

### **BENTON COUNTY PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 1 REGULAR COMMISSION MEETING**

Tuesday, January 28, 2025, 9:00 AM 2721 West 10th Avenue, Kennewick, WA

The meeting is also available via MS Teams The conference call line (audio only) is: 1-323-553-2644; Conference ID: 700 722 151#

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Agenda Review

#### 4. Public Comment

(Individuals desiring to provide public comment during the meeting on items relating to District business, whether in person or remotely will be recognized by the Commission President and provided an opportunity to speak. Comments are limited to five minutes. Public Comment can also be sent to the Clerk of the Board in advance of the meeting at commission@bentonpud.org. Guidelines for Public Participation can be found on the Benton PUD District website at https://www.bentonpud.org/About/Commission/Meeting-Agendas-Minutes.)

#### 5. Approval of Consent Agenda

(All matters listed within the Consent Agenda have been distributed to each member of the Commission for reading and study, are considered routine, and will be enacted by one motion of the Commission with no separate discussion. If separate discussion is desired by any member of the Commission, that item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and placed on the Regular Agenda by request.)

#### Executive Administration/Finance

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- 7. Management Report
- 8. Other Business
- 9. Future Planning
- 10. Meeting Reports
- 11. Executive Session
  - a. Review the performance of a public employee

#### 12. Adjournment

#### **MINUTES**

## PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 1 OF BENTON COUNTY REGULAR COMMISSION MEETING

Date: January 14, 2025

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Place: 2721 West 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Kennewick, Washington

**Present:** Commissioner Jeff Hall, President

Commissioner Lori Kays-Sanders, Vice-President

Commissioner Mike Massey, Secretary

General Manager Rick Dunn

Senior Director of Finance & Executive Administration Jon Meyer

Assistant General Manager/Sr. Director Engineering & Operations Steve

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Director of Power Management Chris Johnson
Director of IT & Broadband Services Chris Folta c

Director of Customer Service and Treasury Keith Mercer

Records Program Administrator II Nykki Drake

Administrative Assistant I Roxie Weller General Counsel Allyson Dahlhauser

Benton PUD employees present during all or a portion of the meeting, either in person or virtually: Manager of System Engineering Evan Edwards; Manager of Procurement Michelle Ochweri; Manager of Customer Engagement Jenny Sparks; Manager of Customer Service Annette Cobb; Manager of Communications & Government Relations Jodi Henderson; Senior Manager of Applied Technology Jennifer Holbrook; Superintendent of Transportation & Distribution Robert Inman; Supervisor of Energy Programs Robert Frost; Financial Analyst III Katie Grandgeorge; Senior Engineer Power Management Blake Scherer; Manager of IT Infrastructure Duane Crum; Cyber Security Engineer III Paul Holgate; Manager of Accounting Kent Zirker; Procurement Administrator Levi Lanphear.

#### Call to Order and Pledge of Allegiance

The meeting was called to order. The Commission and those present recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### Agenda Review

No changes.

#### **Public Comment**

None.

#### **Business Agenda**

#### **Election of Officers - 2025**

Acting Clerk of the Board Nykki Drake presented the proposed election of officers for 2025. She indicated that normally the Benton PUD Commissioners elect officers annually in December to serve for the following year. Due to a change in the District 3 Commission position, the election of officers is being held in January, after the new Commissioner has assumed the office of Benton County PUD Commission, Position 3. Past Commission preference has been to elect officers each year, with the officers selected holding the same position for two consecutive years.

**MOTION:** Commissioner Sanders moved that effective January 1, 2025, Jeff Hall be nominated and elected President of the Commission, Lori Sanders be nominated and elected Vice-President of the Commission, and Mike Massey be nominated and elected Secretary of the Commission. Commissioner Massey seconded, and upon vote, the motion carried unanimously.

#### **Acknowledgement of Conflict of Interest - 2025**

Acting Clerk of the Board Nykki Drake discussed the Governance Policy of the Benton PUD Commission, under "Policy No. 6 - Commission Members' Code of Conduct", which states that each commissioner will annually acknowledge their obligation to disclose conflicts of interest, as defined in RCW 42.23. Policy No. 6 also states that each commissioner will disclose, on a case-by-case basis, to the other commissioners, in a public forum, such interests as defined in RCW 42.23, with such disclosure being noted in the District's official minutes.

Each commissioner individually acknowledged they understand their conflict-of-interest disclosure responsibilities as defined in RCW 42.23 and as stated and adopted under the Governance of the Benton PUD Commission, Policy No. 6 – Commission Members' Code of Conduct.

#### <u>Designation of Representatives to Various Organizations - 2025</u>

Acting Clerk of the Board Nykki Drake discussed the Designation of Representatives to Various Organizations for 2025. The Designation of Representatives to Various Organizations for 2025 was reviewed by Commission and will be brought back for approval at the next Commission meeting.

