## CANDIDATE STATEMENT SOUTH PLACER MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT, WARD 5

Name: WARREN JORGENSEN Age: 66

Occupation: Retired Government Manager/Rocklin City Commissioner

**Education and Qualifications:** I am a candidate for the Board of Directors because it gives me the opportunity to continue to serve our community and lead SPMUD into the future.

I have attended in person or via teleconference every Board of Directors meeting since 2020. I will work to support SPMUD's mission statement to protect health, provide excellent service and prepare for the future. I am for low sewer rates. I also support improving infrastructure and dedicating financial resources supporting sewer collection and treatment for ratepayers within the SPMUD service area.

We have lived in Rocklin for the past 37 years and I worked for the State of California for 32 years. I earned a Bachelor of Arts in Government and a Secondary Teaching Credential from CSU Sacramento. I have served on Rocklin committees: General Plan, Front Street Historical, Redevelopment Agency and the Community Recognition Commission with four years as the chairperson.

My family and I are members of the First United Methodist Church of Loomis. All three of our children graduated from Del Oro High School and my wife and I were leaders of the Loomis Community 4-H Club.

County Supervisor Jim Holmes has endorsed me. However, the most important endorsement that I can receive is yours. I would be honored to receive your vote and serve as your representative on the SPMUD Board of Directors. Please visit my website at www.electwarrenjorgensen.vote.

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Name: JACK ARNEY Age: 61

Occupation: Local Business Owner

**Education and Qualifications:** As a local business owner and longtime Placer County resident, I know how important high-quality economic development is for our community's success and that the South Placer Municipal Utility District (SPMUD) plays a critical role.

Many of our cherished family-owned small businesses have been burdened by high sewer system connection fees, some of the highest in the region.

One Rocklin family-owned restaurant had to pay more than \$70,000 when it relocated within the same shopping center, and a Loomis restaurant is fighting a \$120,000+ bill as part of its expansion effort.

Additionally, SPMUD also OK'd a 24 percent rate increase for homeowners' monthly bills, which comes as electricity rates squeeze family budgets.

I am a long-time Rotarian, Leadership Rocklin Co-Chair, a member of Rocklin Investment Advisory Committee and have a long history of community service and regional leadership.

I am honored to have the support of many civic and business leaders, including Scott Paris of High Hand Nursery, Rula Khatib of Primo's Restaurant, and Sierra College Trustee Carol Garcia.-I respectfully ask for your vote. If you have any questions, please contact me at jack.arney@gmail.com or 916-258-5880.