

Panola County Groundwater Conservation District
Board of Directors Regular Meeting Minutes
November 18, 2025

A regular meeting of the Panola County Groundwater Conservation District Board of Directors was held on Tuesday, November 18, 2025, at 5:30 pm. in the District Conference Room at 419 W. Sabine Street, Carthage, Texas 75633. The following were in attendance:

Board Members:

Precinct #1	Mike Pennington Danny Reed
Precinct #2	John Burgess
Precinct #3:	Mike Roquemore Heath Hayes
Precinct #4:	Corey Turner Charles Foster
At Large:	

District Staff: Teresa Griffin, General Manager; David Waldrop, Field Technician/Inspector, Jeremy Green, Field Technician

Absent: Todd Malone, Precinct #2, Charles Worley, At-Large

Other: None

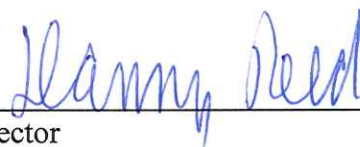
1. The regular board meeting was called to order by Mike Pennington, Board President at 5:30 P.M.
2. Mike Pennington conducted the invocation.
3. There were no public comments at the November 18, 2025, Regular Board Meeting.
4. After reviewing the October 28, 2025, Public Hearing-Permit Meeting Minutes, Mike Roquemore moved, and Corey Turner, seconded the motion to approve the minutes. The motion passed unanimously.
5. After reviewing the October 28, 2025, Regular Board Meeting Minutes, Corey Turner moved, and Mike Roquemore seconded the motion to approve the minutes. The motion passed unanimously.
6. After review and discussion of the 2026 Holiday Schedule, Corey Turner made a motion to add January 2, 2026 as a holiday closure this year, Charlie Foster seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously. Danny Reed then moved and John Burgess seconded the motion to approve the schedule. The motion passed unanimously of those present.
7. The General Manager gave routine office updates. There was no action taken.

8. District staff provided updates on monitor well, rain gauges, and other District field work. The monthly monitor deep well readings showed a water level decrease of 0.305 feet in the last month. The shallow monitor well water levels showed a decrease of 0.326 feet in the last month. Panola County's recorded rainfall average for October was 3.17 inches. The historical precipitation average for October is 4.17 inches. The cumulative precipitation total for 2025 is 40.62 inches. As of November 11, 2025, Panola County's drought status is D0-abnormally dry, according to the U.S. Drought Monitor for Texas. In the last month, there have been no significant drawdowns near pumping monitored areas, and water levels have increased in other areas.
9. After reviewing the expenditures from October 25, 2025, to November 14, 2025, Danny Reed moved, and Corey Turner seconded the motion to approve the expenditures as presented. The motion passed unanimously.
10. The board did not enter Executive Session at the November 18, 2025 board meeting.
11. Since there was no executive session, there was no action.
12. Next meeting date was set for December 16, 2025 5:30 P.M
13. With no further business, Charles Foster moved, and Mike Roquemore seconded the motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously of those present, and the meeting was adjourned at 5:43 P.M.

Approved this 16th day of December 2025



Director



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