will take place. The next event will be in April and will be advertised through the Fire Plug and on the District's website.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

President Kosel reported that she is inclined to leave the Committee assignments for 2012 as currently assigned. Director Harmon will ask for help from the other Directors if she is unable to attend a quarterly CSDA meeting. Harmon, de Ville and staff will all attend the January CSDA meeting to receive KFPD's District of Distinction plaque. Harmon and de Ville will both be listed on the Public Safety Building committee.

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KCC held their annual meeting this past week and Harmon represented the District in Kosel's absence. Harmon reported on the building construction and the District of Distinction award at that meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

Review and Acceptance of FY10-11 Financial Statements: President Kosel reviewed the highlights of the report and noted that it was a "clean" report and no recommendations were made by the auditor for internal changes. Kosel noted the balances listed under nonspendable, committed, assigned and unassigned categories. She also reported that the District has received an updated actuary report since the audit date. The Board discussed the Surety Bond and why it is listed as a liability. The Board is pleased with the audit presentation. Director Michael made a motion to accept the audit as submitted. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Resolution 12-01 Adopting the Contra Costa County Hazard Mitigation Plan including all of Volume I, and Chapter 24 and Appendices A of Volume II: Kosel reported that Contra Costa County is developing an overall hazard mitigation plan and asking each agency to develop/approve their portion of the plan. Kosel gave an overview of the plan sections and the template for developing the special districts portion. B/C Bond is requesting the Board to approve the Kensington portion or Chapter 24, all of Volume I and appendix A of Volume II. Bond brought a copy of the entire plan for the Board's information. Web links were included in the packet. This plan is customized to the different areas of the County and is more specific than the previous ABAG plan. Competitive matching grants are available to mitigate identified hazards. Bond reviewed the public process of developing the five-year plan. This is a FEMA requirement to qualify for funds during a disaster. Kosel pointed out two corrections to Chapter 24. Director Blaschczyk made a motion to enact Resolution 12-01 authorizing the acceptance of Volume I, and Chapter 24 and Appendices A of Volume II of the Contra Costa County Hazard Mitigation Plan. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

BOARD REPORTS:

ADJOURNMENT:

Finance Committee: The Committee will meet January 26th at 3:00 p.m. for the mid-year budget review. Public Safety Building: The Building looks very nice with the new landscaping; the Finance Committee will be reviewing the construction costs.

CSDA: Harmon, deVille and staff will attend the January 23rd meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Diablo Fire Safe Council: B/C Bond has stepped down as President but will continue to serve on the DFSC Board.

In answer to a public question, Navellier provided information on a recent water main break in Kensington that shut down 18 hydrants and flooded some homes.

MINUTES PREPARED BY:	Brenda J. Navellier
These minutes were approved at th 2012.	e regular Board meeting of the Kensington Fire Protection District on February 8

Attest:

Leslie Michael, Board Secretary

TRANSMITTAL - APPROVAL

TO: Auditor Controller of Contra Costa County: Forwarded herewith are the following invoices and daims for goods and services received which have been approved for payment:

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Attachment to Transmittal 0212

Kensington Fire Protection District Revolving Fund 01406

Detailed invoice for reimbursement to the Revolving Fund for payment of the following expenditures:

INVOICE		
DATE	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
1/9/2012	Sprint/Nextel -telephone	65.13
1/5/2012	PG&E - electric	940.53
1/5/2012	Office Depot - office supplies	112.28
1/5/2012	PG&E - gas	193.20
1/5/2012	AT&T - telephone	272.40
1/17/2012	Payroll processing	47.99
1/17/2012	Payroll - 1/1-1/15/12	2,339.16
1/17/2012	Withholding payroll taxes 1/1-1/15/12	962.52
1/22/2012	Contra Costa County CSDA - quarterly mtg	72.00
1/24/2012	Contra Costa County - encroachment permit	1,375.51
1/12/2012	Mechanics Bank - office exp., pub ed	303.40
1/22/2012	Comcast	77.48
1/24/2012	Olivero - repair leak	147.72
2/1/2012	Stericycle - medical waste	481.71
1/28/2012	Mighetto - electrical repair	468.37
2/2/2012	Payroll processing	47.99
2/2/2012	Payroll - 1/16-1/31/12	2,390.22
2/2/2012	Withholding payroll taxes 1/16-1/31/12	962.52
2/1/2012	ICMA/RC - deferred comp	900.82
	Total	12,160.95

Please complete the enclosed deposit ticket and mail in the attached envelope to The Mechanics Bank.

Kensington Fire Protection District Balance Sheet

As of January 12, 2012

	Jan 12, 12
ASSETS	
Current Assets Checking/Savings	٠,
Petty Cash	200.00
KFPD Revolving Acct - Gen Fund	9,933.19
General Fund	547,816.93
Special Tax Fund	124,673.50
Capital Fund	-84,935.23
Total Checking/Savings	597,688.39
Accounts Receivable	1,356.21
Accounts Receivable	1,373,865.60
Advance on Taxes	28,687.84
Advance on Supplemental Taxes	
Total Accounts Receivable	1,403,909.65
Other Current Assets Prepaid Services - EC	1,130,471.17
Prepaid CERBT - Retiree Trust	1,192,209.68
Investments	
Capital Replacement Funds	775,930.00
Fire Protect. Contract Reserves	2,260,942.00
Investments - Other	-88,494.69
Total Investments	2,948,377.31
Total Other Current Assets	5,271,058.16
Total Current Assets	7,272,656.20
Fixed Assets	896,141.54
Equipment Accumulated Depreciation-Equip	-490,385.00
	5,800.00
Land Building and Improvements	1,433,929.13
Accumulated Depreciation - Bldg	-583,685.00
Current Capital Outlay	
P/S Building Repair/Replace	539,968.66
Firefighters Qtrs/Equip	10,105.63
Total Current Capital Outlay	550,074.29
Total Fixed Assets	1,811,874.96
Other Assets Prop 1A Loan - State of CA	227,098.04
Total Other Assets	227,098.04
TOTAL ASSETS	9,311,629.20
LIABILITIES & EQUITY Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	
Accounts Payable	
Due to Other - Issued by CCC	23,141.67
Total Accounts Payable	23,141.67
Other Current Liabilities	
El Cerrito Service Contract Pay	1,130,471.17
Wages & PR Taxes Payable	2,654.34
Total Other Current Liabilities	1,133,125.51
Total Current Liabilities	1,156,267.18
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Kensington Fire Protection District Balance Sheet As of January 12, 2012

