

# **SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE**

# City of Tacoma Public Utility Board Wednesday, November 17, 2021 3:00 P.M.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the Tacoma Public Utility Board will be held on Wednesday, November 17, 2021 at 3:00 p.m.

\*To comply with Governor Inslee's Proclamation 20-28 and the Mayor's Proclamation of Emergency Rule No. 4, this meeting will not be conducted in-person and will have telephonic and virtual access for the public to attend.

Attendance and public comment for this meeting will be done virtually through Zoom at <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88623208859">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88623208859</a> or telephonically by dialing (253) 215-8782 and entering the meeting ID 886 2320 8859.

Written comments submitted to the Public Utility Board at utilityboard@cityoftacoma.org will be provided to the Board before the meeting if the comments are received by 2:00 p.m.

### **Call to Order**

## **Roll Call**

- A. Approve Minutes of Previous Meetings
- B. Comments by the Public
- C. Recognition: 2021 United Way Campaign

#### **Departmental**

- D-1 Resolution U-11290 Award contracts and approve purchases:
- 1. Increase contract to Clary Longview LLC (formerly Columbia Ford) to continue purchasing various new motor vehicles planned for replacement in 2021 2025 (\$15,073,300, plus applicable taxes. Cumulative total \$20,776,800, plus applicable taxes) [Don Ashmore, Fleet Manager];
- 2. Award one-year contract to Univar Solutions USA Inc., for sodium hydroxide used for drinking water treatment (\$962,500, plus applicable taxes) [Kim DeFolo, Principal Engineer].
- D-2 Resolution U-11291 Authorize execution of a letter of agreement as negotiated with the Tacoma Joint Labor Committee regarding the addition of June 19<sup>th</sup> "Juneteenth" as a paid holiday for City employees beginning in calendar year 2022 [Dylan Carlson, Sr. Labor Relations Mgr].
- D-3 Resolution U-11292 Approve and adopt TPU's state and federal legislative policies [Clark Mather, Community and Government Relations Manager].
- D-4 Resolution U-11293 Approve and adopt TPU's state and federal legislative agenda [Clark Mather, Community and Government Relations Manager].

# Tacoma Water

D-5 Resolution U-11294 – Authorize Tacoma Water to participate in the City of Tacoma, Department of Environmental Services waste water sewer replacement South "J" Street Project to replace approximately 2,500 feet of six-inch to 12-inch potable water main (\$787,282.41, plus a 15 percent contingency for a cumulative total of \$905,374.77, plus applicable taxes) [Ali Polda, Principal Engineer].

# E. Reports of the Director

- Update on the status and impact of the COVID-19 virus and TPU's response to the emergency declaration
- Rail Strategic Plan Feedback
- July 2021 Financials for Power, Water, Rail, Self-Insurance Fund
- Strategic Directive Two (SD2, Financial Sustainability) Quarterly Budget Performance, Financial Outlook, and Metrics
- Strategic Directive Fourteen (SD14, Resource Planning) Update
- Draft Clean Energy Implementation Plan and Clean Energy Transformation Act Low-Income Assessment
- General updates

# F. Comments of the Board

- G. Executive Session to Discuss the Performance of a Public Employee RCW 42.30.110(1)(g)
- H. Adjournment



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