

**Golden State Connect Authority (GSCA)
Board of Directors Meeting
Wednesday, December 7, 2022 - 9:00 a.m.
1215 K Street, Suite 1650
Sacramento, CA 95814**

FULL PACKET

In accordance with Government Code section 54953, subdivision (e) (Assembly Bill 361), the December 7, 2022 GSCA Board of Directors Meeting will be facilitated virtually through Zoom with limited in-person attendance. Members of the public may attend the meeting in-person, provided that the GSCA Board of Directors reserve the right to limit the number of people in attendance. Members of the public can also watch or listen to the meeting using one of the following methods:

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AGENDA

1. Call to Order & Determination of Quorum

Chair, Supervisor Jack Garamendi, Calaveras County

Vice Chair, Supervisor David Griffith, Alpine County

2. Public Comments

At this time any member of the public may address the Board. Speakers are asked to state their name for the record but are not required to do so. Comments are usually limited to no more than 3 minutes per speaker.

3. GSCA Chair's Report

4. Consent Agenda – ACTION

- a. [September 16, 2022 Board Meeting Minutes](#)

b. GSCA Resolution TC010-22: Authorizing Remote and Hybrid Teleconference Meetings of the GSCA Board of Directors Pursuant to Assembly Bill 361 **Page 3**

Arthur J. Wylene, RCRC General Counsel

- [MEMO](#)
 - [Proposed GSCA Resolution TC010-22](#)

c. Proposed Loan to Golden State Connect Authority to Support Local Agency Technical Assistance Grant Activities **Page 7**

Patrick Blacklock, Executive Director

- [MEMO](#)
 - [Proposed loan agreement \(“Memorandum Of Understanding between Golden State Finance Authority and Golden State Connect Authority Regarding an Advancement of Funds for Public Purposes”\)](#)

5. Legislative and Regulatory Advocacy Update **Page 13**

Tracy Rhine, RCRC Senior Policy Advocate

- [MEMO](#)
 - [RCRC Opening Comments on LLR Staff Proposal \(October 14, 2022\)](#)
 - [RCRC Reply Comments \(October 24, 2022\)](#)

6. Administrative Matters

a. GSCA 2023 Proposed Budget – ACTION **Page 71**

Milena De Melo, RCRC Finance Director

- [MEMO](#)
 - [Golden State Connect Authority \(GSCA\) 2023 Operating Budget \(Attachment A\)](#)

7. Program Updates

Barbara Hayes, RCRC Chief Economic Development Officer

Craig Ferguson, RCRC Senior Vice President

a. Broadband Program Update **Page 75**

- [MEMO](#)

8. Adjournment

Agenda items will be taken as close as possible to the schedule indicated. Any member of the general public may comment on agenda items at the time of discussion. In order to facilitate public comment, please let staff know if you would like to speak on a specific agenda item. The agenda for this regular meeting of the GSCA Board of Directors was duly posted at its offices, 1215 K Street, Suite 1650, Sacramento, California, 72 hours prior to the meeting.

Any written materials related to an open session item on this agenda that are submitted to the GSCA Board of Directors than 72 hours prior to the meeting, and that are not exempt from disclosure under the Public Records Act, will promptly be made available for public inspection at GSCA's principal office, 1215 K Street, Suite 1650, Sacramento, CA 95814, (916) 447-4806, during normal business hours, and on the GSCA website, <https://www.goldenstateconnect.org>