## NOTICE OF MEETING PLANNING AND PUBLIC POLICY COMMITTEE OF THE LOWER COLORADO RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

In accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, the Lower Colorado River Authority (LCRA) hereby gives notice of a meeting of the Planning and Public Policy Committee (Committee) of its Board of Directors to be held in the Board Room of LCRA's Hancock Building at 3700 Lake Austin Boulevard, Austin, Travis County, Texas, at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, August 20, 2024.

Pursuant to Section 551.127, Texas Government Code, one or more Committee members may attend and participate in the meeting via videoconference. The presiding officer of the Committee will be physically present and will preside over the meeting at the location specified above. Pursuant to Section 551.125, Texas Government Code, one or more LCRA staff members may attend and participate in the meeting via telephone conference call.

Subjects to be considered for discussion and/or action at this meeting include:

#### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

1. This part of the meeting is intended for comments from the public on topics within the scope of the Committee but not related to an item on the Committee agenda. The Committee cannot provide responses during public comments. In order to address the Committee, a member of the public is required to sign and complete the registration form at the entrance to the meeting room. NOTE: Any member of the public wishing to comment on a specific item listed on this agenda will be called to make comments at the appropriate time.

#### **ACTION ITEM**

2. Minutes of previous meeting

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The Committee may meet in Executive Session on any item listed above, pursuant to Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, including, but not limited to, sections 551.071, 551.072, 551.074, 551.076, 551.086, 551.089, and 418.183(f) of the Texas Government Code.

The Committee may also meet in Executive Session on the following matters pursuant to, as applicable, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, including, but not limited to, sections 551.071, 551.072, 551.074, 551.076, 551.089, and 418.183(f) of the Texas Government Code:

- 1. General Manager fiscal year 2024 performance evaluation, fiscal year 2025 goals and compensation
- 2. General Auditor fiscal year 2024 performance evaluation, fiscal year 2025 goals and compensation

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# NOTICE OF MEETING WATER OPERATIONS COMMITTEE OF THE LOWER COLORADO RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

In accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, the Lower Colorado River Authority (LCRA) hereby gives notice of a meeting of the Water Operations Committee (Committee) of its Board of Directors to be held in the Board Room of LCRA's Hancock Building at 3700 Lake Austin Boulevard, Austin, Travis County, Texas, at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, August 20, 2024.

Pursuant to Section 551.127, Texas Government Code, one or more Committee members may attend and participate in the meeting via videoconference. The presiding officer of the Committee will be physically present and will preside over the meeting at the location specified above. Pursuant to Section 551.125, Texas Government Code, one or more LCRA staff members may attend and participate in the meeting via telephone conference call.

Subjects to be considered for discussion and/or action at this meeting include:

## **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

1. This part of the meeting is intended for comments from the public on topics within the scope of the Committee but not related to an item on the Committee agenda. The Committee cannot provide responses during public comments. In order to address the Committee, a member of the public is required to sign and complete the registration form at the entrance to the meeting room. NOTE: Any member of the public wishing to comment on a specific item listed on this agenda will be called to make comments at the appropriate time.

#### **ACTION ITEM**

2. Minutes of previous meeting

#### **DISCUSSION ITEM**

- 3. River basin, water supply, and water supply conditions update
- 4. Presentation of a study regarding reservoir evaporation

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The Committee may meet in Executive Session on any item listed above, pursuant to Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, including, but not limited to, sections 551.071, 551.072, 551.074, 551.076, 551.089, and 418.183(f) of the Texas Government Code.

The Committee may also meet in Executive Session on the following matters pursuant to, as applicable, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, including, but not limited to sections 551.071, 551.072, 551.074, 551.076, 551.086, 551.089, and 418.183(f) of the Texas Government Code:

1. Legal advice on legal matters

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## NOTICE OF MEETING ENERGY OPERATIONS COMMITTEE OF THE LOWER COLORADO RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

In accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, the Lower Colorado River Authority (LCRA) hereby gives notice of a meeting of the Energy Operations Committee (Committee) of its Board of Directors to be held in the Board Room of LCRA's Hancock Building at 3700 Lake Austin Boulevard, Austin, Travis County, Texas, at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, August 20, 2024.

Pursuant to Section 551.127, Texas Government Code, one or more Committee members may attend and participate in the meeting via videoconference. The presiding officer of the Committee will be physically present and will preside over the meeting at the location specified above. Pursuant to Section 551.125, Texas Government Code, one or more LCRA staff members may attend and participate in the meeting via telephone conference call.

