## PANOCHE WATER DISTRICT



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March 22, 2023

Subject: 2023-24 Land-Based Rate Proposal and Proposition 218 Growers' Workshop

Dear Growers,

This letter is a reminder that the District will be hosting a virtual workshop next Tuesday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, at 9:00 a.m., during a special meeting of the Board of Directors, to review the new land-based rate proposal and the Proposition 218 process currently underway, and respond to any questions landowners or water users may have. To access the workshop, click on the link AND dial the teleconference line number below:

Please join my meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone.

https://meet.goto.com/317900605

### **AND PLEASE DIAL**

Join the conference call:

Dial In: (866) 705-2554 Passcode: 148 890

Get the app now and be ready when your first meeting starts:

https://meet.goto.com/install

Attached with this letter is the District's Official Protest Form with voting instructions and requirements. The deadline to submit the form is prior to the end of the Protest Hearing scheduled for 9:30 a.m. on April 18, 2023. Please contact Ethics & Compliance Officer Lorena Chagoya at <a href="mailto:lchagoya@panochewd.org">lchagoya@panochewd.org</a> if you should have any questions.

Respectfully,

Ara Azhderian

Board of Directors: Aaron Barcellos, *President* 

Beau Correia, Vice-President

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# PANOCHE WATER DISTRICT PROPOSED 2023-2024 WATER RATES AND LAND-BASED CHARGES OFFICIAL PROTEST FORM

By signing below, I OPPOSE the Panoche Water District's Proposed 2023-2024 Water Rates and Land-

Based Charges.

Date: Signature:

Check ALL that apply below. Please write/print legibly.

I am the Landowner or the Landowner's legal representative of the following APN(s) or Address.

Name:

APN or Address:

Provide the Name and Address as it appears (not a post office box). Continue APNs on the back, if necessary.

I am a Water User with an Application for Water with the District.

#### **Instructions and Requirements**

- This Form can be downloaded from: <a href="https://panochewd.specialdistrict.org/">https://panochewd.specialdistrict.org/</a>
- ➤ Landowners or Water Users within the Panoche Water District may file a written protest against the Proposed 2023-2024 Water Rates and Charges prior to or during the Protest Hearing scheduled on April 18, 2023, at 9:30 a.m..
- > Written protests must be filed no later than the close of the Protest Hearing to be considered.
- This form must be completely filled out, dated, and received during the Official Protest Period, which begins on March 18, 2023 and ends on April 18, 2023, at the close of the Protest Hearing.
- > This form must either be received in the Panoche Water District office by mail or delivered in person prior to the close of the Protest Hearing.
- ➤ The Panoche Water District mailing address is 52027 West Althea Ave, Firebaugh, CA 93622.
- Written protests cannot be accepted by fax or email.
- > Written protests that have been filed may also be withdrawn prior to the close of the Protest Hearing.

Board of Directors: Aaron Barcellos, *President* Beau Correia, *Vice-President* Steve Fausone, *Secretary* 

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