	Jan 12, 12
Equity Fund Equity - General Fund Equity - Capital Projects Fund Equity - Special Revenue Fund Equity - Gen Fixed Asset Fund Equity Net Income	3,325,448.26 548,373.00 17,789.00 1,321,009.00 1,322,877.58 1,619,865.18
Total Equity	8,155,362.02
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	9,311,629.20

Kensington Fire Protection District Revenue & Expense Prev Year Comparison

July 1, 2011 through January 12, 2012

_	Jul 1, '11 - Jan 12, 12	Jul 1, '10 - Jan 12, 11	\$ Change	% Change	
Ordinary Income/Expense					
Income Property Taxes Special Taxes Other Tax Income Lease Agreement	2,786,121.01 200,196.00 14,724.89 29,705.00	2,753,316.60 200,220.90 0.00 14,420.00	32,804.41 -24.90 14,724.89 15,285.00	1	1.2% 0.0% 00.0% 06.0%
Interest income Salary Reimbursement Agreement Miscellaneous income	2,983.46 22,980.72 0.00	3,475.85 22,352.51 24,052.00	-492.39 628.21 -24,052.00		14.2% 2.8% 00.0%
Total Income	3,056,711.08	3,017,837.86	38,873.22		1.3%
Expense OUTSIDE PROFESSIONAL SERVICES LAFCO Fees Contra Costa County Expenses El Cerrito Contract Fee Water System Improvements Risk Management insurance Professional Fees	1,176.70 2,469.04 1,130,470.67 140,000.00 11,476.00	1,445.41 2,774.40 1,066,064.21 0.00 12,378.00	-268.71 -305.36 64.406.46 140,000.00 -902.00	-18.6% -11.0% 6.0% 100.0% -7.3%	
Accounting Actuarial Valuation Audit	1,527.50 2,500.00 12,000.00	2,226.25 3,200.00 12,000.00 8,276.82	-698.75 -700.00 0.00 -5,813.65	-31.4% -21.9% 0.0% -70.2%	
Legal Fees	2,463.17 18,490.67	25,703.07	-7,212.40	-28.1%	
Total Professional Fees	5,477.50	3,675.00	1,802.50	49.1%	
Wildland Vegetation Mgmt Total OUTSIDE PROFESSIONAL SER	1,309,560.58	1,112,040.09	197,520.49		17.8%
Total DUISIDE PROFESSIONAL SER RETIREE MEDICAL BENEFITS PERS Medical Delta Dental	39,500.00 4,415.81	36,660.00 4,716.16	2,840.00 -300.35	7.8% -6.4%	
Vision Care	1,245.44	1,245.40	0.04	0.0%	0.00/
Total RETIREE MEDICAL BENEFITS	45,161.25	42,621.56	2,539.69		6.0%
COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES Public Education Comm. Pharmaceutical Drop-Off Open Houses Community Shredder	3,894.62 2,012.74 580.23 0.00	4,212.47 0.00 0.00 1,012.50	-317.85 2,012.74 580.23 -1,012.50	-7.6% 100.0% 100.0% -100.0%	24.2%
Total COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITI	6,487.59	5,224.97	1,202.02		
DISTRICT ACTIVITIES Firefighter's Apparel Firefighter's Expenses Engine Rescue Equipment Staff Appreciation Professional Development Building Maintenance Janitorial Service Medical Waste Disposal Building alarm Gardening service Miscellaneous Maint.	415.85 965.28 0.00 811.24 3,369.40 597.96 2,714.43 95.00 0.00 4,066.09	548.75 2,486.75 6,217.01 0.00 171.00 498.30 2,037.55 0.00 360.00 4,189.49	-132.90 -1,521.47 -6,217.01 811.24 3,198.40 99.66 676.88 95.00 -360.00 -123.40	-24.2% -51.2% -100.0% 1,870.4% 20.0% 33.2% 100.0% -3.0%	
Total Building Maintenance	7,473.48	7,085.34	388.14	5.5%	
Building Utilities/Service Garbage Gas and Electric Water/Sewer	542.36 4,893.60 977.45	533.60 5,044.79 782.61 6,361.00	8.76 -151.19 194.84 	1.6% -3.0% 24.9%	
Total Building Utilities/Service	6,413.41	369.80	-369.80	-100.0%	
Election Memberships Office Office Expense Office Supplies	0.00 4,307.00 1,861.23 816.99	4,741.00 585.74 358.55 2,088.79	-434.00 1,275.49 458.44 299.00	-9.2% 217.8% 127.9% 14.3%	÷
Telephone	2,397.79	3,043.08	2,032.93	66,8%	
Total Office	5,076.01	31,023.73	-2,192.06		-7,1%
Total DISTRICT ACTIVITIES	20,031.07	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	·		
Staff Wages Overtime Wages Medical/dental ins compensation Retirement Contribution Payroll Taxes Workers Compensation/Life Ins Payroll Processing	36,099.00 1,249.53 3,060.00 1,804.92 2,857.15 1,086.43 647.78	35,388 24 1,224,94 2,940.00 1,769,40 2,800.69 779,93 615.10	710.76 24.59 120.00 35.52 56.26 306.50 32.68	2.0% 2.0% 4.1% 2.0% 2.0% 39.3% 5.3%	2.8%
Total Staff	46,804.81	45,518.50	1,286.31		
Total Expense	1,436,845.90	1,236,428.85	200,417.05		16.2%
Net Ordinary Income	1,619,865.18	1,781,409.01	-161,543.83		-9.1%

