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8 UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
 9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, SACRAMENTO DIVISION

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11 In re

12 DIABLO GRANDE COMMUNITY
 13 FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 1,

14 Debtor.

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Case No. 25-26635-A-9

DCN BWS-1

**DECLARATION OF JOSEPH P.
 BUCHMAN REGARDING SERVICE AND
 PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF
 COMMENCEMENT OF CHAPTER 9
 CASE**

Status Conference:

Date: April 15, 2026

Time: 9:30 a.m.

Ctrm: Dept. A, Ctrm 11

2500 Tulare Street, Fresno California

DECLARATION OF JOSEPH P. BUCHMAN

I, Joseph P. Buchman, declare as follows:

1. I am over the age of 18 and am not a party to this action. I am an attorney with the law firm of Burke, Williams & Sorensen, LLP, attorneys for Diablo Grande Community Facilities District No. 1 (the "**Debtor**"). I am admitted to practice law before all courts of the State of California, and to the Federal Courts of the Eastern District of California. I have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein except as to those matters stated on information and belief

1 and if called as a witness and sworn, I could competently testify thereto.

2 2. On February 4, 2026, the Court entered its “Order Directing And Approving Form
3 Of Notice And Setting Deadline For Filing Objections To The Chapter 9 Petition” [[Dkt. 23](#)] (the
4 “**Order**”). Attached as Exhibit A to the Order is the approved form of Notice of Commencement
5 of Chapter 9 Case.

6 3. Pursuant to the Order, the Debtor served and published the Notice, in the form
7 attached hereto as Exhibit 1 (the “**Notice**”), as described herein.

8 4. Attached hereto marked as Exhibit 2, is the Certificate of Service of Notice of
9 Commencement of Chapter 9 Case (the “**Certificate of Service**”). The Certificate of Service is
10 provided by Lydia Do, an employee of Kurtzman Carson Consultants, LLC dba Verita Global
11 (“**Verita**”). Per the Certificate of Service, service of the Notice was performed as follows:

12 a. On February 5, 2026, the Notice was served via First Class Mail on the
13 Office of the United States Trustee and all entities identified on the Debtor’s List of
14 Creditors filed on January 21, 2026 [[Dkt. 14](#)] pursuant to Bankruptcy Code section 924
15 (See Attachment 6B-2 to the Certificate of Service, Exhibits B and F).

16 b. On February 5, 2026, the Notice was served via Electronic Mail on the
17 Office of the United States Trustee, and the entities identified on the Debtor’s List of 20
18 Largest Unsecured Creditors filed on November 25, 2025 [[Dkt. 3](#)] pursuant to Bankruptcy
19 Code section 924 (See Attachment 6B-4 to the Certificate of Service, Exhibit A).

20 c. On February 6, 2026, the Notice was served via Electronic Mail on the DTC
21 Participants, and was sent via Overnight Mail to Broadridge Financial Solutions, Inc.
22 (“**Broadridge**”), which serves as a Distribution Agent for the registered holders of the
23 Bonds (the “**Bondholders**”) (See Attachment 6B-4 to the Certificate of Service, Exhibits
24 C, D and E).

25 5. In order to be able to serve the Notice on the Bondholders as of the record date that
26 is no more than five business days prior to the mailing date, on February 5, 2026, I requested and
27 obtained Special Security Position Reports (“**SPRs**”) for the Bonds through BNY Western Trust
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