#### **Treasurer's Report**

Keith Mercer, Director of Customer Service & Treasury Operations, reviewed the December 2024 Treasurer's Report with the Commission as finalized on January 3, 2025.

#### **Consent Agenda**

**MOTION:** Commissioner Sanders moved to approve the Consent Agenda items "a" through "p". Commissioner Massey seconded and upon vote, the Commission unanimously approved the following:

- a. Minutes of Regular Commission Meeting of December 10, 2024
- b. Travel Report dated January 14, 2025
- c. Annual Travel Report for 2025
- d. Vouchers (report dated 1/14/2024) audited and certified by the auditing officer as required by RCW 42.24.080, and those expense reimbursement claims certified as required by RCW 42.24.090, have been recorded on a listing made available to the Commission and approved as follows for payment:

Accounts Payable: Automated Clearing House (DD) Payments: 106322-106376; 106532-106599; 106754-106780 in the amount of \$3,022,204.37.

Checks & Customer Refund Payments (CHK): 89308-89491 in the amount of \$317,112.75; Electronic Fund Transfer (WIRE) Payments: 7142-7173 in the amount of \$6,714,681.24; Payroll: Direct Deposit - 12/05/2024: 106168-106321 in the amount \$530,213.86; Direct Deposit - 12/19/2024: 106377-106531 in the amount \$446,886.57; Direct Deposit - 01/02/2024: 106600-106753 in the amount \$420,729.91.

Voided checks in the amount of \$832.11;

- Grand total \$11,454,008.70
- e. Resolution No. 2689 Establishing District Policy Regarding Community Engagement
- f. Resolution No. 2690 Whistleblower Policy
- g. Contract #23-46-21 –Northwest Open Access Network (NoaNet) Network Coordinated Services (NCS) CO#2
- h. Contract #01-41-05 Bonneville Power Administration CO#14
- i. Contract #19-15-01 Message Technologies, Inc. CO#10
- j. Jobs Report for Commission
- k. Work Order 725883 River Road Residences
- I. Quit Claim AFN# 0752700 Exhibit L
- m. Contract #17-45-15 Bonneville Power Administration CO#5
- n. Contract #23-45-22 Delta Heating and Cooling, Inc. CO#1
- Contract # 23-45-40 Solufix Heating and Cooling CO#1
- p. 2024 4th Quarter Contract Activity Report

#### **Management Report**

#### **General Manager:**

- 1. Grid Reliability Update General Manager Dunn discussed the shift in tone around the country and state when it comes to grid reliability. Dunn shared and reviewed a Seattle Times editorial board article in which they acknowledged utility warnings of increasing risk of blackouts while challenging state leaders to commit to the notion that blackouts are a completely unacceptable result of state policy. Dunn also shared an infographic published by The North America Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) which highlights the results of their 2024 long term reliability assessment. Dunn pointed out the regions NERC has identified as having high and elevated risk of blackouts, which does not include the Northwest. Dunn indicated the "normal risk" assigned to the Northwest was inconsistent with what he heard from a representative of the Western Electricity Coordinating Council (WECC) just a week earlier during a presentation made to the Pacific Northwest Utilities Conference Committee (PNUCC). The WECC representative shared essentially the same concerns NERC has with the high rate of dependable generator retirements and the slow development of wind and solar farms, which are the technology of choice across most of the United States. Dunn indicated the WECC representative admitted there really is no "normal risk" of grid blackouts given the weather dependent and variable nature of wind and solar power, and that she would take that message back to NERC officials regarding the mixed messaging their infographic is communicating. Dunn also shared and reviewed the WECC website which provides their 2024 resource adequacy assessment, highlighting a page which identifies "Risks to Planned Resource Additions". These risks include supply chain disruptions, interconnection queue, siting delays and increased costs. Dunn said the "development friction" when it comes to mineral and land-intensive wind and solar is on the rise and in his mind, there is no indication it conditions will improve in coming years.
- 2. Hydro Politics –General Manager Dunn reported that under pressure from the Biden Administration, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and the Bureau of Reclamation published a notice of intent to prepare a supplemental environmental impact statement (EIS) for the Columbia River System Operations (CRSO). A regional coalition of hydropower and other interest groups have pushed back through a media release and lobbying efforts with concerns a new environmental review by the federal government would open a proverbial can of worms. Manager Dunn stated dam breaching advocates dismissed the original EIS as critically flawed since it was developed during the previous Trump Administration and published in 2020.

Manager Dunn also reported Republican Senators from Idaho, Montana and Wyoming are lobbying the federal government to halt any further implementation of the December 14, 2023, Government Commitments memorandum of understanding (MOU). The MOU was the result of negotiations with four tribes and the states of Oregon and Washington and is the basis for the ten-year legal stay of the longstanding

CRSO litigation. Termination of the MOU would likely put hydropower back in the courts.