Kensington Fire Protection District Revenue & Expense Prev Year Comparison

July 1, 2011 through January 12, 2012

	Jul 1, '11 - Jan 12, 12	Jul 1, '10 - Jan 12, 11	\$ Change	% Change
Other Income/Expense Other Income Transfers In - Capital Transfers In - General	3,455.00 208,831.47	4,355.00 2,139.00	-900.00 206,692.47	-20.7% 9,663.0%
Total Other Income	212,286.47	6,494.00	205,792.47	3,169.0%
Other Expense Transfers Out - Capital Transfers Out - General	208,831.47 3,455.00	2,139.00 4,355.00	206,692.47 -900.00	9,663.0% -20.7%
Total Other Expense	212,286.47	6,494.00	205,792.47	3,169.0%
Net Other Income	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0%
Net Income	1,619,865.18	1,781,409.01	-161,543.83	-9.1%

Kensington Fire Protection District Revenue & Expense Budget vs. Actual

July through December 2011

	Jul - Dec 11	Budget	\$ Over Budget	% of Budget	
ordinary Income/Expense					400.00
Property Taxes	2,786,121.01 200,196.00	2,768,795.00 200,196.00	17,326.01 0.00		100.6% 100.0%
Special Taxes Other Tax Income	200,198.00	· 0.00	0.00		0.0%
Lease Agreement	29,705.00	29,705.00	0.00		100.0% 132.6%
Interest Income	2,983.46	2,250.00	733.46 9.20		100.0%
Salary Relmbursement Agreement	22,980.72 3,041,986.19	22,971.52 3,023,917.52	18,068.67		100.6%
Total Income Expense	0,041,000.10	_,,,			
OUTSIDE PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	1,176.70	1,490.00	-313.30	79.0%	
LAFCO Fees Contra Costa County Expenses	2,469.04	4,504.00	-2,034.96	54.8%	
El Cerrito Contract Fee	1,130,470.67	1,130,470.92	-0.25	100.0%	
Water System Improvements	140,000.00	200,000.00 8,000.00	-60,000.00 -8,000.00	70.0% 0.0%	
Fire Abatement Contract	0.00 11,476.00	11,000.00	476.00	104.3%	
Risk Management Insurance Professional Fees	11,470.00	*1,550.05			
Accounting	1,527.50	2,400.00	-872.50	63.6%	
Actuarial Valuation	2,500.00	3,000.00	-500.00 -6,000.00	83.3% 0.0%	
Audit	0.00 2,463.17	6,000.00 12,000.00	-9,536.83	20.5%	
Legal Fees	6,490.67	23,400.00	-16,909.33	27.7%	
Total Professional Fees	3,885.00	5.000.00	-1,115.00	77.7%	
Wildland Vegetation Mgmt Total OUTSIDE PROFESSIONAL SER	1,295,968.08	1,383,864.92	-87,896.84	•	93.6%
RETIREE MEDICAL BENEFITS	3,233,1				
PERS Medical	39,500.00	34,562.50	4,937.50	114.3%	
Delta Dental	3,784.98	4,635.20	-850.22 0.00	81.7% 100.0%	
Vision Care	1,245.44	1,245.44		100.070	110.1%
Total RETIREE MEDICAL BENEFITS	44,530.42	40,443.14	4,087.28		110.175
COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES	3,894.62	5.110.00	-1,215.38	76.2%	
Public Education Comm. Pharmaceutical Drop-Off	1,849.86	1,802.00	47.86	102.7%	
Vial of Life Program	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0% 0.0%	
CERT Emergency Kits	0.00	0.00 2,500.00	0.00 -1,919.77	23.2%	
Open Houses	580.23	9,412.00	-3,087.29		67.2%
Total COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITI	6,324.71	3,412.00	,		
DISTRICT ACTIVITIES Firefighter's Apparel	415.85	600.00	-184.15	69.3%	
Firefighters' Expenses	965.28	2,000.00	-1,034.72	48.3% 36.1%	
Staff Appreciation	811.24	2,250.00	-1,438.76 -86.86	97.5%	
Professional Development	3,369.40	3,456.26	-00.00	57.570	
Building Maintenance Janitorial Service	498.30	700.00	-201.70	71.2%	
Medical Waste Disposal	2,245.90	2,267.52	-21.62	99.0% 100.0%	
Building alarm	95.00	0.00 699.98	95.00 -699.98	0.0%	
Gardening service	0.00 3,802.09	4,999.98	-1,197.89	76.0%	
Miscellaneous Maint.	6,641.29	8,667.48	-2,026.19	76.6%	
Total Building Maintenance Building Utilities/Service	5,541.25	-,			
Garbage	266.80	280.00	-13.20	95.3% 99.8%	
Gas and Electric	3,953.07	3,960.00 710.01	-6.93 267.44	137.7%	
Water/Sewer	977.45	4,950.01	247.31	105.0%	
Total Building Utilities/Service	5,197.32 4,307.00	5,100.00	-793.00	84.5%	
Memberships Office	4,307.00	5,100.00			
Office Expense	1,801.23	1,750.02	51.21	102.9% 65.4%	
Office Supplies	816.99	1,249.98 2,400.00	-432.99 -144.82	94.0%	
Telephone	2,255.18 4,873.40	5,400.00	-526.60	90.2%	,
Total Office			-5,842.97		- 82.0%
Total DISTRICT ACTIVITIES	26,580.78	32,423.75	*O ₁ O42.97		J 70
Staff Wages	36,099,00	36,100.02	-1.02	100.0%	
overtime Wages	1,249.53	1,875.00	-625.47	66.6%	
Vacation Wages	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0% 100.0%	
Medical/dental ins compensation	3,060.00	3,060.00 1,804.98	0.00 -0.06	100.0%	
Retirement Contribution	1,804.92 2,857.15	1,604.96 3,100.02	-242.87	92.2%	
Payroll Taxes Workers Compensation/Life Ins	1,086.43	1,000.00	86.43	108.6%	6
	647.78	655.00	-7.22	98.9%	6
Payroll Processing	047.70	055.00			_

