

**MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING
OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
OF WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. 2
NATCHITOCHE PARISH, LOUISIANA**

Wednesday, April 29, 2026

PRESENT: Patrick Masson-President; Emile Metoyer; Ludlow McNeely-Vice-President; Carletta Jones; Henderson Howard; Jerry Longlois-Secretary/Treasurer; Preston Broadwater; Donald Forrest; Bubba Dunn- District Manager; Russell L. Sylvester.

ABSENT: None

VISITORS: None

The President called the meeting to order and had a prayer.

The Minutes of the regular meeting of Wednesday March 25, 2026, were accepted as written. It was moved by Mr. Forrest, seconded by Mr. Howard and unanimously adopted that the Minutes for the meeting be accepted as written.

OLD BUSINESS

I) Accounts paid/payable:

Accounts paid and to be paid April 29, 2026, are attached and marked "Exhibit A." Mr. Dunn explained the bills already paid and answered questions from the Board. By motion of Mr. Masson and seconded by Mr. Forrest, the board unanimously approved Exhibit A.

II) Customer Status Report:

The Status Report for March 2026, is attached and marked "Exhibit B." The Board discussed water usage and disconnections. By Motion of Mr. Howard and seconded by Ms. Jones, the board unanimously approved Exhibit B.

III) Monthly Budget Report/Profit & Loss Statement/Financial Report:

The Budget Report and a Profit and Loss Statement for March 2026 is attached and marked "Exhibit C". Mr. Dunn explained the monthly income and expenses compared to the budgeted amounts. By Motion of Mr. Metoyer and seconded by Mr. Masson, the board unanimously approved Exhibit C.

IV) Monthly Balance Sheet:

The Monthly Balance Sheet as of March 31, 2026, is attached and marked "Exhibit D".

Mr. Dunn and the Board discussed the investments of the District. By Motion of Mr. Howard and seconded by Mr. Longlois, the board unanimously approved Exhibit D.

V) Cut-off Agreement with the Village of Natchez:

The Board discussed the cut-off services the District is providing for Natchez.

VI) Equipment/Personnel:

Mr. Dunn advised the Board regarding the status of the District's equipment and personnel.

NEW BUSINESS

I) Mr. Dunn advised the Board that the District's water well 7 has developed significant corrosion that is affecting its production. Mr. Dunn provided the Board with camera video of the severe corrosion. Mr. Dunn has contacted a company to hopefully clean up the corrosion by conducting a cross wash to remove the corrosion. The cross wash should address most if not all of the iron build up however the magnesium is more of a problem. Mr. Dunn explained to the Board how the cross wash is performed. The investigation of the well also determined that the column pipe and pump are in need of repair. Following discussion, it was moved by Mr. Metoyer, seconded by Mr. Broadwater and unanimously approved by the Board to authorize \$100,000.00 for Mr. Dunn to contract for the cross washing of the well. In that other components of the well need replacement, Mr. Dunn was instructed to obtain an estimate from the company performing the work for a total repair of well since some of the cost may be reduced if all the work is performed at the same time. Once the estimate is received the Board will review it and decide how it wants to proceed.


IV) The next regular meeting will be on May 27, 2026, at 6:00 pm. The meeting's agenda will include the discussion of Accounts Paid/Payable, Customer Status Report, Monthly Budget Report/Profit & Loss Statement/Financial Report, Monthly Balance Sheet, the status of the District's equipment and employees, quality of water and any cut-off issues.

ADJOURNMENT

It was moved by Mr. Longlois, seconded by Mr. Howard, and unanimously approved, that the meeting adjourn.

Attest:


SECRETARY-TREASURER


PRESIDENT