

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

- Boards are usually composed of 5 (or some other odd number) members. This way there is unlikely to be a tied vote.
- Board members are elected during General Elections (November of even numbered years) serve four-year terms unless appointed by the Board.
- Board members terms end on December 31st and begin on January 1st.
- In order to be elected to the Board you must be a registered voter and reside within the district. In our case this is within Grizzly Ranch.
- Candidates for election/reelection must file with the county election office before the deadline which is usually at least 10 days before the November general election.
- Board member terms are staggered so that there is a new group (for our Board either 3 or 5 members) that are up for election every two years.
- The Board elects new officers in January each year. Designated officers for the GRCSO are a president and a vice president.

BOARD VACANCIES

- The County elections office must be notified within 15 days of the date of the vacancy
- The vacancy can be filled by calling a special election through the county elections office (there are significant fees involved) or by Board appointment.
- If by Board appointment this must be done within 60 days from the date of the vacancy.
- The County must be notified of the Board appointment within 15 days.
- If the vacancy occurs within the first half of the term of office and less than 130 days before the next general election then the appointed person shall serve out the entire balance of the vacancy.
- If the vacancy occurs withing the second half of the term of office then the appointed person shall serve out the entire balance of the vacancy.
- If the vacancy occurs within the first half of the term of office and more than 130 before the next general election then the appointed person shall serve until the next general election and until the newly elected person takes office.