

*Rosamond Community Services District  
Special Board Meeting – Agenda  
Tuesday, May 19, 2026 @ 1:00PM*

## **SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ROSAMOND COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT**

1:00 PM Special Board Meeting  
Tuesday, May 19, 2026  
District Board Room  
3179 35<sup>th</sup> Street West  
Rosamond, CA 93560

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### **Agenda**

**CALL TO ORDER** Time: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **ROLL CALL**

Director Jose Hernandez Jr.  
Director Byron Glennan  
Director Rick Webb  
Vice President Greg Wood  
President Gregory Washington

General Manager (GM) Kim Domingo  
Assistant GM Ben Stewart  
Director of Public Works John Houghton  
Director of Administration/Board Secretary Sherri Timm  
Legal Counsel, John Komar, Esq.

#### **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA** Motion: \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup>: \_\_\_\_\_

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

(At this time, any person may address the Board on any subject within the District’s jurisdiction which is not on the agenda. However, any non-agenda matter will be referred to staff for a report and/or action at a subsequent Board meeting and no action can be taken on any such item discussed unless the action has been authorized under §54954.2(b) of the Government Code. Any person may also address the Board on any agenda matter at the time that matter is discussed, prior to Board consideration and action. Speakers are requested to limit comments to three (3) minutes.)

**VOLUNTARY PUBLIC ROLL-CALL VIA TELECONFERENCE**

(If any member of the public on the teleconference/video conference wishes to identify themselves as present for this meeting, please do so for the records/minutes)

**DISCUSSION ITEMS**

**D 1. FY 2026-2027 Budget Workshop -** (Presenters Kim Domingo, GM, and Sadye Greenwalt, Eide Bailly)

**NEW BUSINESS**

**NB 1. Authorize Letter of Support for PureWater Project on Behalf of Palmdale Water District -** (Presenter Kim Domingo, GM)

Motion: \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup>: \_\_\_\_\_

**DIRECTOR REPORTS/COMMENTS/FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

**GENERAL COUNSEL UPDATE**

John Komar, Esq

**GENERAL MANAGER UPDATE**

Kim Domingo

**ASSISTANT GENERAL MANAGER UPDATE**

Ben Stewart

**DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION UPDATE**

Sherri Timm

**PUBLIC WORKS UPDATE**

John Houghton

**ADJOURNMENT**      Time: \_\_\_\_\_

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May 11, 2026

The Honorable Jesse Gabriel  
Chair, Assembly Budget  
1021 O St., Ste 8230  
Sacramento, CA 95814

The Honorable Steve Bennett  
Chair, Assembly Budget Subcommittee #4  
1021 O St., Ste 4710  
Sacramento, CA 95814

The Honorable John Laird  
Chair, Senate Budget  
1021 O St., Ste. 8620  
Sacramento, CA 95814

The Honorable Eloise Reyes  
Chair, Senate Budget Subcommittee #2  
1021 O St., Ste. 6610  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**RE: Funding Request for Palmdale Water District — \$20 Million General Fund Appropriation for Project Monarch Phase II**

Dear Budget Chairs and Subcommittee Chairs,

**Rosamond Community Services District (RCSD)** strongly supports the \$20 million General Fund appropriation to the Palmdale Water District for Project Monarch Phase II, an innovative carbon capture and waste reduction facility, including additional water recovery that will return to the Pure Water Antelope Valley program. This investment would expand drought-resilient local water supply, reduce brine disposal burdens, support regional job creation, and advance California's goal of carbon neutrality by 2045.

California's water strategy calls for scaling recycled water to 800,000 acre-feet annually by 2030 and 1.8 million acre-feet by 2040, yet inland systems continue to face the costly challenge of brine management. Project Monarch Phase II addresses that constraint by converting brine into usable water and demonstrating a practical model for multi-benefit water recycling infrastructure.

The project is also expected to contribute approximately 25,000 tons of carbon removal annually and deliver meaningful workforce benefits. A recent report<sup>[1]</sup> found that every \$1 million invested in water infrastructure generates 10 jobs, \$2.5 million in economic output, \$1.4 million in GDP, and approximately \$837,000 in labor income. During construction, Project Monarch Phase II is expected to create approximately 200 to 250 direct jobs and support an estimated 400 to 500 total jobs.

For these reasons, **RCSD** respectfully urges approval of the \$20 million General Fund appropriation for Project Monarch Phase II. This is a high-value investment in water reliability, waste reduction, climate action, and regional economic resilience.

Sincerely,

{Individual}

{Title}

**Rosamond Community Services District**