Subjects to be considered for discussion and/or action at this meeting include:

#### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

1. This part of the meeting is intended for comments from the public on topics within the scope of the Committee but not related to an item on the Committee agenda. The Committee cannot provide responses during public comments. In order to address the Committee, a member of the public is required to sign and complete the registration form at the entrance to the meeting room. NOTE: Any member of the public wishing to comment on a specific item listed on this agenda will be called to make comments at the appropriate time.

#### **ACTION ITEM**

2. Minutes of previous meeting

#### **CUSTOMER COMMENTS**

 The Committee may hear and discuss comments from representatives of wholesale electric customers, including potential discussion of issues such as generation resources, costs, revenues, rates, contracts, and communications.

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The Committee may meet in Executive Session as authorized by, as applicable, sections 551.071 and 551.086, Texas Government Code, to receive advice from legal counsel and discuss the following competitive electric matters: power plant facilities and system operations; fuel and energy issues, including market prices, customers and customer load, fuel transportation and commodity risk control activities; rates and rate design; resource planning, resource options and agreements; asset evaluation; and litigation.

The Committee also may meet in Executive Session on any item listed above, pursuant to Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, including, but not limited to, sections 551.071, 551.072, 551.074, 551.076, 551.086, 551.089, and 418.183(f) of the Texas Government Code.

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### NOTICE OF MEETING LCRA TRANSMISSION SERVICES CORPORATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS

In accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, LCRA Transmission Services Corporation (LCRA TSC) hereby gives notice of a meeting of its Board of Directors (Board) to be held in the Board Room of LCRA's Hancock Building at 3700 Lake Austin Boulevard, Austin, Travis County, Texas, at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, August 21, 2024.

Pursuant to Section 551.127, Texas Government Code, one or more Board members may attend and participate in the meeting via videoconference. The presiding officer of the Board will be physically present and will preside over the meeting at the location specified above. Pursuant to Section 551.125, Texas Government Code, one or more LCRA staff members may attend and participate in the meeting via telephone conference call.

The Board may discuss and/or take action on any items listed on the following agenda for this meeting:

#### ITEMS FROM THE CHAIR

Attendance and announcements

1. Public Comments. This part of the meeting is intended for comments from the public on topics under LCRA TSC's jurisdiction but not related to an item on the Board agenda. The Board cannot provide responses or take action during public comments. In order to address the Board, a member of the public is required to sign and complete the registration form at the entrance to the meeting room. NOTE: Any member of the public wishing to comment on a specific item listed on this agenda will be called to make comments at the appropriate time.

#### ITEM FROM THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

2. Financial report

#### **CONSENT ITEMS**

- Conveyance of an overhead easement to Oncor Electric Delivery Company, LLC across a portion of LCRA TSC's Elgin Switch Substation in Williamson County
- 4. Conveyance of an underground easement across a portion of LCRA TSC's Bastrop West Substation to the City of Bastrop in Bastrop County
- 5. Minutes of prior meeting

#### **ACTION ITEMS**

- 6. Capital Improvement Project Authorization Request and associated budgets for the following projects: Battery Systems – FY 2024 Substation Upgrade; Circuit Switcher – FY 2023 Substation Upgrade; Concho County Transmission Line Restoration; Elgin Switch Substation Upgrade; Grounding – FY 2024 Substation Upgrade; Magnolia to Magnolia Tap Fiber Addition; McCarty Lane to Zorn Transmission Line Storm Hardening; Chief Brady to Georgetown Transmission Line Upgrade; Hornsby Power Transformer Addition; San Marcos to Strahan Transmission Line Upgrade; and Columbus Area Phase 2 Transmission Line Relocation
- 7. Acquisition of interests in real property and use of the power of eminent domain in Gillespie County for the Broadband Easement Enhancement project to provide, on behalf of LCRA and at LCRA's expense, for communications and to facilitate broadband services on the Peach to Headwaters (T288) transmission line

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The Board may meet in Executive Session on any item listed above, pursuant to Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, including, but not limited to, sections 551.071, 551.072, 551.074, 551.076, 551.086, 551.089, and 418.183(f) of the Texas Government Code.