Manager Dunn also gave an update on his involvement with the Pacific Northwest Regional Energy Planning Process (PREPP) steering committee, stating he has serious concerns about the study charter being out of balance and that utilities do not have adequate authority to influence the underlying assumptions. Overall, Manager Dunn is concerned the study which is being conducted by the Pacific Northwest National Laboratory (PNNL) will not deliver on promises of a more holistic approach to energy planning and could end up being just another version of previous Lower Snake River dam breaching studies.

The Board briefly recessed, reconvening at 10:42 a.m.

#### **Engineering/Operations:**

- Spaw-Phillips Transmission completion Assistant General Manager/Senior Director Steve Hunter updated the Commission on the completion of the Spaw-Phillips transmission line.
- 2. Weekend Outage Assistant General Manager/Senior Director Steve Hunter discussed an outage that occurred over the prior weekend and brought in the damaged riser (conduit) that squirrels had chewed through from top to bottom.

#### Information Technology/Broadband:

 Fiber Telecom Update – Director Chris Folta gave an update on the recently completed backbone fiber-optic cable installation from Prior No. 1 to Prior No. 4 substations as well as provided a brief update on the Operational Technology Telecommunications Project informing the Commission that staff will be providing a comprehensive project update at a future Commission Meeting.

#### Finance/Executive Administration:

- 1. New Website Director Jon Meyer shared the new Benton PUD Website with the Commission.
- 2. Customer Rate Meetings Director Jon Meyer informed the Commission that the District is planning to hold Customer Rate meetings in the next month related to a proposed retail rate increase effective April 1, 2025. Dates and times of the meetings were discussed.

#### **Future Planning**

All Commissioners will be on travel for the Commission meeting on February 25<sup>th</sup>.

<u>Adjournment</u>	
Hearing no objection, President Hall adjourned the	meeting at 11:13 a.m.
	President
ATTEST:	riesident
Secretary	

## Periodic Travel Report - January 28, 2025

Date Start Bus	siness Days	Name	City	Purpose
1/13/2025	4	Duane Szendre	Monterrey, Mexico	CME FACTORY TOUR
1/13/2025	4	Sophia VanFosson	Monterrey, Mexico	CME FACTORY TOUR
1/13/2025	4	Tyson Brown	Monterrey, Mexico	CME FACTORY TOUR
1/27/2025	4	John Schafer	Portland, OR	NWPPA - ETF & PCB MANAGEMENT ADVANCED UTILITY TRAINING
3/11/2025	3	Roxie Weller	Lynnwood, WA	AWC HEALTHY WORKSITE CONFERENCE
5/13/2025	3	Brian Cramer	Kalispell, MT	UAA SYSTEM UTILITY VEGITATION MANAGERS SUMMIT



#### PAYMENT APPROVAL January 28, 2025

The vouchers presented on this Payment Approval Report for approval by the Board of Commissioners have been audited and certified by the auditing officer as required by RCW 42.24.080, and those expense reimbursement claims by officers and employees have been certified as required by RCW 42.24.090.

Type of Payment	Starting #		Ending #	Page #	Amount
Accounts Payable:					
Automated Clearing House (DD) Payments	106781	-	106818	1 - 5	
	106974	-	106995	5 - 8	
		-			\$ 1,473,914.34
Checks & Customer Refund Payments (CHK)	89492	-	89546	9 - 12	
		-			
					\$ 796,574.63
Electronic Fund Transfer (WIRE) Payments	7175	-	7184	13 - 14	
					\$ 718,108.62
Residential Conservation Rebates:					
Credits on Customer Accounts				15	\$ 1,800.00
Purchase Card Detail:					
Payroll:					
Direct Deposit - 1/16/2025	106819	-	106973		\$ 433,286.22
TOTAL					\$ 3,423,683.81
Void DD			·		\$ -
Void Checks	Jan	uary 20	125	9	\$ 256.10
Void Wires					\$ -

I, the undersigned Auditor of Public Utility District No. 1 of Benton County, do hereby certify under penalty of perjury that the materials have been furnished, the services rendered, or the labor performed as described, or that any advance payment is due and payable pursuant to a contract or is available as an option for full or partial fulfillment of a contractual obligation, and that the claims identified in this report are just, due and unpaid obligations against the District and that I am authorized to authenticate and certify to said claims.

