

BIGHORN-DESERT VIEW WATER AGENCY

"To provide a high quality supply of water and reliable service to all customers at a fair and reasonable rate."

BOARD OF DIRECTORS' SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA

BOARD MEETING OFFICE 1720 N. CHEROKEE TR. LANDERS, CALIFORNIA 92285



December 9, 2025 Time – 4:00 P.M.

MEETING ROOM IS OPEN FOR IN-PERSON ATTENDANCE PUBLIC WISHING TO PARTICIPATE REMOTELY

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CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Discussion and Action Items - The Board of Directors and Staff will discuss the following items and the Board will consider taking action, if so inclined. The Public is invited to comment on any item on the agenda during discussion of that item. When giving your public comment, please have your information prepared. If you wish to be identified for the record, then please state your name. Due to time constraints, each member of the public will be allotted three-minutes to provide their public comment.

1. Closed Session

a. Public Employee Appointment [Government Code Section 54957(b)]

Title: General Manager

 b. Public Employee Appointment [Government Code Section 54957(b)]
Title: District Geologist/Engineer

2. Closed Session Report

- 3. Authorize New Organizational Chart Creating Three New Job Positions with Associated Job Descriptions for Transitional General Manager Consultant; Reassign Accounting Technician/Customer Service Lead to Administrative & Finance Supervisor; and add District Geologist/Engineer Job Description; and Resolution No. 25R-XX Amending Appendix C Range and Step Scale Incorporated by Reference to the Employee Handbook
- 4. Public Workshop No. 5 2025 Rate Study (5-year period commencing 2026) Authorizing Filing of Categorical Exemption for a Public Hearing on February 10, 2026 at 6:00 pm during which the Board of Directors Will Consider Preliminary Approval of Water Rates, Fees and Charges; and Authorize preparation and distribution of Notice Setting the date, time and location of the Proposition 218 (Prop. 218) Notice of Public Hearing on the proposed rate and fee structure alternative in accordance with Article XIII C and D of the California Constitution; and Posting of Draft Water Rate Study Report November 2025 in conjunction with Proposition 218 Public Hearing Notice
- 5. Presentation of the Agency Financial Audit for Fiscal Year 2023-2024 by the Independent Certified Public Accounting Firm of CJ Brown & Company CPAs
- 6. Consent Items The following items are expected to be routine and non-controversial and will be acted on by the Board at one time without discussion, unless a member of the Public or member of the Board requests that the item be held for discussion or further action.
 - **a.** Board Meeting Minutes
 - 1. October 14, 2025 Regular Meeting
 - 2. November 4, 2025 Special Meeting
 - **b.** Financial Statements
 - Balance Sheet(s) September & October 2025
 - 2. Budget Sheet(s) September & October 2025
 - **c.** Receive and File Disbursements October & November 2025
 - **d.** Service Order Report September & October 2025
 - e. BDV Production Report October & November 2025
 - f. Goat Mountain Production Report October & November 2025

- g. Receive and File Committee Meeting Minutes
 - 1. Planning/Legislative/Engineering/Grants Standing Committee
 - August 19, 2025 Cancelled
 - October 21, 2025 Cancelled
 - 2. Finance/Public Relations/Education/Personnel Standing Committee
 - September 2, 2025 Cancelled
 - November 18, 2025 Cancelled

Recommended Action: Approve as presented.

7. Matters Removed from Consent Items

8. Public Comment Period

Any person may address the Board on any matter within the Agency's jurisdiction on items <u>not</u> appearing on this agenda. When giving your public comment, please have your information prepared. If you wish to be identified for the record, then please state your name. Due to time constraints, each member of the public will be allotted three minutes to provide their public comment. State Law prohibits the Board of Directors from discussing or taking action on items not included on the agenda.

9. Items for Next or Future Agenda

- **10. Verbal Reports –** Including Reports on Courses/Conferences/Meetings.
 - a. General Manager Report
 - b. Director Reports

11. Adjournment

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Calendar Reminder - Upcoming Director Meetings

- Mojave Water Agency Board of Directors Meeting Second and Fourth Thursday every month (regular schedule)
- Morongo Basin Pipeline Commission Meeting Quarterly March, June 12, September and December (check MWA website for location)
- ASBCSD Monthly Dinner Meeting third Monday (regular schedule)
- Landers Homestead Valley Community Association Monthly Meeting Second Monday at 5pm