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PRPD Regular Board of Directors Meeting

April Highlights

Paradise, CA, April 27, 2023 – The Paradise Recreation and Park District (PRPD, District) Board of Directors (Board) conducted its Regular Monthly Meeting on Wednesday, April 12, 2023, at Terry Ashe Recreation Center.

Staff presented investment options to the Board of Directors (Board, BOD) that had also been reviewed by the Finance Committee, with California Class, a branch of Public Trust Advisors LLC. The Board authorized the District Manager to enter into an agreement with California Class to invest District funds.

Staff presented a Short List Request for Qualifications (RFQ) update, which the Board approved. The District last updated the Short List RFQ in 2016. This list provides the District with a roster of local contractors and qualified consultants to provide emergency and professional services. The District will post the announcement on its website.

In other action, the Board considered new benefit programs for employees.

The Board authorized the District Manager to initiate participation in an Employee Assistance Program (EAP). The EAP is a low-cost program that provides a variety of assistance options (such as financial services, therapy service, wellness help, grief counseling, etc.) to employees. The EAP will be offered to full-time and part-time permanent employees.

The Personnel Committee also reviewed a Workplace Savings Program (Program) through Scholar Share 529, which Staff presented to the Board for authorization approval. The Board authorized the District Manager to begin the registration process. This Program is funded by interested employees who enroll in the Program, requiring minimal staff time.

The next Regular Board of Directors Meeting will be held at Terry Ashe Recreation Center on May 10, 2023, at 6:00 pm.

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Since 1948, the Paradise Recreation and Park District provides recreation facilities and programs to the residents of Paradise, the Butte Creek Canyon area, and the unincorporated communities of Magalia/Paradise Pines and Concow/Yankee Hill. The District serves 50,000 people living in a 170-square mile area and manages over 1,000 acres of park land and facilities.