	<u>Jon Meyer</u> Jon L. Meyer, Auditor	1/20/2025 Date
Reviewed by:	Approved by:	
Rick Dunn, General Manager	Jeffrey D. Hall, President	
	Lori Kays-Sanders, Vice-President	
	Michael D. Massey, Secretary	

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Check / Tran Date	Pmt Type	Vendor	Vendor Name	Reference		Amount
106781 1/8/25	DD	963	ANIXTER INC.	Fuse T-Type, Kearney #51003		169.03
				CURV 2 1/4 X 2 1/4 11/16H		239.14
				Reel Deposit credit Wesco PO 54847		-1,690.83
				COMPTUS TEMP SENSORS		1,282.66
					Total for Check/Tran - 106781:	0.00
106782 1/8/25	DD	10907	ATS INLAND NW, LLC	HVAC Software Updates		4,652.36
106783 1/8/25	DD	3828	BORDER STATES INDUSTRIES, INC.	Nut, 1/2 "- 13, Hex, Bronze, D		1,624.20
106784 1/8/25	DD	10837	CAMPBELL & COMPANY SERVICE CO	OR REEP		200.00
				REEP		200.00
				REEP		200.00
				REEP		200.00
				REEP		200.00
					Total for Check/Tran - 106784:	1,000.00
106785 1/8/25	DD	11103	CIVICPLUS, LLC	ArchiveSocial Economy		4,779.97
106786 1/8/25	DD	2680	CO-ENERGY	Fuel Svc		2,045.12
106787 1/8/25	DD	394	COLUMBIA ELECTRIC SUPPLY	Fuse Blk, 600V, Din Rail Mt		1,590.72
				#10 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, Blue		484.45
				#10 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, Brown		484.45
				#10 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, Green		242.23
				#10 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, Red		484.45
				#10 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, White		484.45
				#10 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, Yellow		121.11
				#12 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, Black		316.66
				#12 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, Green		316.66
				#12 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, Orange		316.66
				#14 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, Black		107.16
				#14 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, Green		107.16
				#14 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, Red		107.16
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			-	#14 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, White		107.16
				#16 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, Black		81.02
				#16 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, Red		81.05
				#16 Stranded THHN/ THWN-2, White		81.02
					Total for Check/Tran - 106787:	5,513.57
106788 1/8/25	DD	454	COLUMBIA/SNAKE RIVER IRRIGATOR	Membership Dues		2,200.00
106789 1/8/25	DD	57	CONSOLIDATED ELECTRICAL DISTRIE	3 ELBOW 90 3 IN PVC SCH 40 "Dura		1,180.92
106790 1/8/25	DD	10857	D&R INSULATION, LLC	REEP		3,844.00
				REEP		2,304.00
					Total for Check/Tran - 106790:	6,148.00
106791 1/8/25	DD	3029	DELTA HEATING & COOLING, INC.	REEP		800.00
106792 1/8/25	DD	2898	ELECTRICAL CONSULTANTS, INC.	Professional Svc		3,574.00
				Professional Svc		1,032.00
					Total for Check/Tran - 106792:	4,606.00
106793 1/8/25	DD	10826	ELECTROSWITCH, CORP.	CONTROL SWITCH, ELECTROSWITCH,		443.14
				CONTROL SWITCH, ELECTROSWITCH,		-35.47
					Total for Check/Tran - 106793:	407.67
106794 1/8/25	DD	10772	ENDEAVOR BUSINESS MEDIA, LLC	UAI Membership Dues 2025		8,390.00
106795 1/8/25	DD	10255	FOUNDATION FOR WATER & ENERGY	Membership Dues 2025		500.00
106796 1/8/25	DD	75	FRANKLIN PUD	Transformer		1,415.63
				Fiber Lease		-112.23
				Fiber Lease		1,402.23
				Fiber Lease		-95.70
				Fiber Lease		1,195.70
				Fiber Lease		-13.05
				Fiber Lease		163.05
					Total for Check/Tran - 106796:	3,955.63
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106797 1/8/25	DD	79	GENERAL PACIFIC, INC.	Crossarm,Comm Fiberglass Tangent	_	14,234.92
				Transformer, 37.5 kVA, single		47,838.87
				Transformer, 50 kVA, single ph		55,990.28
					Total for Check/Tran - 106797:	118,064.07
106798 1/8/25	DD	10051	TINA M GLINES	Tuition Reimbursement		6,101.45
106799 1/8/25	DD	990	INSIGHT PUBLIC SECTOR INC.	Software License/Maintenance		124,252.80
106800 1/8/25	DD	214	JACOBS & RHODES	REEP		200.00
				REEP		200.00
					Total for Check/Tran - 106800:	400.00
106801 1/8/25	DD	103	KENNEWICK, CITY OF	Monthly Billing		340.28
106802 1/8/25	DD	209	M&M BOLT CO., LLC	Washers, 1/2" Belleville,Domes		2,461.14
106803 1/8/25	DD	919	NOANET	Professional Svc		750.00
				Professional Svc		375.00
				Mac-Donald Miller		1,437.23
				West Richland Canal Outage		3,459.75
				Canal St Outage		5,364.25
				McNary Dam Rd Outage		4,152.86
					Total for Check/Tran - 106803:	15,539.09
106804 1/8/25	DD	11081	NORTHWEST ENERGY EFFICIENCY AL	Core Funding		11,927.41
106805 1/8/25	DD	123	PACIFIC NW UTILITIES CONFERENCE	Annual Membership Dues 2025		9,045.00
106806 1/8/25	DD	2176	PACIFIC OFFICE AUTOMATION, INC.	Monthly Billing		23.11
				Monthly Billing		263.35
					Total for Check/Tran - 106806:	286.46
106807 1/8/25	DD	10095	PASCO TIRE FACTORY, INC.	tires		1,181.70
				Tires		1,111.21
				Late fee		48.95

