

**ORANGE COVE IRRIGATION DISTRICT**  
**1130 PARK BOULEVARD**  
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**BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

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**David A. Brown**

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*Division 4*

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*Division 1*

**Andrew Brown**

*Division 3*

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*Division 5*

**Officers**

**Engineer-Manager / Secretary /**

**Assessor / Collector**

Fergus A. Morrissey

**Controller/Treasurer**

Roger Paine

**General Legal Counsel**

Young Wooldridge, LLP

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- 1) *Call to Order.*
- 2) *Additions / Modifications to Agenda.*
- 3) *Public Comment.*
- 4) *Minutes* – The Board will review and consider approval of the draft January 2026 Regular Board of Directors meeting minutes. (*Actionable*)
- 5) *Ratification of Bills* – The Board will review cash flow and consider ratification of warrants paid since the previous Board Meeting. (*Actionable*)
- 6) *Monthly Report* – A discussion of on-going District activities including water supply status, water management, water deliveries, hydropower plant operations, Friant Power Authority activities, revenue, and financial position. (*Informational*)
- 7) *Adjourn* – The Board will set the time and location for the March 2026 Regular Board meeting. (*Actionable*)

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Minutes of the January Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Orange Cove Irrigation District on Wednesday January 14, 2026. President Brown called the meeting to order at 11:14 A.M., with the following Directors, Officers, Staff and members of the public present:

Directors Present: David Brown – Chairman  
Arlen Miller – Vice Chairman  
Brian Hixson  
Kevin Orlopp  
Andrew Brown

Staff: Fergus Morrissey, Engineer-Manager  
Keith Clem, Assistant GM  
Roger Paine, Controller/Treasurer

Public: Andrew Hart, Booth Ranches LLC  
Matt Caviglia, Landowner

#### **1. Call to Order**

President Brown called the regular meeting to order at 11:14 A.M., with all Directors in attendance.

#### **2. Approval of the Agenda**

No changes were made to the agenda.

#### **3. Public Comment**

None.

#### **4. Minutes**

The Board reviewed the draft December 2025 Board Meeting minutes considering them for approval. *By motion of Director A. Brown, second by Director Orlopp and a unanimous vote, the draft December 2025 minutes were approved by the Board of Directors.*

#### **5. Ratification of Bills**

Total receivables for the period December 1-31, 2025, for Standby, water, and miscellaneous items was \$942,690.69. Total disbursements for capital, General and Administrative and operating expenses, payroll, water, legal, and power for the period were \$487,812.83 including but not limited to:

- \$249,489.19 in General, Administrative and Operational,
- \$0 in water,
- \$62,875.90 in power, and
- \$71,473.37 in payroll.

Controller Paine covered detailed discussion of the expenditures. After discussion, *by motion of Director Hixson, second by Director Miller and a unanimous vote, the Board ratified the bills paid.*

#### **6. Monthly Treasurer's Report**

Controller Paine worked through the eleven items outlined in the monthly Treasurer's report:

1. *Delinquent Standby Charges*

2. *Deficit Water Users*
3. *Miscellaneous Receivables*
4. *Water Deliveries through Contract Year*
5. *Kings River Power Plant*
6. *Fishwater Release Power Plant*
7. *Investments*
8. *LAIF*
9. *Deposits in WFC*
10. *FPA Distribution*
11. *Legal Expenditures*

Of note:

- Significant water deficit accounts resolution occurred during the previous month with an outstanding 201.5 acre feet remaining unresolved. Unresolved accounts will be billed at a rate of \$750/acre foot.
- Controller Paine provided a detailed to-date return on investment among the various categories holding District reserves.
- December 2025 revenue received from District water users' investments in Fishwater hydro facility was \$22,998.63.
- There were no disbursements of revenue from FPA units 1 or 2 as Hydro 1 revenues backfilled a hole in the reserve account for Hydro 2. The Hydro 2 facility is up and running with corrected, in tolerance, vibration under excitation.

AGM Clem reviewed the monthly O&M Report for the December period. AGM Clem discussed a few options for revamping the HVAC system for the District Office.

***No Action taken.***

## **7. Adjournment**

The Board meeting adjourned at 2:15 P.M. The next scheduled Board meeting is scheduled for Wednesday February 11, 2026, at the District Office at 1130 Park Boulevard beginning at 11:00 A.M.

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David Brown, Board President

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Fergus A. Morrissey, Board Secretary