Kensington Fire Protection District Revenue & Expense Budget vs. Actual

July through December 2011

	Jul - Dec 11	Budget	\$ Over Budget	% of Budget
Contingency General	0.00	9,999.98	-9,999.98	0.0%
Total Contingency	0.00	9,999.98	-9,999,98	0.0%
Total Expense	1,420,208.80	1,523,738.81	-103,530.01	93.2%
Net Ordinary Income	1,621,777.39	1,500,178.71	121,598.68	108.1%
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CHIEF'S REPORT

KENSINGTON FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT MEMORANDUM

February 8, 2012

TO: President and Board Members, Kensington Fire Protection District

FROM: Lance J. Maples, Fire Chief

SUBJECT: Fire Chief's Report

February is American Heart Month

Sudden cardiac arrest (SCA) is the nation's leading cause of death. Every two minutes someone in the United States dies of SCA.

Join us this month to build community awareness. Learn the symptoms of a cardiovascular emergency and what you can do to make a difference:

"Early Access" – Know the Signs

Heart attack – discomfort – pressure or pain in the center of the chest; in the arm(s), back, neck, jaw or stomach; trouble breathing; breaking out in a sweat; nausea or lightheadedness

Stroke – sudden numbness or weakness (especially on one side), difficulty walking, talking or seeing as well as a sudden and severe headache

Or

Sudden cardiac arrest – someone suddenly collapses and you can't wake them and they are not breathing or not breathing normally.

If you or someone you are with is suffering a cardiovascular emergency - Dial 9-1-1!!

"Early CPR" - Know and do CPR - YOU can be a lifesaver!

If someone collapses and you can't wake them up – Call 9-1-1 – then do Hands Only CPR

Push Hard and Fast in the middle of the chest - Your Hands are their Heart!!

"Early Defibrillation" – know where the closest AED (automated external defibrillator) is – they are easy to use! Check for them – in airports, golf courses, fitness centers, etc... and

"Early Advanced Life Support" is in place in Contra Costa County thanks to our dispatchers, police, EMTs and paramedics who work so hard to make this system work!

Know the Signs - Call 9-1-1 - Act in Time!!