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	_			tires	_	4,979.93
					Total for Check/Tran - 106807:	7,321.79
106808 1/8/25	DD	10671	PRINCIPAL BANK	Biometric Screenings		7,145.00
106809 1/8/25	DD	136	PUBLIC POWER COUNCIL	Annual Dues 2025		70,498.00
106810 1/8/25	DD	11033	RINGCENTRAL, INC.	Software License/Support		984.31
				Software License/Support		2,807.54
				Subscriptions		4,669.77
					Total for Check/Tran - 106810:	8,461.62
106811 1/8/25	DD	10943	SEALX, LLC	Janitorial Svc		4,511.31
				Janitorial Svc		2,728.85
				Janitorial Svc		1,722.86
					Total for Check/Tran - 106811:	8,963.02
106812 1/8/25	DD	3696	SUMMIT LAW GROUP, PLLC	Professional Svc		237.00
106813 1/8/25	DD	158	TRIDEC	Association Dues		5,000.00
106814 1/8/25	DD	1163	TYNDALE ENTERPRISES, INC.	Clothing-Welch/Hardenbrook		242.18
				Clothing - Hoegh		860.80
					Total for Check/Tran - 106814:	1,102.98
106815 1/8/25	DD	3098	US BANK CORPORATE PAYMENT S	SYST Travel Card		1,382.68
				Executive		9,317.56
				Finance & Business Services		166.12
				Customer Service		1,145.73
				Contracts & Purchasing		345.53
				Engineering		1,675.29
				IT Infrastructure		10,009.35
				Operations - Line Department		687.86
				Operations		3,873.47
				Operations - Meter Shop		9,158.92

