

**SLEEPY HOLLOW FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING**

Date: March 12, 2026

Time: 5:00 pm

Physical Meeting Location

Sleepy Hollow Community Center
1317 Butterfield Road
San Anselmo, California

Virtual Meeting Location

Meeting ID: 837 9021 5886
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AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order/Roll Call.** The Meeting will be open to the public except with respect to those matters which the Board determines may fall under certain exception(s) under the Ralph M. Brown Act [California Government Code Sections 54950 *et seq.*].

- 2. Open Time for Public Expression.** This portion of the Meeting is reserved for persons desiring to address the Board on any matter not listed on this Agenda that are within the jurisdiction of the Board. Please be advised that pursuant to California Government Code Section 54954.2, the Board is not permitted to discuss or take action on any matter not on the Agenda. Comments may be no longer than three (3) minutes unless authorized by the Chair and should be respectful to the community. Please silence your cell phones during the meeting and mute your microphone when not reporting out. Board members and staff are not able to engage in dialogue, answer questions, or act on any of the items brought forward during Open Time for Public Expression. At the Board's discretion, matters brought forth may be placed on the Board's agenda for consideration at a future meeting.

CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS

3. **Approve Prior Meeting Minutes.**

- July 24, 2025 Special Meeting
- October 29, 2025 Special Meeting
- November 20, 2025 Special Meeting

Please see the draft Minutes at www.shfpd.org.

4. **FY2024-25 Audit Report.** Receive and acknowledge the findings and opinion of auditor Chavan & Associates CPAs re: District's financial statements or internal controls for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2025.

Please see the Audit Report at www.shfpd.org.

5. **Investment Management Sub-Committee.** Acceptance of the creation of an Ad Hoc subcommittee for the purpose of reviewing/overseeing presentations from local banks who are interested in providing Investment Management services to the District. The subcommittee will consist of Director Finn and the SHFPD Finance Director.

6. **Station 20 Equipment Purchases.** Authorize a financial contribution towards equipment purchases and installation at Ross Valley Fire Station 20 including Tool Washer, PPE Washer, Hose Dryer, and ancillary equipment, parts, and supplies in an amount not-to-exceed (NTE) \$75,000.

7. **Website Evaluation Services.** Authorize the engagement of Lucy Ray to evaluate adequacy and compliance of District website and provide recommendations.

ACTION OR POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS

8. **Financial and Operations Reports**, including Treasurer's FYE2025-26 oral update.

9. **Resolution confirming continuation of existing Ross Valley Paramedic Authority (RVPA) parcel tax of \$103.50 per taxable living unit or per 1,500 square feet of structure developed parcel in non-residential use for Ross Valley Paramedic Authority services during Fiscal Year 2025-26.** Please see draft Resolution at www.shfpd.org.

STAFF REPORTS

10. **Receive oral report on FireSmart Public Demonstration Garden matters.**

11. **Receive oral report on Contribution Agreement with Town of San Anselmo for Station 20 renovation including possible District supplemental contribution.**

12. **Receive oral reports on District *Firewise® Community* and Infrastructure/Hazard Mitigation Initiatives**, including:

- (i) **Direct Assistance Program;**
- (ii) **Block Captains Program;**

- (iii) **Home Evaluations Program;** and
- (iv) **Community Emergency Response Team.**

13. Receive oral reports and discussion of (i) RVFD matters; (ii) RVPA matters; (iii) FIRESafe Marin matters; and (iv) Marin Wildfire Prevention Authority matters.

14. Board requests for future agenda items, questions and comments to staff, and Directors’ announcements, if any

15. Adjournment to next Regular Meeting: May 21, 2026 (anticipated)

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Notice is hereby given that the Board may discuss and/or take action on any or all of the items listed on this Agenda. If any of these matters above are challenged in Court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at any public hearing described on this Agenda, or in written correspondence delivered to the District at, or prior to, this Board meeting. Judicial review of an administrative decision of the Board must be filed with the Court not later than the 90th day following the date of the Board meeting decision (California Code of Civil Procedure Section 1094.6).

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Affidavit of Posting

I hereby certify that I posted the above Notice of Regular Meeting of Board of Directors of the Sleepy Hollow Fire Protection District in a conspicuous place freely accessible to the public at the following location(s) on March 9, 2026:

Sleepy Hollow Community Center
1317 Butterfield Road
San Anselmo

“Sleepy Hollow” Entrance Sign
opposite 644 Butterfield Road
San Anselmo

Intersection of The Alameda
and Oak Crest Road
adjacent to 230 The Alameda
San Anselmo

Thomas J. Finn
Director/Secretary