NEW BUSINESS

Kensington Fire Protection District Revenue & Expense Budget vs. Actual

July through December 2011

_	Jul - Dec 11	Budget	\$ Over Budget	% of Budget	
Ordinary income/Expanse Income					400 GW
Property Taxes Special Taxes Other Tax Income Lease Agreement Interest income	2,786,121.01 200,196.00 0.00 29,705.00 2,983.46	2,768,795.00 200,196.00 0.00 29,705.00 2,250.00	17,326.01 0.00 0.00 0.00 733.46 9.20		100.6% 100.0% 0.0% 100.0% 132.6% 100.0%
Salary Reimbursement Agreement	22,980.72 3,041,986.19	22,971.52 3,023,917.52	18,068.67		100.6%
Total Income	3,041,366.19	0,020,011.02	**!**		
Expense OUTSIDE PROFESSIONAL SERVICES LAFCO Fees Contra Costa County Expenses	1,176.70 2,469.04 1.130.470.67	1,490.00 4,504.00 1,130,470.92	-313.30 -2,034.96 -0.25	79.0% 54.8% 100.0%	
El Cerrito Contract Fee Water System Improvements Fire Abatement Contract Risk Management Insurance	140,000.00 0.00 11,476.00	200,000.00 8,000.00 11,000.00	-60,000.00 -8,000.00 476.00	70.0% 0.0% 104.3%	
Professional Fees Accounting Actuarial Valuation Audit	1,527.50 2,500.00 0.00	2,400.00 3,000.00 6,000.00	-872.50 -500.00 -6,000.00 -9,536.83	63.6% 83.3% 0.0% 20.5%	
Legal Fees	2,463.17	12,000.00 23,400.00	- 16 ,909.33	27.7%	
Total Professional Fees	6,490.67 3,885.00	5,000.00	-1,115.00	77.7%	
Wildland Vegetation Mgmt Total OUTSIDE PROFESSIONAL SER	1,295,968.08	1,383,864.92	-87,896.84		93.6%
RETIREE MEDICAL BENEFITS PERS Medical Delta Dental Vision Care	39,500.00 3,784.98 1,245.44	34,562.50 4,635.20 1,245.44	4,937.50 -850.22 0.00	114.3% 81.7% 100.0%	
Total RETIREE MEDICAL BENEFITS	44,530.42	40,443.14	4,087.28		110.1%
COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES Public Education Comm. Pharmaceutical Drop-Off Vial of Life Program CERT Emergency Kits Open Houses	3,894.62 1,849.86 0.00 0.00 580.23	5,110.00 1,802.00 0.00 0.00 2,500.00	-1,215.38 47.86 0.00 0.00 -1,919.77	76.2% 102.7% 0.0% 0.0% 23.2%	
Total COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITI	6,324.71	9,412.00	-3,087.29		67.2%
DISTRICT ACTIVITIES Firefighter's Apparel Firefighters' Expenses Staff Appreciation Professional Development Building Maintenance Janitorial Service	415.85 965.28 811.24 3,369.40 498.30	600.00 2,000.00 2,250.00 3,456.26	-184.15 -1,034.72 -1,438.76 -86.86 -201.70 -21.62	69.3% 48.3% 36.1% 97.5% 71.2% 99.0%	
Medicat Waste Disposal Bullding alarm Gardening service Miscellaneous Maint.	2,245.90 95.00 0.00 3,802.09	2,267.52 0.00 699.98 4,999.98	95.00 -699.98 -1,197.89	100.0% 0.0% 76.0%	
Total Building Maintenance	6,641.29	8,667.48	-2,026.19	76.6%	
Building Utilities/Service Garbage Gas and Electric Water/Sewer	266.80 3,953.07 977.45	280.00 3,960.00 710.01	-13.20 -6.93 267.44	95.3% 99.8% 137.7%	
Total Bullding Utilities/Service	5,197.32	4,950.01	247.31	105.0%	
Memberships	4,307.00	5,100.00	-793.00	84.5%	
Office Expense Office Supplies Telephone Office - Other	1,787.79 816.99 2,255.18 13.44	1,750.02 1,249.98 2,400.00	37.77 -432.99 -144.82	102.2% 65.4% 94.0%	
Total Office	4,873.40	5,400.00	-526.60	90.2%	
Total DISTRICT ACTIVITIES Staff	26,580.78	32,423.75	-5,842.97	400.00	82.0%
Wages Overlime Wages Vacation Wages Medical/dental ins compensation Retirement Contribution Payroll Taxes Workers Compensation/Life ins Payroll Processing	36,099.00 1,249.53 0.00 3,060.00 1,804.92 2,857.15 1,086.43 647.78	36,100.02 1,875.00 0.00 3,060.00 1,804.98 3,100.02 1,000.00 655.00	-1.02 -625.47 0.00 0.00 -0.06 -242.87 86.43 -7.22	100,0% 66.6% 0.0% 100.0% 100.0% 92.2% 108.6% 98.9%	
Total Staff	46,804.81	47,595.02	-790.21		98.3%

Kensington Fire Protection District Revenue & Expense Budget vs. Actual

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KFPD COMBINED REVENUE, EXPENSE AND CAPITAL BUDGET

KFPD COMBINED REVENUE, EXPENSE	AND CAPITAL BUD	GEI		
Fiscal Year 2011-2012	FY 2010-2011	FY 2010-11	FY 2011-2012	FY 2012-2013
REVENUE BUDGET	Budget	Actual	Budget	Planning
B Tanna Y	2,725,300	2,784,872	2,798,795	2,812,791
Property Taxes *	200,221	200,221	200,196	200,200
Special Taxes	31,900	32,657	32,000	32,000
Other tax income	•	12,526	9,000	10,000
Interest income	10,000		29,705	30,596
Lease agreement (3%)	28,840	28,840	45,943	46,610
Salary reimb agreement	45,025	44,705	45,845	0
Surety bond claim	0	176,000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	. <u>0</u>
Miscellaneous income	<u>0</u>	<u>32,808</u>	0	3,132,198
Total Revenue	3,041,286	3,312,629	3,115,640	·
	FY2010-2011	FY 2010-11	FY 2011-2012	FY 2012-2013
OPERATING EXPENSE BUDGET	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	Planning
OUTSIDE PROFESSIONAL SERVICES			- 400	5,400
Accounting	5,400	3,855	5,400	· _
Actuarial Valuation	2,500	3,200	3,000	0
Audit	12,000	· 12,000	12,000	12,500
Mandate Reimbursement Filing	0	0	1,300	1,300
	32,455	33,091	34,745	36,000
CC County Expenses	2,132,128	2,132,128	2,260,942	2,373,990
El Cerrito Contract	8,000	0	8,000	8,000
Fire Abatement Contract	12,380	12,378	11,000	11,550
Insurance - Risk Mgmt	1,445	1,445	1,490	1,535
LAFCO Fees	35,000	24,200	30,000	35,000
Legal Fees	20,000	1,186	600,000	400,000
Water System Improvements	-	5,985	10,000	10,000
Wildland Vegetation Mgmt	10,000	5,900	10,000	
RETIREE MEDICAL BENEFITS	~ 4 000	. 54,000	59,250	63,840
PERS Medical (OPEB cost)	54,990	54,990	8,155	8,790
Delta Dental	7,570	7,870	2,300	2,480
Vision Care	2,135	2,135	2,300	2, 100
COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITES		0.007	42.000	13,000
Public Education	13,000	8,087	13,000	3,000
Community Pharmaceutical Drop-Off	3,500	1,486		400
Vial of Life Program	1,000	234	500	
CERT Emergency Kits	6,000	3,787	2,500	2,500
Open Houses	2,500	0		
Community Shredder	1,500	1,783	2,000	1,500
DISTRICT ACTIVITIES				
Professional Development	5,500	946	5,500	5,500
District Office			2 500	3,500
Office expense	3,500	1,928		
Office supplies	2,500	1,360		
Telephone	4,250	4,573	_	
Election	1,000	370		
Firefighter's Apparel **	7,000	7,199	1,500	
	5,000	4,974	5,000	
Firefighters' Expenses	5,910		, i	
Engine Rescue Equipment	2,500		4,000	
Staff Appreciation	5,000	-		6,000
Memberships	0,000	-,		
P/S Building	1,400	708	1,400	1,470
Gardening service	2,000			
Building alarm	2,000 4,500		·	
Medical waste disposal				
Janitoria l	1,500		·	
Misc. Maint/Improvements	245,000			
PG&E	7,810	r,54.	د ۱٬۵۷۱	5,515