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			<del></del> -	Operations - Transformer Shop	_	864.90
				Operations - Support Svcs		1,313.74
				Operations - Maintenance		16,887.30
				Operations - (Support Svcs. Fleet)		13,853.98
				Operations - Warehouse		22,544.84
				Power Management		100.78
				Storm Card #3		524.86
				Storm Card #10		294.08
				Storm Card #2		1,069.37
					Total for Check/Tran - 106815:	95,216.36
106816 1/8/25	DD	10793	VAF INDUSTRIES, LLC	Ladder Clip, Stainless Steel		2,240.31
				Material		-179.31
					Total for Check/Tran - 106816:	2,061.00
106817 1/8/25	DD	11062	VESTIS SERVICES, LLC	Weekly Svc		35.76
				Weekly Svc		28.31
				Weekly Svc		26.39
				Weekly Svc		23.23
				Weekly Svc		18.39
					Total for Check/Tran - 106817:	132.08
106818 1/8/25	DD	1935	VIRGINIA TRANSFORMER CORP.	Freight Chrg PO 56585-see contract notes		-16.67
				Freight Chrg PO 56585-see contract notes		18,125.72
				Frght Charges PO 56585-see contract note		18,125.72
				Frght Charges PO 56585-see contract note		-16.67
					Total for Check/Tran - 106818:	36,218.10
106974 1/15/25	DD	2872	A W REHN & ASSOC	Specific Rights Letters		150.00
106975 1/15/25	DD	246	BONNEVILLE POWER ADMIN	Purchased Power		5.90
106976 1/15/25	DD	57	CONSOLIDATED ELECTRICAL DIST	RIB Cap, end, PVC, 3"		852.21
106977 1/15/25	DD	3439	DJ'S ELECTRICAL, INC.	Cable Replacement		104,198.46
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				Cable Replacement	<del>-</del>	48,955.98
				Joint Use/NESC		74,272.55
				Joint Use/NESC		38,776.83
				Patterson Rock Holes		3,093.68
					Total for Check/Tran - 106977:	269,297.50
106978 1/15/25	DD	11023	ELLERD, HULTGRENN & DAHLHAUSE	Professional Svc		3,070.00
106979 1/15/25	DD	10982	FEDERAL ENGINEERING, INC.	Professional Svc		10,178.00
106980 1/15/25	DD	11116	FRONTLINE MEDICAL, PLLC	Employee CDL/DOT Physical		110.00
106981 1/15/25	DD	3773	GENUINE CABLE GROUP	MacLean Strandlink 5/16 cat 5041		3,741.45
106982 1/15/25	DD	724	HERITAGE PROFESSIONAL LANDSCAF	Landscaping Svc		1,771.11
				Landscaping Svc		274.54
				Landscaping Svc		305.92
				Landscaping Svc		373.06
				Landscaping Svc		1,130.33
				Landscaping Svc		331.40
				Landscaping Svc		973.22
				Landscaping Svc		411.50
					Total for Check/Tran - 106982:	5,571.08
106983 1/15/25	DD	3018	HRA VEBA TRUST	ER VEBA CDHP		1,250.00
106984 1/15/25	DD	103	KENNEWICK, CITY OF	Occupation Tax		528,032.09
106985 1/15/25	DD	919	NOANET	CRAN 21		3,516.41
				Zayo Stevens Dr		2,970.39
				George Washington Way		2,183.84
				Plymouth Scalehouse Outage		1,824.44
				Reata Rd Outage		6,158.93
				W Canal Outage		1,878.13
					Total for Check/Tran - 106985:	18,532.14
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106986 1/15/25	DD	10769	ONEBRIDGE BENEFITS INC.	Flex Spending Dependent Care	_	185.19
				Flex Spending Health Care		2,820.40
					Total for Check/Tran - 106986:	3,005.59
106987 1/15/25	DD	10770	ONEBRIDGE BENEFITS INC. (ADMIN)	Administrative Fees		114.00
106988 1/15/25	DD	2176	PACIFIC OFFICE AUTOMATION, INC.	Monthly Billing		38.12
				Monthly Billing		8.39
				Monthly Billing		239.14
				Monthly Billing		105.03
					Total for Check/Tran - 106988:	390.68
106989 1/15/25	DD	1241	PARAMOUNT COMMUNICATIONS, INC	C. Capacity Upgrade 5th - 7th		86.96
				20 - Off-the-Dock Labor		3,761.32
					Total for Check/Tran - 106989:	3,848.28
106990 1/15/25	DD	10718	PUBLIC UTILITY DIST PEND ORIELLE	CWPU Expenses		1,509.65
106991 1/15/25	DD	10569	RPS ADVISORS	REC Purchases		28,358.00
106992 1/15/25	DD	2154	SENSUS USA, INC.	Alert Mgr/Flexnt Monitoring/AEM Svc		5,767.57
				Alert Mgr/Flexnt Monitoring/AEM Svc		659.94
				Alert Mgr/Flexnt Monitoring/AEM Svc		8,534.02
					Total for Check/Tran - 106992:	14,961.53
106993 1/15/25	DD	1163	TYNDALE ENTERPRISES, INC.	Reiss/Henning		840.44
				Clothing-Reiss/King		703.30
				Clothing-Anderson/Michel		293.60
					Total for Check/Tran - 106993:	1,837.34
106994 1/15/25	DD	1048	UNITED WAY OF BENTON & FRANKLI	EE United Way Contribution		388.73
106995 1/15/25	DD	11062	VESTIS SERVICES, LLC	Weekly Svc		35.76
				Weekly Svc		28.31
				Weekly Svc		26.39
				Weekly Svc		23.23
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Amount	Reference	Vendor Name	Type Vendor	Tran Date
18.39	Weekly Svc			
Total for Check/Tran - 106995: 132.08				

