



TENSAS BASIN LEVEE DISTRICT

REGULAR MEETING

Board of Commissioners

Tuesday, May 12, 2026, at 9:30 AM

505 District Drive, Monroe, LA

MINUTES

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Roll Call

Mr. Drew Keahey, the President, called the meeting to order and requested the Secretary call the roll with the following present and answering:

PRESENT

President Drew Keahey

Vice President Rodney Hutchins

Commissioner Dick Zeagler

Commissioner Mike Calloway

Commissioner Michael Costello

Commissioner Robert Neal Harwell

Commissioner Harris Brown

Commissioner Dustin Morris

Commissioner Scott Mathews

ABSENT

Commissioner Kenneth Wilson

Commissioner Ashley Peters

Others in attendance were Mr. Brandon Waggoner, Executive Director of Tensas Basin Levee District; Mr. Justin Holloway, Operations Superintendent of Tensas Basin Levee District; Aundi Brown, Board Secretary of Tensas Basin Levee District; Holly Tucker, Tensas Basin Levee District Admin.; and Mr. Michael Street, Attorney for Tensas Basin Levee District. Max Tullos, USACE.

Prayer

President Keahey opened the meeting with prayer, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Public Comment on Agenda Items

Action

1. Minutes of April 2026 Meeting

Motion made by Commissioner Zeagler, seconded by Commissioner Costello, and passed unanimously by the Board of Commissioners of the Tensas Basin Levee District after President Keahey called for public comments, and there were none, to wit;

RESOLUTION

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of the Tensas Basin Levee District does at this moment declare that the reading of the minutes of the regular meeting of April 2026 is at this moment dispensed with and declared approved as published in the official journal of this board.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

2. Bills for April 2026

A motion made by Commissioner Calloway, seconded by Commissioner Hutchins, and passed unanimously by the Board of Commissioners of the Tensas Basin Levee District after President Keahey called for public comments, and there were none, to wit:

RESOLUTION

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of the Tensas Basin Levee District hereby approves the payment of all bills and statements reviewed and approved by the Financial Committee for April 2026.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

3. Approve 2027 Budget

A motion made by Commissioner Mathews, seconded by Commissioner Harwell, and passed unanimously by the Board of Commissioners of the Tensas Basin Levee District after President Keahey called for public comments, and there were none, to wit:

RESOLUTION

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of the Tensas Basin Levee District hereby approves the proposed budget for 2027.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

4. Advertise for the 2027 Fuel Contract Bids

A motion made by Commissioner Harris, seconded by Commissioner Hutchins, and passed unanimously by the Board of Commissioners of the Tensas Basin Levee District after President Keahey called for public comments, and there were none, to wit:

RESOLUTION

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of the Tensas Basin Levee District hereby approves placing the Fuel Contract for 2027 out for bid.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

5. Advertise for the 2027 Official Journal Bids

A motion made by Commissioner Harris, seconded by Commissioner Costello, and passed unanimously by the Board of Commissioners of the Tensas Basin Levee District after President Keahey called for public comment and there were none, to wit:

RESOLUTION

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of the Tensas Basin Levee District hereby approves placing the 2027 Official Journal Contract out for bid.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

Let the Minutes Reflect that Commissioner Morris joined the meeting at 9:37 am.

6. Adopt the 2027 Millage Rate

A motion made by Commissioner Hutchins, seconded by Commissioner Zeagler, and passed unanimously by the Board of Commissioners of the Tensas Basin Levee District after President Keahey called for public comments, and there were none, to wit:

RESOLUTION

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of the Tensas Basin Levee District hereby adopts 4.71 as the millage rate for 2026-2027.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

7. Transfer Campsite JB-10B from Justin Paul to Zane Birkicht

A motion made by Commissioner Calloway, seconded by Commissioner Costello, and passed unanimously by the Board of Commissioners of the Tensas Basin Levee District after President Keahey called for public comments, and there were none, to wit:

RESOLUTION

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of the Tensas Basin Levee District hereby approves the transfer of campsite JB-10B from Justin Paul to Zane Birkicht.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

Requests

Presentations

Items for Discussion

Diversion Canal Opinion has been received from the Attorney General's Office.

Moving Phone System to Auto Attendant

Tier 2 Financial Statements are due by May 15th.

Financial Statements

8. Financial Statements were reviewed and discussed.

Public Comment

Levee Projects.

Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 10:38 am.