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**AGENDA for Meeting via ZOOM**

**10 a.m., Thursday, May 11, 2023**

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Correction and/or Approval of Minutes from April 13, 2023, regular monthly meeting
5. Call to Public A. R. S. §38-431-01(H):  AT THIS TIME, ANY MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC IS ALLOWED TO ADDRESS THE TOWN COMMITTEE, SUBJECT TO REASONABLE TIME AND MANNER RESTRICTIONS.  THE PUBLIC WILL ONLY BE RECOGNIZED TO SPEAK ON AGENDA ITEMS LISTED FOR PUBLIC INPUT PURSUANT TO TOWN CODE SECTION 2-5-6.  PURSUANT TO THE ARIZONA OPEN MEETING LAW, AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE CALL TO THE PUBLIC, INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL MAY RESPOND TO CRITICISM MADE BY THOSE WHO HAVE ADDRESSED THE COUNCIL, MAY ASK STAFF TO REVIEW THE MATTER, OR MAY ASK THE MATTER BE PLACED ON A FUTURE AGENDA.  HOWEVER, MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC BODY SHALL NOT DISCUSS OR TAKE LEGAL ACTION ON MATTERS RAISED DURING AN OPEN CALL TO THE PUBLIC UNLESS THE MATTERS ARE PROPERLY NOTICED FOR DISCUSSION AND LEGAL ACTION

**OLD BUSINESS**

1. Update on the Patagonia Regional Flood Control Project Feasibility Study. (Bill O’Brien)
2. Update on the process for the flood control permit for South32 relative to the Cross Creek Connector road. (Carolyn Shafer and Bob Proctor)
3. Update on the University of Arizona Water Resources Research Center on the Town of Patagonia’s “Drought Response Planning for Water Resilient Communities.” (Howard Buchanan and Bob Proctor)
4. Update on working with the Coronado Forest Service to begin drafting Watershed Restoration Action Plans (Carolyn Shafer, Bob Proctor, Howard Buchanan).
5. Discuss status of Parking Lot items:
	1. Comprehensive Groundwater Study. (Look at South32’s groundwater management video)
	2. Town of Patagonia Municipal Watershed Plan.
	3. Watershed Stakeholders Group.
	4. Community Database of Water Studies.

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**NEW BUSINESS**

1. School Canyon Failure of CCC Structures (See attached report from Bob Proctor & emails)
2. Next Regular Monthly Meeting: June 8, 2023, at 10 a.m.

1. Future Agenda Items
2. Adjourn

PARKING LOT: TBD

RADAR SCREEN

 Hudbay property ownership