

**PEARLINGTON WATER & SEWER DISTRICT
MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL CALLED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
JULY 8, 2025**

The Board of Commissioners of the Pearlington Water and Sewer District met in official session at 3:00 P.M. on Friday, July 8, 2025, in the Pearlington Recovery Center.

In Attendance:

John Pavlovich, Vice Chairperson
Rosa Jackson, Treasurer
Debra Sonnier, Secretary
Nolan Pansano, Commissioner
Cheryl Bennett, Chairperson
Derek Cusick, Board Attorney
James Lamy, General Manager
Ty Necaie, CPA
Scott Burge, Engineer
Kodie Koenenn, Contract Operator

Absent:

Chairperson Bennett, having previously called for a Special Meeting of the board and posted notice pursuant to board rules, called the official meeting to order at 3:00 pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited, followed by a moment of silence.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The date of the next regular meeting is July 16, 2025 at 3 PM.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

MOTION to go into closed session to discuss the need for executive session.

Moved: Sonnier
Seconded: Pavlovich
Ayes: All
Results: PASSED

MOTION to go into Executive Session to discuss matters related to personnel.

Moved: Pavlovich
Seconded: Pansano
Ayes: All
Results: PASSED

Board Attorney Derek Cusick announced to those in attendance that the Board voted to go into Executive Session to discuss matters related to personnel.

MOTION to increase the rate of pay for the current technician to \$19/hr.

Moved: Sonnier
Seconded: Pansano
Ayes: All

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Results: PASSED

MOTION to set the rate of pay for the new tech hire to a rate not to exceed \$17.50/hr.

Moved: Jackson

Seconded: Pavlovich

Ayes: All

Results: PASSED

MOTION to exit executive session.

Moved: Sonnier

Seconded: Pansano

Ayes: All

Results: PASSED

MOTION to exit closed session.

Moved: Jackson

Seconded: Sonnier

Ayes: All

Results: PASSED

Board Attorney Derek Cusick announced the motions that were made and voted upon in executive session to those in attendance.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION to adjourn the meeting at 3:34 pm

Moved: Jackson

Seconded: Pansano

Ayes: All

Results: PASSED

Debra Sonnier, Secretary

Date