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Pojoaque Valley Irrigation District (PVID) November 6, 2024 Special Meeting 6:00PM to 8:30PM Via Zoom

Minutes

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 - 1. Call To Order: Chairman Dave Neal called the meeting to order at 6:18 PM
 - 2. Recognition of Quorum: Curt recognized all board members present.
 - 3. Approval of the Agenda: Chairman Dave Neal
 - **a.** Additions/Corrections: Additions per executive session are stated on this document.
 - Motion To Approve Rob ,SECOND Curtis . DISCUSSION , VOTE Motion Carried.
 - 4. Disposition of Previous Minutes:
 - a. Minutes of the September 26, 2024 Quarterly Meeting (Attachment)
 - Motion To Approve Curtis , SECOND Rob. DISCUSSION None, VOTE Motion Carried.
 - 5. Chairman's Report Dave Neal:
 - **a.** Upcoming election Dave announced a board election on December 3rd at the PVID Office.
 - 6. Treasurer's Report Rob Heineman:



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a. PVID Quarterly Financial Statement as of September 30, 2024 (Attachment). Rob had a senior moment and read the date wrong on the financial report and declined to report. In actuality, the correct report was in the package.

7. District Manager/Dam Tender's Report – Ralph Manzanares:

- **a.** Ralph thanked many for help on the system this year. Vegetation control is ongoing.
- **b.** Collections effort: Ongoing:
 - i. Question Accounts receivable: \$100K. 2 accounts represent about 70K of that amount. Collection effort ongoing. 30K Balance is owing or payment plans have been set up. We have collection about 45K in the past 6 months.
- **c.** Spalling Repair will take place Juned 2025
- **d.** Weather station now operable but is not yet online. A meeting will ensue to get training on the system
- **e.** We have received some money from the BOR to repair fencing at the dam.

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8. Old Business:

a. None

9. New Business:

- **a.** Rob presented the proposed modifications to the approved election policy:
 - i. Scenario A:
 - 1. Section 2.a. Adding 73-9-3 Definition of Resident Freeholder.
 - a. Allows Corporations and the like a vote.
 - 2. Section 2.c. (unchanged but relocated) Defines corporate voting requirements and the like.
 - 3. Section 2.d. (unchanged but relocated) Adds pueblo fee-simple properties eligibility in the same manner as corporations.
 - 4. Section 2.e. Changes ballot so that each qualified elector may vote for candidates in all Divisions this is by statute and was misinterpreted in the previously approved procedure.
 - 5. Miscellaneous grammatical and spelling errors
 - Proposed Motion Rob To Replace the previously approved election policy of September 26, 2024 with the modified Amendment A, PVID Election Policy Revision 2.1 of November 6, 2024., SECOND Dave. DISCUSSION Curtis had concerns over



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adopting the procedure because there were legal questions regarding the application of certain clauses in the policy.

- Dave made a motion to amend to table the vote pending review of option B. ,SECOND - Curtis . DISCUSSION -None, VOTE - Curt - yes, Dave, yes, Rob No. Motion Carried.
- After discussion of scenario B below, the board called for a vote on the above motion. Motion carried unanimously.

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- ii. Scenario B: Rob presented the modifications.
 - 1. Section 2.b. (new) Changes ballot so that each qualified elector may vote for candidates in all Divisions this is by statute and was misinterpreted in the previously approved procedure.
 - 2. Section 2.b. Deletes qualified elector status for corporations and the like.
 - 3. Section 2.c. Deletes qualified elector status for pueblos.
 - 4. Miscellaneous grammatical and spelling errors
 - 5. After a long discussion, the board moved back to discussions on Scenario A, above.
- **b.** Certification of election documents: Rob presented the following documents for approval by the board:
 - i. Certification of Elector Rolls
 - ii. Certification of Candidates
 - iii. Certification of Ballot Quantity (plus 10 "sample" ballots) 790 total ballots
 - iv. Appointment of election judges
 - v. Motion To Approve the election documents Curtis , SECOND Rob. DISCUSSION None, VOTE Motion Carried.
- **c.** Board canvas of election will happen Monday, December 9th. Normal notices will be distributed. A second meeting will be held the first week of January to intall the new board.

10. Public Comment:

a. Tribal Government



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- i. Pueblo of Nambe Mike Lujan stated that the Pueblo of Nambe is pleased with the outcome of the meeting and is looking forward to continued collaboration.
- ii. Pueblo of Pojoaque Jeff Montoya echoed Mike Lujan's statement and appreciates the community.
- iii. Pueblo of San Ildefonso -
- iv. BIA -
- b. Individual Acequias -
- c. BOR -
- d. OSE -
- e. PVRAA -

11. Adjournment:

- a. Motion To Approve Rob, SECOND Curt.
- **12. Approval**: these minutes were approved by a motion of the Board of Directors at a meeting held on December 9, 2024.