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88870 9/25/24	СНК	99999	JOSE ARROYO	Credit Balance Refund	_	51.12 VOI
89025 10/16/24	СНК	99999	YUSRA AZIZ	Credit Balance Refund		48.98 VO
89074 10/23/24	СНК	99999	LETICIA MADRIGAL	Credit Balance Refund		156.00 VO
89492 1/8/25	СНК	3500	ALL ASSURED ELECTRIC INC	REEP		9,000.00
89493 1/8/25	СНК	39	BENTON COUNTY	Easements Recording Fees 647820 - 1		305.50
				Easements Recording Fees 647820 - 2		305.50
				Easements Recording Fees 647820 - 3		306.50
				Easements Recording Fees 713827		306.50
				Easements Recording Fees 722244-1		306.50
				Easements Recording Fees 722244-2		305.50
				Easements Recording Fees 724512		308.50
					Total for Check/Tran - 89493:	2,144.50
89494 1/8/25	СНК	259	BENTON FRANKLIN COMMUNITY AC	Γ Helping Hands		1,757.10
89495 1/8/25	СНК	37	BENTON PUD - REVOLVING FUND-OP	E Meal Reimbursement - Cardinas 277589		25.54
				Meal Reimbursement - Decker 277589		14.85
				Meal Reimbursement - Cardinas 277845		22.05
				Meal Reimbursement - Koerperick 278278		14.12
				Meal Reimbursement - Welch 277845		16.87
					Total for Check/Tran - 89495:	93.43
89496 1/8/25	CHK	54	BNSF RAILWAY COMPANY	Lease - Vista, WA		250.00
89497 1/8/25	СНК	3344	BOYD'S TREE SERVICE, LLC	Tree Trimming Svc		8,898.46
				Tree Trimming Svc		6,616.94
					Total for Check/Tran - 89497:	15,515.40
89498 1/8/25	СНК	10169	FALCON SOFTWARE COMPANY, INC.	Website Redesign Implementation Project		187.50
				Software Support/Maintenance		15,675.00
				Website Redesign Implementation Project		1,500.00
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89499 1/8/25	СНК	3478	FP MAILING SOLUTIONS	Postage Meter Deposit - 1		500.00
89500 1/8/25	СНК	233	INTERMOUNTAIN WEST INSULATION	REEP		434.72
89501 1/8/25	СНК	118	NORTHWEST PUBLIC POWER ASSOCIA	Membership Dues 2025		33,850.00
89502 1/8/25	СНК	962	PACIFIC POWER	Monthly Billing		483.26
89503 1/8/25	СНК	386	PROSSER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	Membership Dues 2025		3,000.00
89504 1/8/25	СНК	379	PURMS JOINT SELF INSURANCE FUND	Liability General Asssessment		43,259.03
89505 1/8/25	СНК	193	UNITED PARCEL SERVICE OF AMERIC	Mailing Svc		35.76
				Mailing Svc		38.86
					Total for Check/Tran - 89505:	74.62
89506 1/8/25	СНК	170	WASH STATE DEPT LABOR & INDUST	4th Qtr Ending		61,268.89
89507 1/8/25	СНК	10990	WASH STATE EMPLOYMENT SECURIT	4th Qtr Ending		9,044.87
89508 1/8/25	СНК	174	WASH STATE EMPLOYMENT SECURIT	4th Qtr Ending		12,846.83
89509 1/8/25	СНК	99999	YUSRA AZIZ	Credit Balance Refund		48.98
89510 1/8/25	СНК	99999	JENIFER N BATTS	Credit Balance Refund		91.91
89511 1/8/25	СНК	99999	CASCADE NATURAL GAS	District Claim 2024-24-49-L		894.72
89512 1/8/25	СНК	99999	GERALD A FUNNELL	Credit Balance Refund		38.22
89513 1/8/25	СНК	99999	NATALI GARCIA	Credit Balance Refund		828.89
89514 1/8/25	СНК	99999	CHARLES GIER	Credit Balance Refund		45.82
89515 1/8/25	СНК	99999	GLOBAL CONCEPTS CONSTRUCTION I	Credit Balance Refund		12.48
89516 1/8/25	СНК	99999	DAVE GUTIERREZ	Credit Balance Refund		380.00
89517 1/8/25	СНК	99999	EARLENE E JOHNSTON	Credit Balance Refund		173.24

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89518 1/8/25	CHK	99999	CARMEN KNIGHT	Credit Balance Refund		24.70
89519 1/8/25	СНК	99999	CASSIE A LOUK	Credit Balance Refund		171.30
89520 1/8/25	СНК	99999	LETICIA MADRIGAL	Credit Balance Refund		156.00
89521 1/8/25	СНК	99999	JERRY MALLOY	Credit Balance Refund		58.59
89522 1/8/25	СНК	99999	HECTOR J MENDOZA	Credit Balance Refund		29.57
89523 1/8/25	СНК	99999	FRANCISCO NAVA	Credit Balance Refund		193.30
89524 1/8/25	СНК	99999	DOMINGA PENA	Credit Balance Refund		124.57
89525 1/8/25	СНК	99999	MAREIVA M ROMERO	Credit Balance Refund		364.01
89526 1/8/25	СНК	99999	ROSA M SANCHEZ GUEVARA	Credit Balance Refund		82.70
89527 1/8/25	СНК	99999	CYNTHIA SHERMAN	Credit Balance Refund		456.53
89528 1/8/25	СНК	99999	SPARK MARKETING LLC	Credit Balance Refund		44.10
89529 1/8/25	СНК	99999	MILES I STAUFFER	Credit Balance Refund		26.92
89530 1/8/25	СНК	99999	ARASELE URUETA	Credit Balance Refund		91.89
89531 1/8/25	СНК	99999	JERAMI WILSON	Credit Balance Refund		95.91
89532 1/15/25	СНК	1372	ASSOCIATION OF WASHINGTON C	ITIE Membership Dues 2025		500.00
89533 1/15/25	СНК	39	BENTON COUNTY	County GIS Prints		66.00
89534 1/15/25	CHK	3344	BOYD'S TREE SERVICE, LLC	Tree Trimming Svc		5,647.08
				Tree Trimming Svc		4,962.70
					Total for Check/Tran - 89534:	10,609.78
89535 1/15/25	СНК	32	CITY OF BENTON CITY	Occupation Tax		15,951.84
89536 1/15/25	CHK	243	FEDERAL EXPRESS CORP	Mailing Svc		29.06

