

**Golden State Connect Authority (GSCA)  
Board of Directors Meeting  
Friday, May 12, 2023 - 8:30 a.m.  
Canyon Oaks Country Club  
Vista Room  
999 Yosemite Drive  
Chico, CA 95928**

**FULL PACKET**

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**AGENDA**

**1. Call to Order & Determination of Quorum**

*Chair, Supervisor Jack Garamendi, Calaveras County  
Vice Chair, Supervisor David Griffith, Alpine County*

**2. Public Comment**

*At this time any member of the public may address the Board. Speakers are asked to state their name for the record but are not required to do so. Comments are usually limited to no more than 3 minutes per speaker.*

**3. Consent Agenda – ACTION**

**a. [March 8, 2023 Board Meeting Minutes](#)**

**b. Approval of the 2022 GSCA Audited Financial Statements**

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*Milena De Melo, RCRC Finance Director*

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**4. GSCA Chair’s Report**

*Chair, Supervisor Jack Garamendi, Calaveras County*

**5. Legislative and Regulatory Advocacy Update**

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*Tracy Rhine, RCRC Senior Policy Advocate*

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**6. Program Updates**

*Barbara Hayes, RCRC Chief Economic Development Officer*

*Craig Ferguson, RCRC Senior Vice President*

**a. Broadband Program Update**

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  - [Press Release – April 12, 2023: Golden State Connect Authority and UTOPIA Fiber Formalize Partnership to Deploy High-Speed Internet in Rural California](#)

**7. Adjournment**

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Mendocino County 778 S. Franklin St., Fort Bragg, CA 95437	Santa Barbara County 511 E. Lakeside Parkway, Suite 47 Santa Maria, CA 93455
Solano County County Government Center 675 Texas Street, Room 6015 Fairfield, CA 94533	Siskiyou County Siskiyou Transit and General Express Building 190 Greenhorn Rd. Yreka, CA 96097