

Panola County Groundwater Conservation District  
Board of Directors Regular Meeting Minutes  
September 27, 2022

A regular meeting of the Panola County Groundwater Conservation District Board of Directors was held on Tuesday, September 27, 2022, at 5:30 p.m. in the District Conference Room at 419 W. Sabine Street, Carthage, Texas. The following were in attendance:

Board Members:

Precinct #1: Mike Pennington  
Danny Reed

Precinct #2: Todd Malone

Precinct #3 Mike Roquemore

Precinct #4: Ray Davis

At Large:

District Staff: Teresa Griffin, General Manager; Ashley Whitaker, Office Manager; David Waldrop, Field Technician; Eric Solis, Field Technician

Absent: John Burgess, Precinct #2; Rodger McLane, Precinct #4; Jody Harris, Precinct #3; Bud Worley, At Large


Guest: Corey Turner and Joel Smithers

1. The regular board meeting was called to order by Mike Pennington, Board President, at 5:41 p.m.
2. Mike Roquemore conducted the invocation.
3. There was no public comment at the September 27, 2022, Regular Board Meeting.
4. After reviewing the August 23, 2022, Regular Meeting Minutes, Danny Reed moved, and Mike Roquemore seconded the motion to approve the minutes. The motion passed unanimously.
5. The 2022 Election Agent, Teresa Griffin, certified that the candidates for Director positions in Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, and At Large were unopposed in the 2022 election. Todd Malone then moved to approve the Order of Cancellation for the 2022 Directors Election. Danny Reed seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.
6. The General Manager gave routine office updates. There was no action taken.
7. District staff provided updates on monitor wells, rain gauges, and other District field work. The monthly monitor deep well readings showed a water level decrease of -0.073 feet in the last month. The shallow monitor well water levels showed a decrease of -0.02 feet in the last month. Panola County's recorded rainfall average for August was 6.48 inches. The historical precipitation average for August is 2.89 inches. The cumulative precipitation total

for 2022 is 30.17 inches. As of September 13, 2022, Panola County is no in a drought according to the U.S. Drought Monitor for Texas. In the last month, there have been no significant drawdowns near frac ponds, and water levels have been mostly stable in other areas.

8. After reviewing the District's expenditures from August 20, 2022 to September 23, 2022, Ray Davis moved, and Danny Reed seconded the motion to approve the payment of expenditures as presented. The motion passed unanimously.
9. The Board did not enter into executive session at the September 27, 2022, meeting.
10. No action to be taken.
11. The next regular board meeting was set for October 25, 2022.
12. With no further business, Ray Davis moved, and Mike Roquemore seconded the motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously of those present, and the meeting was adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

Approved this 25<sup>th</sup> day of October

  
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