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## STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING 450 N Street, Auditorium, Sacramento October 18-19, 2022

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Catherine Taylor, Chief Board Proceedings and Support Services Division

### STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING 450 N Street, Auditorium, Sacramento Tuesday, October 18, 2022

# AGENDA

# 9:00 a.m. Pledge of Allegiance

# **Board Meeting Convenes**

- A. Special Taxes Appeals Hearings (None Scheduled)
- B. Property Tax Appeals Hearings (None Scheduled)
- C. Public Hearings (None Scheduled)

# D. Tax Program Nonappearance Matters – Consent

(Contribution Disclosure forms not required pursuant to Gov. Code, § 15626.)

- 1. Special Taxes Matters (None Scheduled)
- 2. Property Tax Matters ...... Mr. McCool
  - > Petition for Unitary Escaped Land Assessments
    - a. Southern California Edison Company (0148), EAU22-002 'CF'
  - > Petitions for Reassessment of Unitary Value
    - b. Pacific Bell Telephone Company (0279), SAU22-010 'CF'
    - c. Torrance Valley Pipeline Company (0409), SAU22-004 'CF'
    - d. Sprint Spectrum LP (2720), SAU22-001 'CF'
  - > Petitions for Penalty Abatement on Unitary/Nonunitary Value
    - e. Foresthill Telephone Co. (0235), SAU22-002 'CF'
    - f. Kerman Telephone Co. (0246), SAU22-003 'CF'
    - g. Blythe Energy, Inc (1136), SAU22-008 'CF'
    - h. Purple Communications Inc (7999), SAU22-013 'CF'
- 3. Legal Appeals Property Tax Matters (None Scheduled)
- E. Tax Program Nonappearance Matters Adjudicatory (None Scheduled)
- F. Other Tax Program Nonappearance Matters (None Scheduled)

## **Chief Counsel Matters**

Items that appear under these matters provide information to the Members and may require Board action or direction.

- G. Rulemaking (None Scheduled)
- H. Property and Special Taxes (None Scheduled)
- - 1. Board Governance Review

Review of the provisions of the Board Governance policy.

# Administrative Session

Items that appear under these matters provide information to the Members and may require Board action or direction.

- - 1. Adoption of Board Meeting Minutes
    - September 27-28, 2022 +
  - 2. Retirement Resolutions
    - Patricia Lumsden +

# K. Other Administrative Matters

1.	Executive Director's Report		Ms. Stowers	
	a.	Organizational Update		
		Report on the status of pending and upcoming organizational issues.		
	b.	Operational Priorities	. Ms. Renati	
		Report on the status of operational priorities.		
	C.	Proposition 19 Implementation Project +	. Ms. Renati	
		Report on the status of the agency's Proposition 19 Implementation Project.		
	d.	Budget Quarterly Report	. Ms. Renati	
		Report on the status of BOE Budget.		

	e.	Special Taxes Quarterly Report	. Ms. L. Williams
		General discussion on the Special Taxes workload ove the last three months.	r
2.	Ot	her Administrative Matters	
	a.	Communications Chief's Quarterly Report +	Mr. Kim
		Report on the status of BOE communications.	
3.	Ta	expayers' Rights Advocate Office's Report	Ms. Thompson
	a.	Operational Update+	
		Update on activities of the Taxpayers' Rights Advocate Office, including Proposition 19 education and outreach and other matters.	
4.	Cł	nief Counsel Report	Mr. Nanjo
	a.	Legal Workload Quarterly Report	
		General discussion on the Legal Department's workload over the last three months.	d
5.	Pr	operty Tax Deputy Director's Report	Mr. Yeung
	a.	Operational Updates	
		Report on the status of pending and upcoming projects activities, and departmental issues, including Proposition 19 Implementation Actions and Guidance, Letters to Assessors +, Appraisal Training and Certification, and State Assessed Property.	,
6.	Le	gislative, Research & Statistics Division Chief's Report	Mr. Weatherby

a. Legislative Issues +

Update on administrative and program related legislative bills impacting the BOE.