KFPD COMBINED REVENUE, EXPENSE AND CAPITAL BUDGET Fiscal Year 2011-2012 1,280 1,220 1.160 1,040 Water/Sewer 840 840 840 801 Garbage Staff 73,640 72,200 70,775 70.776 Wages (2%) 3,825 3,750 2,501 4,900 Overtime Wages 735 55 953 1,020 Vacation Wages Accrual Adjustment 6,425 6,120 5,880 5,880 Medical/dental insurance compensation 3,680 3.610 3,539 3.540 Retirement Contribution 6,640 6,500 5,886 6,415 **Payroll Taxes** 1,500 1,500 1,226 1,470 Insurance - Workers Comp/Life 1,285 1,225 1,168 1,165 Processing 30<u>,000</u> 20,000 3,300 30,000 Operating Contingency Fund 3,182,111 3,248,534 2,462,780 2,794,913 **Total Operating Expense** Capital Outlay 0 0 6,156 6,580 Mobile Display Terminal **Engine Defribillators** 0 575,000 49,209 105,000 P/S Building Repair/Replace

45,000

10,000

5,000

171,580

2,966,493

0

10,000

5,000

15,000

3,197,111

24,000

12,000

5,000

616,000

3,864,534

8,685

<u>1,704</u>

65,754

2,528,534

Notes: The standard expenditure increase is 5% unless otherwise indicated or unless policy decisions mandated.

Designated Funds (see attached schedules)

High Band Radios

P/S Building Bay Doors

Office Furniture/Computers

Total Capital Outlay

TOTAL EXPENDITURES

Firefighter atrs/equip

Engine Replacement Fund Public Safety Building Fund Prepay CalPERS Trust	93,455 0 <u>50,000</u> 143,455	93,455 0 <u>0</u> 93,455	93,455 0 <u>0</u> 93,455	93,455 90,000 <u>0</u> 183,455
	FY 2010-2011	FY 2010-2011	FY 2011-2012	FY 2012-2013 Planning
	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	Plaining
D. Justina Ozak	4,255,595	4,255,595	5,049,078	
Beginning Cash	3,041,286	3,312,629	3,115,640	
Revenue State of California Loan Receivable	0	0	0	•
	-2,794,913	-2,462,780	-3,248,534	
Operating Expenditures Capital Expenditures	-171,580	-65,754	-616,000	•
Accrual to Cash Adjustment	15,377	9,388		
ENDING CASH	4,345,764	5,049,078	4,300,183	
Cumulative Designated Funds	175	000 475	-982,930	·
Capital Replacement Funds	-889,475		-1,155,985	•
Prepaid CERBT - Retiree Trust	-1,139,125		-2,260,942	
El Cerrito Contract 12 month set aside	-2,132,128	-2,132,128	-2,200,042	
AVAILABLE CASH	185,036	871,490	-99,674	

^{*} The State of California "borrowed" \$218,628 from KFPD during FY09-10 to be repaid by the end of FY12-13 with interest.

This will affect our cash balance and create a receivable shown on the Balance Sheet, but not revenue reported.

^{**} Firefighters apparel was increased by \$5,760 in FY10-11 in order to purchase state-of-the-art wildland safety gear.

KFPD COMBINED REVENUE, EXPENSE AND CAPITAL BUDGET Fiscal Year 2011-2012

SCHEDULE FOR REPLACEMENT OF EQUIPMENT

Type I Vehicle <u>Cost</u>	Estimated Cost 15 yrs/4%	Fiscal <u>Year</u>	Yearly Contribution To Cap. Fund	Accumulated Funds	Type III Vehicle <u>Cost</u>	Estimated Cost 15 yrs/4%	Fiscal Year	Yearly Contribution To Cap. Fund	Accumulated Funds
\$123,464 \$178,435	\$543,700	99-00 00-01 01-02 02-03	30,832 36,633 36,633	30,832 67,465 104,098	\$94,000	\$540,094	02-03		
		03-04 04-05 05-06 06-07 07-08 08-09	36,633 36,633 36,633 36,633 36,633 36,633	140,731 177,364 213,997 250,630 287,263 323,896	\$205,895	2500 4000	03-04 04-05 05-06 06-07 07-08 08-09	32,860 32,860 32,855 36,793 36,793 41,994	32,860 65,720 98,575 135,368 172,161 214,155
adjust to	\$632,660	09-10 10-11 11-12 12-13 13-14 14-15		529,740 581,201 632,662	adjust to	\$592,100	09-10 10-11 11-12 12-13 13-14 14-15 15-16 16-17 17-18 18-19	41,994 41,994 41,994 41,994 41,994 41,994 41,994	256,149 298,143 340,137 382,131 424,125 466,119 508,113 550,107 592,101

