



**AGENDA**  
**GOLD RIDGE RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT**  
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**August 17, 2017, 3:30 – 5:30 PM**

**Location:** Gold Ridge RCD Office, 2776 Sullivan Rd., Sebastopol, CA 95472 *Call for directions*

**Time:** **3:30 PM**

*Materials related to items on this agenda, included in the agenda packet or distributed to the Board after distribution of the agenda packet, are available for public inspection at the above address during normal business hours.*

**1. CALL TO ORDER, DETERMINATION OF A QUORUM, INTRODUCTIONS**

**2. ADDITIONS/CHANGES TO THE AGENDA (GOV. CODE 54954.2 (B))**

**3. PUBLIC COMMENT** Public may comment on agenda items when they are discussed. Speakers are asked to limit comments to three minutes (Gov. Code 54954.3(a)).

**4. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS**

4-1 **Updates & Notices**

4-2 **NRCS Update**

4-3 **Santa Rosa Plain Groundwater Sustainability Agency Update**

4-4 **Laguna de Santa Rosa Dairy Enhancement Program Grant Report**

4-5 **CDFA North Coast Soil Health Hub and Vineyard Soil Health Survey**

4-6 **CalCAN Climate Smart Agriculture Tour**

4-7 **Coho Partnership Water Reliability Program Outreach Update**

**5. CONSENT CALENDAR**

5-1 **July 15, 2017 Meeting Minutes and July Grant Status Report**

**6. ACTION ITEMS**

6-1 **Approve Financial Report and Warrant Request for FY 2017/18 through June 30, 2017**

6-2 **Review of bids for Valley Ford Cheese Co. & Creamery Project Construction**, selection of contractor and approval for Executive Director to enter into contract with selected contractor.

6-3 **Appoint Matt O'Connor of O'Connor Environmental** as the Gold Ridge RCD Advisory Committee Member to the Santa Rosa Plain Groundwater Sustainability Agency

6-4 **Approval of Executive Director to enter into contract with Schaefer Engineering** for the Dairy M. Stormwater Management Project.

6-5 **Approval of Resolution 2017-06 to Adopt the 457 Deferred Compensation Program**

## 7. ADJOURNMENT AND AGENDA SETTING

To request board packet information, please contact Brittany Jensen at (707) 823-5244.

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Calendar of Upcoming Events	
RCD September Board Meeting	September 21, 3:30-5:30pm, GRRCD Office, Sebastopol, CA
Gravenstein Apple Fair, hosted by Sonoma County Farm Trails	August 12-13 at Ragle Ranch, Sebastopol, CA
Agri-Business BBQ, hosted by Santa Rosa Metro Chamber	August 30, the Pavilion at Richard's Grove, Windsor, CA
National Heirloom Expo, hosted by Nat. Heirloom Expo.	September 5-7, Sonoma County Fair Grounds, Santa Rosa, CA
Agrarian Games, hosted by CAFF and the Farmers Guild	September 16, Petaluma Fair Grounds, Petaluma, CA
Climate Beneficial Fashion Gala, hosted by Fibershed	September 23, Big Mesa Farmstead, Bolinas, CA

Schedule of Upcoming Gold Ridge RCD Board Meetings – Every Third Thursday of the Month, unless marked*	
September 21, 3:30-5:30pm	November 16, 3:30-5:30pm
October 19, 3:30-5:30pm	December date to be determined

Board of Directors		RCD Team	
Joe Dutton	<b>Board President</b>	Brittany Jensen	<b>Executive Director</b>
Richard Hughes	<b>Vice President</b>	Joe Pozzi	<b>District Manager</b>
Torrey Olson	<b>Treasurer</b>	Noelle Johnson	<b>Conservation Planner</b>
Ann Cassidy	<b>Secretary</b>	John Green	<b>Lead Scientist/Project Manager</b>
Melvin Sanchietti	<b>Director</b>	Sierra Cantor	<b>Ecologist</b>
<i>Guy Smith</i>	<b>Associate Director</b>	William Hart	<b>Project Manager</b>
<i>Chris Choo</i>	<b>Associate Director</b>	Michele Harris	<b>Bookkeeper</b>
		Mare O'Connell	<b>Contracted Financial Manager</b>

		Adriana Stagnaro	<b>Project Coordinator</b>
		Jason Hoorn	<b>Project Manager</b>
		Erica Mikesh	<b>RCD Shared Engineer</b>