GRIZZLY RANCH CSD

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POLICY TITLE: Compensation for Meetings and Travel

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2990.2 All actual and necessary travel and incidental expenses shall be reimbursed upon submission of the *Grizzly* Ranch District's expense Report with accompanying receipts for preapproved training and educational courses and events. The expense reimbursement form must be submitted within 30 days of the qualifying travel or expense.

2990.2.1 Meals: Meals shall be reimbursed at the actual cost, when accompanied by a receipt, provided that the xpense is not lavish or extravagant.

2990.2.2 Lodging: If lodging is in connection with a conference or educational activity, lodging costs shall not exceed the maximum group rate published by the conference or activity sponsor, provided that lodging at the group rate is available at the time of booking. If the group rate is not available, comparable lodging will be used. Government and group rates for lodging will be used whenever possible.

2990.2.3 Transportation: Government and group rates for transportation will be used when available.

2990.2.4 Mileage: Mileage will be reimbursed at the IRS published mileage rate when a personal vehicle is authorized and utilized for travel while on Grizzly Ranch CSD business.

2990.3 All documents related to reimbursable Grizzly Ranch CSD expenditures are public records subject to disclosure under the California Public Records Act.

2990.4 Regardless of how it may occur, misuse of public resources or falsifying expense reports in violation of this policy may result in any or all of the following:

2990.4.1 loss of reimbursement privileges,

2990.4.2 restitution to the District.

2990.4.3 civil penalties for misuse of public resources,

2990.4.4 disciplinary action up to or including termination, and

2990.4.5 prosecution for misuse of public resources with state law (AB 1234) and comply with state law if it changes from time to time.