SWEETWATER SPRINGS WATER DISTRICT

TO: Board of Directors **AGENDA NO. V-E**

FROM: Steve Mack, General Manager

Meeting Date: April 5, 2018

SUBJECT: REVIEW OF DISTRICT SURPLUS LANDS STRATEGY

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Receive a presentation from General Manager Steve Mack regarding review of the District Surplus Lands Strategy, including recent activities and interest, and provide direction to staff.

FISCAL IMPACT: none at this time.

DISCUSSION:

At the February meeting, the Board received a report from the General Manager on his investigations on fire management strategies and discussed whether the District can/should do anything to address fire danger on our properties. Since that meeting there have been some news articles on Statewide and regionwide efforts to manage lands to minimize fire hazards. These efforts may require the District to take certain actions and may provide funding to assist these efforts. It's too early to determine exactly what, if anything, is going to come from these Statewide and regional efforts.