KFPD COMBINED REVENUE, EXPENSE AND CAPITAL BUDGET Fiscal Year 2011-2012

SCHEDULE FOR RENOVATION OF BUILDING

Kitchen Remodel/ Office Expansion	Possible Cost in 15 yrs. at 4% Inflation	Fiscal <u>Year</u>	Yearly Contribution	Accumulated Reserves
\$430,000	\$774,406 (05-06	0	0
	. (06-07	51,627	51,627
	(07-08	51,627	103,254
	(08-09	51,627	154,881
	{	9-10	51,627	206,508
		10-11 *	0	0
	•	11-12 *	0	0
	•	12-13	90,000	90,000

^{*} The Kensington Fire Protection District is currently renovating and upgrading portions of the Public Safety Building. Accumulated reserves will be applied to the current project. Building Renovation Schedule will be created at the end of this current project and after reviewing historical costs and operational needs. FY12-13 is currently an estimate.

RESOLUTION 12-02

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE KENSINGTON FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RECOGNIZING FEBRUARY AS AMERICAN HEART MONTH

WHEREAS, the month of February has been proclaimed by the President as "American Heart Month."

WHEREAS, over 600,000 Americans die from heart disease each year, more than breast cancer, lung cancer and AIDS combined; and

WHEREAS, over 92% of those suffering sudden cardiac arrest die before reaching the hospital; and

WHEREAS, chances of survival are increased dramatically if cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and automated external defibrillator (AED) resources are available and utilized within the first three to seven minutes after sudden cardiac arrest; and

WHEREAS, the goal of American Heart Month is to raise awareness of heart disease, prevention and treatment; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to increase awareness of how to prevent cardiovascular disease and the appropriate intervention should an individual suffer from cardiovascular disease; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to increase awareness of the value of CPR training and encourage placement of AEDs in public places; and

WHEREAS, the American Heart Association and the Contra Costa County Emergency Medical Services Agency advocate the "Chain of Survival," which represents the five crucial links of the emergency treatment of sudden cardiac arrest. The links are:

Early Access to Care * Early CPR * Early Defibrillation * Effective Advanced Life Support * Integrated Post Cardiac Arrest Care

WHEREAS, Contra Costa County Emergency Medical Services is committed to strengthening the links in the chain of survival in Kensington; and supports widespread CPR training, and public access defibrillation (PAD) and *HeartSafe* Community programs; and

WHEREAS, the Kensington Fire Protection District is working to make the community where its citizens live, work, shop and play a *HeartSafe* Community:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of the Kensington Fire Protection District designates **February** as **American Heart Month**, encouraging all residents of the Kensington community to learn the risks of cardiovascular disease, to stay fit through exercise and

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good nutrition, to learn the signs of Stroke, Heart Attack and Sudden Cardiac Arrest, to learn critical lifesaving skills such as CPR and AED use, to call 9-1-1, to Act in Time when a cardiovascular emergency occurs and encouraging Kensington to become a *HeartSafe* Community.

The foregoing resolution was duly and regularly adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Kensington Fire Protection District on the 8th day of February 2012, by the following vote of the Board:

AYES:

BOARD MEMBERS:

NOES:

BOARD MEMBERS:

ABSENT:

Leslie Michael, Secretary

BOARD MEMBERS:

	Janice E. Kosel, President
TTEST:	

BOARD REPORTS

MINUTES OF THE MAY 24, 2011 FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE KENSINGTON FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

PRESENT:

Directors:

Janice Kosel and Helmut Blaschczyk

Staff:

Chief Lance Maples, Manager Brenda Navellier, Deborah Russell CPA

CALL TO ORDER:

Director Kosel called the meeting to order at 3:30 p.m. and noted those present.

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS:

None.

COMMITTEE MINUTES OF JANUARY 26, 2011:

The Committee agreed by consensus to adopt the January 26, 2011 minutes as amended.

EL CERRITO CONTRACT FEE PROPOSAL FY11-12:

Chief Maples gave a verbal presentation of the contract fee proposal that was included in the Committee packet. The department has one secretary and two firefighter positions vacant that will remain unstaffed at this time. Maples reviewed the department's FY10-11 many accomplishments and its FY11-12 goals. Maples then reviewed the fee proposal and noted that the department's budget, aside from personnel, is completely flat. The salary line shows an increase of 4.9% based on the current contract in place to pay the firefighters to median salary. Last year the firefighters were due a 2% raise that they gave up and the year before that they agreed to a 2% raise in lieu of a salary survey. Overtime increase mirrors the 4.9%. The department's PERS contribution is increased by 19% to reflect the raises and the City's increased rate. The only other changes are \$6,000 decrease across two other budget lines. Total proposed contract fee is \$2,214,980, an approximate 6% increase. Maples explained the salary savings line item. The Committee reviewed the actual costs from 1996 through current. According to the City's negotiator, El Cerrito is one of the last cities to give a raise to its employees. The other cities in El Cerrito's Anderson survey have mostly had freezes or take-aways. El Cerrito's next salary survey will be very different, most likely flat or ahead of median. The increase is 6.1 with the annual reconciliation or about 7.9 percent without the reconciliation allowed by the contract. The Committee discussed other possible presentations for better accuracy since FY10-11's fee showed a net decrease. Blaschczyk also suggested changing the "personnel" line to reflect "salary and benefits". The Committee discussed the use of salary surveys and their benefits and flaws. Director Kosel requested the station comparison chart for either the June or September Board packet. Kosel gave a brief overview of KFPD's financials. KFPD has some extraordinary costs in building and water system improvements during FY11-12. KFPD will not be able to fund the entire contract fee set-aside; however, Maples is in support of the proposed water system improvements and thinks the District should take advantage of the shared cost with EBMUD. Maples said El Cerrito's budgeting process has assumed no cut back in City services and programs, FY10-11 projections show a \$280,000 surplus and reserves will be maintained at 10%. Also, the City is honoring all collective bargaining agreements and the rest of the personnel will receive a 2% raise. El Cerrito is in excellent shape compared to most West County cities. Maples believes industry-wide pension reform will be coming soon; the Committee discussed PERS pension costs and pension/healthcare reform. The Committee also discussed the property tax budget increase and the County housing market. The Committee feels the contract with El Cerrito is a win-win situation for both communities. Maples will make a presentation at the June Board meeting.

