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Pendleton Water Association
Monthly Meeting Minutes
April 20, 2026, 5:00 PM
Sabine Council on Aging
29275 Highway 191, Many, LA, 71449

Call to Order
The monthly meeting of Pendleton Water Association was called to order at 5:04 PM by President Al Drewett. The president gave the opening prayer.

Roll Call
The following board members were present:
Al Drewett, President
Homer Miller, Vice President
Jerry Burnaman, Director
Becky Sepulvado, Treasurer
Gwen Peterson, Secretary
A quorum was established.
Doug Mosley and Melissa Mosley of M&M Environmental, along with attending members, were recognized.

Approval of Minutes
Becky Sepulvado proposed a motion to approve the minutes of the Special Meeting held on March 27, 2026. Jerry Burnaman seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

Treasurer's Report
Becky Sepulvado presented the March Financial Report and solicited questions. No questions were raised regarding the report. Ned Goodeaux inquired about any changes in the payment of a member's water bill, as a new billing clerk has been appointed. It was noted that there have been no changes. Several individuals expressed commendations for the new office clerk.

Gwen Peterson made a motion to accept the Treasurer's Report. Homer Miller seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

President's Report

President Drewett urged members to unite and collaborate to resolve any challenges faced by the Pendleton Water Association (PWA).

President extended his sincere appreciation to the previous board for their diligent efforts and comprehensive research undertaken to secure funding for plant upgrades.

EOM was commended for their contributions to the quality of water for members of PWA.

The President emphasized the importance of community unity and collaboration in order to secure needed funds.

The transition to M&M Environmental has gone well. Doug Mosley stated the plant is running great. The volume of water has been increased and turbidity readings are meeting or exceeding standards.

The challenges associated with identifying certified operators were discussed.

Violations observed between November and March were addressed and rectified. Since the establishment of M&M management, there have been no turbidity readings that fall outside of compliance.

A comprehensive discussion was held regarding the procedure for amending the bylaws of the association. The question that arose was whether bylaws can be modified by the board or if a vote of the membership is mandatory. This matter will be thoroughly examined and a definitive decision will be made.

The President solicited input regarding the continuation of monthly meetings or the transition to quarterly meetings. It was decided to have a meeting in May and June.

Adjournment
Jerry Burnaman moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Homer Miller. The meeting was adjourned at 5:55 PM.