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The Board may also meet in Executive Session on the following matters pursuant to, as applicable, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, including, but not limited to sections 551.071, 551.072, 551.074, 551.076, 551.086, 551.089, and 418.183(f) of the Texas Government Code:

- Legal advice regarding LCRA TSC transmission cost of service rate case at the Public Utility Commission of Texas
- 2. Pending and anticipated litigation, claims and settlements
- 3. Legal advice on legal matters

The Board may take final action on any of the before mentioned matters while convened in open session pursuant to Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

LCRA TSC is committed to compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. Reasonable accommodations and equal opportunity for effective communications will be provided upon request. More information on the above listed matters is available by calling 512-578-3530.

Leigh Sebastian, Secretary

LCRA Transmission Services Corporation

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### NOTICE OF MEETING LOWER COLORADO RIVER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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The Board may discuss and/or take action on any items listed on the following agenda for this meeting:

#### ITEMS FROM THE CHAIR

Attendance and announcements

1. Public Comments. This part of the meeting is intended for comments from the public on topics under LCRA's jurisdiction but not related to an item on the Board agenda. The Board cannot provide responses or take action during public comments. In order to address the Board, a member of the public is required to sign and complete the registration form at the entrance to the meeting room. NOTE: Any member of the public wishing to comment on a specific item listed on this agenda will be called to make comments at the appropriate time.

#### ITEMS FROM THE GENERAL MANAGER

The general manager may report on, and the Board may discuss, current issues relating to LCRA operations; a safety update; resiliency – hurricanes, Wholesale Power and Transmission weatherization, preparedness and cybersecurity; the July rains, flood event and combined storage levels for lakes Buchanan and Travis.

2. Honorary resolutions for consideration and action

#### ITEM FROM THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

3. Financial report

#### **CONSENT ITEMS**

- 4. Proposed LCRA Board and committee meeting dates for calendar year 2025
- Conveyance of water line easements and workspace easements over LCRA Parcel CR-08 to Aqua Water Supply Corporation in Bastrop County
- Auditing Services fiscal year 2025 resource and audit plan
- 7. LCRA Board Policy 303 Banking and Investments, including amendments
- 8. Directors' fees and expenses reimbursement
- 9. Minutes of prior meeting

#### **ACTION ITEM**

10. Negotiation and execution of the following contracts and contract changes: Contracts for engineering services for telecom design and private long-term evolution network radio transport (Burns & McDonnell Engineering Company Inc, SGV International LLC, and Black & Veatch Corporation); contracts for engineering services for dam safety, dam design and Water Resources (Freese and Nichols, and HDR, Inc.); contracts for engineering services for nondestructive engineering, metallurgical analysis and critical piping (Structural Integrity, and Mistras Group, Inc.); contract for the Buchanan Dam Arch Spalling Repairs project (United Restoration); contract for medical insurance third-party administration and pharmacy benefits services (United Healthcare Insurance Company); contract for construction services for the relief project at

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Arbuckle Reservoir (Cajun Industries, LLC); contract for external transmission line construction services used by LCRA Transmission Services Corporation (Irby Construction Company); and contract for control switches and lockout relays for LCRA TSC (Electroswitch)

#### **BOARD LUNCH**

The Board will have lunch with Chief W. Nim Kidd of the Texas Division of Emergency Management. The lunch will be held in the Board Conference Room of LCRA's Hancock Building. The Board may hear and discuss comments from Chief Kidd on issues facing the lower Colorado River basin and the LCRA service area. The Board will take no action on any LCRA business during the lunch.

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The Board may meet in Executive Session on any item listed above, pursuant to Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, including, but not limited to, sections 551.071, 551.072, 551.074, 551.076, 551.086, 551.089, and 418.183(f) of the Texas Government Code.

The Board may also meet in Executive Session on the following matters pursuant to, as applicable, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, including, but not limited to sections 551.071, 551.072, 551.074, 551.076, 551.086, 551.089, and 418.183(f) of the Texas Government Code:

- 1. Procurement contracts for power plants
- 2. Pending and anticipated litigation, claims and settlements
- 3. Legal advice on legal matters
- 4. General Manager fiscal year 2024 performance evaluation, fiscal year 2025 goals and compensation
- 5. General Auditor fiscal year 2024 performance evaluation, fiscal year 2025 goals and compensation

The Board may take final action on any of the before mentioned matters while convened in open session pursuant to Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code; it also may take action in Executive Session on competitive electric matters pursuant to Section 551.086.

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