

NOTICE BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE MONTE RIO FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT OF A PUBLIC HEARING ON APRIL 20, 2020, FOR CONSIDERATION AND DETERMINATION OF THE SPECIAL TAX TO BE LEVIED ON EACH PARCEL OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE DISTRICT DURING FISCAL YEAR 2020/21 PURSUANT TO VOTER-APPROVED MEASURE U, DISTRICT ORDINANCE 18/19-01; AND CONSIDERATION AND DETERMINATION OF AN AMENDMENT OF THE TAX LEVY FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019/2020 TO EXCLUDE LOW VALUE PARCELS.

WHEREAS, in the election on November 6, 2018, the voters of the Monte Rio Fire Protection District (District) approved Measure U, District Ordinance No. 18/19-01, to levy a special tax on each parcel in the District to meet the current and future costs of continuing to provide authorized fire and emergency services in the District; and

WHEREAS, Section VI of District Ordinance No. 18/19-01 requires that each year the Board of Directors of the District request a report from the Sonoma County Auditor/Controller/Treasurer/Tax Collector and hold a public hearing thereon to consider and determine the rate of special tax to be levied on each parcel of real property in the District during Fiscal Year 2020/2021; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the District will consider and determine an amendment of the special tax levied on each parcel of real property in the District during Fiscal Year 2019/2020 to exclude low value parcels; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Executive Order N-29-20 issued March 19, 2020, and Sonoma County Health Officer's Order C19-03, issued March 17, 2020, this meeting shall be conducted virtually – with the teleconference information for public participation to be published with the meeting agenda at least 72 hours prior to the meeting; and

NOW, THEREFORE, PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Board of Directors of the Monte Rio Fire Protection will conduct said public hearing virtually on April 20, 2020, at 6:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Clerk of the Board of Directors shall keep on file, and open to public inspection on the District website, <http://www.monteriofire.org/index.html>, and at the Monte Rio Parks and Recreation District, 20488 Highway 116, Monte Rio, California 95462, a copy of the supporting documents to be considered for this public hearing.

DAN FEIN, President, Monte Rio Fire Protection District Board of Directors

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