## L. Board Member Requested Matters

Items that appear under these matters provide information to the Members and may require Board action or direction.

- 1. New Matters (None Scheduled)
- 2. Board Member Initiatives

This matter is scheduled for Wednesday, October 19, 2022

3. Board Work Group Reports

This matter is scheduled for Wednesday, October 19, 2022

# M. Public Policy Hearings

Items that appear under these matters provide information to the Members and may require Board action or direction.

1. Proposition 19 Implementation

There are no planned staff reports or external speakers for this item. Persons who wish to address the Board may do so under this item on the agenda.

2. Impact of Public Calamities on Property Tax Administration: County Boards of Equalization/Assessment Appeals Boards (AAB) Remote Hearings

There are no planned staff reports or external speakers for this item. Persons who wish to address the Board may do so under this item on the agenda.

# N. Public Comment on Matters Not on the Agenda

Persons who wish to address the Board of Equalization regarding items not on the agenda may do so under this item on the agenda. Please note that the Board cannot take action on items not on the agenda. However, the Board can schedule issues raised by the public for consideration at future meetings.

O. Closed Session (None Scheduled)

**Recess** - The meeting will reconvene on Wednesday, October 19, at 9:00 a.m.

- + Material is available for this item.
- ++ Material will be available at a later date.
- 'CF' Constitutional Function The Deputy State Controller may not participate in this matter under Government Code, section 7.9.

## STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING 450 N Street, Auditorium, Sacramento Wednesday, October 19, 2022

# AGENDA

## 9:00 a.m. Board Meeting Reconvenes

### L. Board Member Requested Matters

- 2. Board Member Initiatives
  - a. Board Member Strategic Plan Updates+ ...... Ms. Cohen/ Mr. Vazquez Quarterly reports on priorities, actions, and progress related to the goals of the Board Member Strategic Plan.
- 3. Board Work Group Reports
  - a. Property Tax Abatement......Ms. Cohen /Mr. Vazquez

Report out on the Property Tax Abatement Work Group.

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- I. Greetings and Introductory Remarks by each Board Member and Executive Director
- II. Overview of the Board of Equalization's and California Assessors' Association (CAA) Accomplishments and Priorities
  - Speakers: Hon. Malia M. Cohen, Chair, State Board of Equalization
    - Hon. Leslie Morgan, President, CAA; and Shasta County Assessor-Recorder
    - Hon. Kristine Lee, President-Elect, CAA; and King's County Assessor/Clerk/Recorder

- III. Group Photo of Board Members and Assessors
- IV. Roundtable Discussions:

The Board and County Assessors will engage in a dialogue about solutions to these lingering issues in CA property tax administration.

i. Post Proposition 19 Issues and Challenges

#### ii. Possessory Interest

iii. Other Emerging Issues

Speakers: Hon. Leslie Morgan, President, CAA; and Shasta County Assessor-Recorder

Hon. Kristine Lee, President-Elect, CAA; and King's County Assessor/Clerk/Recorder

Phong La, Alameda County Assessor

John Tuteuter, Napa County Assessor

Robert Menvielle, Imperial County Assessor

- David Yeung, Deputy Director, Property Tax Department, BOE
- V. Acknowledgements and Recognition
- VI. Closing Remarks and Adjournment
  - Speakers: Hon. Malia M. Cohen, Chair, State Board of Equalization Hon. Leslie Morgan, President, CAA; and Shasta County Assessor-Recorder

Yvette M. Stowers, Executive Director

# Adjourn

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## BOARD MEETING AGENDA CHANGES

The following will list each change to the agenda, if any, including the date of change, item number, item name and description of change.

10/11/22 | J1 | Adoption of Board Meeting Minutes - September 27-28, 2022 | Material Added

10/18/22 | AA | Roundtable Discussions - Possessory Interest | Removed

10/18/22 | AA | Roundtable Discussions | Speakers Updated

10/19/22 | L2a | Board Member Strategic Plan Updates | Material Added