

DELANO MOSQUITO ABATEMENT DISTRICT

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING

March 19, 2026

CALL TO ORDER

Trustee Mario Nunez, Jr. called the meeting to order at 11:32 a.m. in the District Board Room.

ROLL CALL AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM

Trustees Present – Armendariz, Nunez, Perales, Cano (joined remotely from 1744 S Pearl St, Fresno, CA 93721)

Others Present – Thai Thao, Manager; A member of the public was present

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND INVOCATION

The Flag Salute was led by Trustee Nunez.

PUBLIC COMMUNICATION

Trustee Nunez opened the floor to public communication. There were no public comments at the district and no comments submitted on Zoom. Trustee Nunez closed public communication.

PRESENTATION

Trustee Nunez opened the floor to Presentations. Trustee Nunez presented a plaque of appreciation for the outgoing Board President, Arthur Armendariz.

CONSENT AGENDA

Trustee Nunez proceeded to request approval of the district bills for the month of February, and minutes of the Regular Board of Trustees Meeting held on February 19, 2026. A motion was made by Trustee Perales, seconded by Trustee Armendariz and a 4 – 0 – 1 roll call vote: Cano Aye, Armendariz Aye; Perales Aye, Nunez Aye, Alexander Absent, carried to approve the district bills in the amount of \$110,322.68 and the minutes of the Regular Board of Trustee Meeting of February 19, 2026.

INFORMATION AND PROPOSALS

Under Item VII-A-i Manager Report, Manager Thao went over his submitted report with the Board, highlighting staff attendance at the MVCAC Legislative Days on March 9th-11th, Tuff Shed construction completion and review of candidate applications for the Administrative Assistant position.

Under Item VII-A-ii Operation Report, Manager Thao reported that Assistant Manager Vega had submitted a written report.

Under Item VII-A-iii Financial Report, Manager Thao updated the Board with monthly Financial Reports comparing February's current numbers with the same period last year and gave totals of all financial accounts.

OLD BUSINESS

Under item VIII of Old Business, Trustee Nunez opened the floor to Old Business. There was no Old Business.

NEW BUSINESS

Under item IX-A of New Business, Manager Thao informed the Board that he was informed of an opportunity to participate at the City of McFarland's State of the City event. The Board was asked to discuss participation and decide on sponsoring a package or table for the event. After discussion, a motion was made by Trustee Nunez, seconded by Trustee Perales and a 3 - 1 - 1 roll call vote: Armendariz Aye, Perales Aye, Nunez Aye, Cano Abstained, Alexander Absent, carried to approve reserving a table at the McFarland State of the City for interested Board Members and staff.

Under item IX-B of New Business, the Board was asked to review and approve District Policy #2340 Lead Mosquito Control Technician job description and compensation range. Discussion was carried out. Trustee Nunez asked what the difference is in the Lead Technician compensation compared to a Mosquito Technician. Manager Thao responded the Lead Technician compensation range includes an additional 6th step as shown in the provided salary range documents. A motion was made by Trustee Cano, seconded by Trustee Armendariz and a 4 - 0 - 1 roll call vote: Perales Aye, Armendariz Aye, Cano Aye, Nunez Aye, Alexander Absent, carried to approve District Policy #2340 Lead Mosquito Control Technician job description and compensation range.

Under item IX-C of New Business, the Board was asked to review and select a candidate from the four nominees to serve on the Kern LAFCo Commission, representing Special Districts. After discussion, a motion was made by Trustee Cano, seconded by Trustee Armendariz and a 4 - 0 - 1 roll call vote: Perales Aye, Armendariz Aye, Cano Aye, Nunez Aye, Alexander Absent, carried to select Les Clark from the Westside Recreation and Park District to serve on the Kern LAFCo Commission.

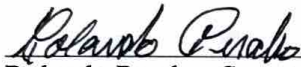
Under item IX-D of New Business, the Manager provided information to the Board regarding the CSDA Board of Director nominations for seat C and asked for any interests in nominations from the Board. After discussion, there were no interest in nominations for CSDA Board of Directors seat C.

BOARD MEMBER REPORTS

Under item XI Board Member Reports, Trustee Nunez asked if there were any reports or announcements from members of the Board. There were no reports from the Board.

ADJOURNMENT

Under item XII Adjournment, the date for the Board Meeting was noted – April 16, 2026, at 11:30 a.m. at the District Office. A motion was made by Trustee Armendariz, seconded by Trustee Cano and a 4 – 0 – 1 roll call vote: Perales Aye, Cano Aye, Armendariz Aye, Nunez Aye; Alexander Absent; carried to adjourn the meeting at 11:53 a.m.



Rolando Perales, Secretary of the Board