FY11-12 AUDITOR RECOMMENDATION:

The Finance Committee agreed by consensus to recommend Lamorena & Chang with no fee increase from the previous fiscal year. The Committee is very happy with the financial statement presentation and there are very few firms that specialize in government auditing to choose from.

REVIEW AND RECOMMEND DRAFT FY11-12 BUDGET:

The Committee discussed where the surety bond settlement should be classified; its placement will be dependent upon which fiscal year it is received. The proposed property tax revenue increase is ½ percent. Last fiscal year the District received approximately 1 percent more than budgeted.

The Committee discussed the expense budget including water system improvement costs, the building rehabilitation costs, community service activities including the shredder and pharmaceutical drop-off, staff appreciation activities, public education including trading cards, and the staff wage increase of 2%. Costs are significant this year but the District came in \$400,000 under budget in the previous year since the remodel did not get underway. Water systems are budgeted reflecting EBMUD's 20% participation. The District does not know at this time whether the water system improvements project will take place entirely within the FY11-12 year since there is no contract yet. Russell gave an explanation on the retiree medical benefit costs and how they must match the OPEB cost in the actuary report. The amount held in the PERS Trust is reflected in the cumulative designated funds on the budget. A new actuarial study will start this summer with a report date of July 1, 2011. At this time it appears that the District's OPEB Trust account is fully funded. No changes were suggested at this time to the proposed budget.

REVIEW DISTRICT INVESTMENTS:

Navellier explained that she received an email from PERS stating that the District must choose one of three asset allocation strategies for their upcoming actuarial report. Strategy 1 is the most aggressive and closest to the current strategy. Strategy 2 is less aggressive and Strategy 3 is the most conservative and recommended if an agency is well funded and expects to make withdrawals. Navellier gave hand outs to the Committee members with the strategy explanations. The Committee agreed by consensus to elect Strategy 3 for the actuary report. Navellier will contact PERS for more information and about securing the fund.

Navellier handed out a spreadsheet that showed the District's estimated cash flow. The lean months are always in late fall before the December cash conversion.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 5:04 p.m.

MINUTES PREPARED BY:

Brenda J. Navellier

These minutes were approved at the Committee meeting of January 26, 2012.

Attest

Finance Committee Member

MINUTES OF THE JULY 26, 2011 FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE KENSINGTON FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

PRESENT:

Directors:

Janice Kosel and Helmut Blaschczyk

Staff:

Manager Brenda Navellier, Deborah Russell CPA

CALL TO ORDER:

Director Kosel called the meeting to order at 3:00 p.m. and noted those present.

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS:

None.

COMMITTEE MINUTES OF MAY 24, 2011:

The minutes were pulled from the agenda and will be held over until the next Finance Committee meeting.

REVIEW AND RECOMMEND FY11-12 BUDGET:

Navellier and Russell presented an updated draft budget for the September Board meeting. The Committee first discussed the overall budget big picture: Revenue is approximately \$3.1 million, expenses are \$3.2 million, total expenses with capital is \$3.8 million putting the District over \$600,000 in the negative this year. The construction is budgeted at \$575,000 and water systems are budgeted at approx. \$600,000.

Line item review included the water system contract with EBMUD. The Committee would like to have a contract for both identified projects that EBMUD is willing to cost share. The Committee discussed the fact that the total cost of the first phase of the water system, along with all other scheduled expenditures, could exceed more than the District's total appropriations limit; however, there is no contract yet and it is likely that the project could span two fiscal years. The PERS Trust has yielded very healthy investment returns over time, nearly 25%. KFPD will start requesting disbursements from the Trust during FY11-12. The staff appreciation event will be a picnic in September. Navellier answered several questions on the mandate reimbursement filing, the fire abatement contract and gardening costs. Russell gave an explanation on the Cumulative Designated Funds that include the PERS Trust. As the District receives disbursements, the designated amount for that item will need to be lowered. Director Blaschczyk suggested the Cumulative Designated Funds be presented in a clearer fashion so that someone reviewing the budget will understand what is in it.

Further discussion followed on the PERS Trust, current interest rates, PERS funding, and the cost of employees.

REVIEW DISTRICT INVESTMENTS:

Navellier handed out a spreadsheet that showed the District's estimated cash flow. The District will be unable to meet the El Cerrito contract obligation as of August 2011 until the December cash conversion.

Russell explained the investments earmarked on the Balance Sheet.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 3:50 p.m.

MINUTES PREPARED BY:

Brenda J. Navellier

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Finance Committee Member