

PAJARO VALLEY HEALTH CARE DISTRICT HOSPITAL CORPORATION

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Virtual/Teleconference Only

(Immediately following the Pajaro Valley
Health Care District Board Meeting)

5:00 p.m.

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August 18, 2022

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Public Participation Guidelines**

PUBLIC COMMENT

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- *6 - Toggle mute/unmute
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PVHCD Hospital Board of Directors
c/o Clerk of the Board
701 Ocean Street, Room 520
Santa Cruz, CA 95060

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INTRODUCTORY ITEMS

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. CONSIDERATION OF LATE ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

Any person may address the Board during its Public Comment period. Speakers must not exceed two (2) minutes in length, or the time limit established by the Chair, and individuals may speak only once during Public Comment. All Public Comments must be directed to an item listed on today's Consent Agenda, Closed Session Agenda, yet to be heard on Regular Agenda, or a topic not on the agenda that is within the jurisdiction of the Board. Board members will not take actions or respond immediately to any public communication presented regarding topics not on the agenda but may choose to follow up later, either individually, or on a subsequent Board of Director's Agenda. Public Comments will normally be received by the Board for a period not to exceed thirty (30) minutes. If, at the end of this period, additional persons wish to address the Board, the Public Comment period may be continued to the last item on the agenda.

4. ACTION ON THE CONSENT AGENDA (ITEMS 11-13)

REGULAR AGENDA

5. APPROVE THE WATSONVILLE COMMUNITY HOSPITAL CEO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT WITH MR. STEVEN SALYER AND TAKE RELATED ACTIONS (ACTION ITEM)

Recommended Action(s):

- a) Approve the Employment Agreement to appoint Steven Salyer as the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Pajaro Valley Health Care District Hospital Corporation (Hospital) dba Watsonville Community Hospital; and
- b) Authorize the Chair to execute the agreement; and
- c) Adopt a resolution approving findings confirming the reasonableness of Mr. Salyer's proposed compensation package.

6. **EXECUTORY CONTRACTS (ACTION ITEM)**

Recommended Action(s):

- a) Authorize staff to accept contract previously in place with MedHost, including payment of outstanding cure in the amount of \$209,000; and;
- b) Authorize staff to accept existing contract with ADP, who has agreed to waive the cure for this contract; and
- c) Receive update on discussions with Heroic.

7. **TRANSITION UPDATE (EDUCATIONAL ONLY)**

Recommended Action(s):

Consider presentation on the transition of the Watsonville Hospital Corporation to new ownership.

8. **FUNDRAISING PRESENTATION (EDUCATIONAL ONLY)**

Recommended Action(s):

Presentation on the status of fundraising for the acquisition and operation of Watsonville Community Hospital.

9. **BOARD MEMBER AND STAFF ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REQUESTS TO PLACE ITEMS ON A FUTURE AGENDA**

CLOSED SESSION

10. **SCHEDULE A CLOSED PERSONNEL AND LITIGATION SESSION TO BE HELD AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE BOARD'S CONSENT OR REGULAR AGENDA, OR AT ANY OTHER TIME DURING THE COURSE OF THE MEETING ANNOUNCED BY THE CHAIRPERSON OF THE BOARD.**

- A. CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR (Government Code Section 54957.6)
Agency Negotiator: Monica Morales
Employees: California Nurses Association

Report of PVHCDHC Counsel will be given at the conclusion of the Closed Session on any reportable actions(s) taken in the Closed Session.

CONSENT AGENDA

11. Approval of Minutes

- a) Board of Directors – Regular Meeting – August 4, 2022 - 5:00 p.m.
- b) Board of Directors – Special Meeting – August 11, 2022 – 4:00 p.m.

12. AB 361 Resolution Authorizing Teleconference Meetings

Recommended Action(s):

- a) Adopt resolution making findings and ordering the use of teleconference meetings of the Board of Directors due to COVID-19, pursuant to the requirements of Assembly Bill 361: and
- b) Direct Interim Administrative Staff to return within 30 days with a new resolution addressing the need to continue holding teleconference meetings consistent with the requirements of Assembly Bill 361.

13. Ratify authorization for the Pajaro Valley Health Care District Hospital Corporation (PVHCDHC) Treasurer to sign debit/credit instructions between US Bank and Meritain Health for employee health benefits.

Recommended Action(s):

Ratify authorization for the Pajaro Valley Health Care District Hospital Corporation (“PVHCDHC”), dba Watsonville Community Hospital, Treasurer Marcus Pimentel to sign debit and credit banking instructions between US Bank and Meritain Health to permit the transfer of employee benefit insurances from the Seller to the PVHCDHC, as of September 1, 2022.

- End of Consent Agenda -