



TENSAS BASIN LEVEE DISTRICT

REGULAR MEETING

Board of Commissioners

Tuesday, July 14, 2026, at 9:30 AM

505 District Drive, Monroe, LA

MINUTES

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, individuals requiring special accommodations during this meeting should notify the Tensas Basin Levee District Board of Commissioners at 318-323-1130 at least three working days prior to the meeting.

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 Ashley Peters
Commissioner Scott Mathews

ABSENT

Commissioner Kenneth Wilson
Commissioner Dustin Morris
Commissioner Robert Neal Harwell
Commissioner Harris Brown

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; Jordan Girtman Tensas Basin Levee District; Holly Tucker Tensas Basin Levee District; DJ Tucker, Tensas Basin Levee District Admin Student worker; 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 June 2026 Meeting

Motion made by Commissioner Zeagler, seconded by Commissioner Calloway, 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 June 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 June 2026

A motion was made by Commissioner Peters, 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 payment of all bills and statements reviewed and approved by the Financial Committee for May 2026.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

3. Award Contract on the fencing project for the New TBLD Facility.

NO BOARD ACTION TAKEN.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

4. Open Bids and Award Limestone Contract

Bids

Little River Services	\$45.49 per ton
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No other bids were received.

A motion made by Commissioner Calloway, 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 accepts the bid of \$45.49 per ton from Little River Services.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

5. Open Bids/Proposals on 505 District Drive. (Relist if needed)

No Bids or Proposals Received.

No Board Action

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

6. Donate Surplus Police Furniture to Monroe Police Department.

A motion was 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 donation of surplus police furniture to the Monroe Police Department.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

7. Upgrade the AC Unit at the Longtown Maintenance Facility

A motion was made by Commissioner Costello, seconded by Vice President 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 upgrading the AC unit at the Longtown maintenance Facility up to \$30,000.00

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

8. Transfer Campsite WBS-8 from Caleb Clark to Joseph Dyer

A motion was made by Vice President 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 approves the transfer of campsite WBS-8 from Caleb Clark to Joseph Dyer.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

9. Allow Jimmy Belgard to update Campsite SB-10.

A motion was made by Vice President 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 approves allowing Jimmy Belgard to upgrade campsite SB-10.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

10. Adopt New Per Diem Rate for Commissioners

A motion was made by Commissioner Costello, seconded by Commissioner Peters, 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 adoption of a new Per Diem Rate of \$133.50 for TBLD Commissioners effective August 2026.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

11. Demand Letter to Entergy

A motion was made by Commissioner Mathews, seconded by Vice President 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 sending a demand letter to Entergy to address the issue of them removing poles and lines that are impeding FW Gap Closures.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

12. Wm Marina Signs

A motion made by Vice President Hutchins, seconded by Commissioner Calloway, 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 denying the request of WM City to reimburse the City for the marina signs to be removed and will not provide assurance that the signs will not have to be removed again for 12 months.

Aundi Brown
Secretary

Drew Keahey
President

Requests

Presentations

Items for Discussion

Financial Statements

13. Financial Statements were reviewed and discussed.

Public Comment

Levee Projects.

Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 10:45 am.