

# BOLINAS COMMUNITY PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT



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## MEMORANDUM

TO:	Board of BCPUD Directors
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FROM:	Georgia Woods, General Manager
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RE:	<i>Item #21: Coordinated Multi-Agency Bond Effort Discussion</i>
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DATE:	May 20, 2026
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### **Purpose**

To receive a presentation from Trustee Arianne Dar Bolinas-Stinson Union School District (BSUSD) and discuss a potential coordinated, multi-agency approach to addressing Bolinas' public service and infrastructure funding needs.

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### **Background**

Trustee Dar is bringing forward an effort to explore how local public agencies might better coordinate to address the community's many and overlapping infrastructure and service needs.

Multiple agencies serving Bolinas—including BCPUD, BSUSD, the Bolinas Park and Recreation District, and potentially the Bolinas Fire Protection District—are facing capital improvement needs that may include facilities upgrades, deferred maintenance, and long-term resilience investments, as well as need to augment and expand public services, programming, and community-serving facilities.

Rather than pursuing separate funding efforts, Trustee Dar is encouraging agencies to consider whether a more coordinated strategy—potentially including a future bond measure—could more effectively serve the community.

Leo Kostelnik, Supervisor at BSUSD, is supportive of this effort and is consulting with advisors experienced in school bond measures to help inform the discussion.

At a minimum, increasing coordination among agencies could help ensure that:

- Community priorities are clearly understood and communicated;
  - Funding efforts are strategically timed; and
  - Agencies are not competing with one another for limited voter support, which may ultimately undermine successful outcomes.
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### **Board Action**

No formal action is requested. This item is for discussion only.

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### **Next Steps**

Following the presentation and Board discussion, potential next steps may include:

- Continued inter-agency coordination to better understand and align capital priorities;
- Participation in future discussions or working groups with other local agencies; and
- Direction from the Board regarding BCPUD's level of interest in exploring a coordinated funding approach.