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89537 1/15/25	CHK	3530	HEALTH ENHANCEMENT SYSTEMS, II	N Walktober		3,517.47
89538 1/15/25	СНК	11131	HILLMAR GROUP, LLC	Commercial Energy Efficiency Prg		4,720.00
89539 1/15/25	СНК	10671	PRINCIPAL BANK	Investment Safekeeping/Custody Services		1,000.00
89540 1/15/25	CHK	135	PROSSER, CITY OF	Monthly Billing		12.50
				Monthly Billing		1,066.79
				Monthly Billing		1.34
				Occupation Tax		43,699.49
					Total for Check/Tran - 89540:	44,780.12
89541 1/15/25	CHK	379	PURMS JOINT SELF INSURANCE FUNI	O Property General Assessment		9,200.22
				EIM Liability/AESIS Cyber/Liability		484,018.90
					Total for Check/Tran - 89541:	493,219.12
89542 1/15/25	СНК	141	RICHLAND, CITY OF	Occupation Tax		233.61
89543 1/15/25	СНК	677	VISIT TRI CITIES	Membership Dues		5,000.00
89544 1/15/25	СНК	172	WASH STATE DEPT TRANSPORTATIO	N Utility permit		139.84
89545 1/15/25	СНК	99999	TIFFANY GARRIDO BUSTAD	Credit Balance Refund		191.39
89546 1/15/25	СНК	99999	ZIPLY FIBER	District Claim		1,296.90

Total Payments for Bank Account - 2: (55) 796,574.63 Total Voids for Bank Account - 2: (3) 256.10

**Total for Bank Account - 2:** (58) 796,830.73

Grand Total for Payments: (115) 2,270,488.97 Grand Total for Voids: (3) 256.10

**Grand Total:** (118) 2,270,745.07

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7175 1/2/25	WIRE	169	ENERGY NORTHWEST	Purchased Power	_	138,750.88
7178 1/6/25	WIRE	10084	CITI MERCHANT SERVICES	Merchant Fees		34,028.80
7179 1/15/25	WIRE	436	BANK OF AMERICA	Banking Fees		1,861.26
7180 1/16/25	WIRE	2205	UNITED STATES TREASURY	Federal Income Tax		70,234.65
				Medicare - Employee		9,900.06
				Medicare - Employer		9,900.06
				Social Security - Employee		42,331.22
				Social Security - Employer		42,331.22
					Total for Check/Tran - 7180:	174,697.21
7181 1/16/25	WIRE	171	WASH STATE DEPT RETIREMENT SYS	ER PERS		62,842.18
				PERS Plan 2		40,806.52
				PERS Plan 3A 5% All Ages		1,283.37
				PERS Plan 3B 6% Age 35-45		306.82
				PERS Plan 3E 10% All Ages		1,405.74
				PERS Plan 3F 15% All Ages		504.68
					Total for Check/Tran - 7181:	107,149.31
7182 1/17/25	WIRE	1567	ICMA RETIREMENT CORP	457(b) Leave EE Contribution		1,140.43
				457(b) Roth EE Contribution		16,184.23
				ER Def Comp 401		20,629.79
				ER Def Comp 457		2,989.08
				Plan A 457(b) Employee Contribution		5,712.91
				Plan B 457(b) Employee Contribution		26,671.52
				Plan C 401(a) Option 1 EE Contribution		3,525.76
				Plan C 401(a) Option 2 EE Contribution		1,903.89
				Plan C 401(a) Option 3 EE Contribution		572.39
				Plan C 401(a) Option 4, Step 2 EE Contri		1,504.14
				Plan C 401(a) Option 4, Step 3 EE Contri		1,497.85
				Plan C 401(a) Option 4, Step 4 EE Contri		1,673.08

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Check / Tran Date	Pmt Type	Vendor	Vendor Name	Reference		Amount
				Plan C 401(a) Option 5, Step 4 EE Contri		1,294.05
				Plan C 457(b) Employee Contribution		6,655.15
				457 EE Loan Repayment #1		3,709.79
				457 EE Loan Repayment #2		69.67
				457 EE Loan Repayment #3		57.03
					Total for Check/Tran - 7182:	95,790.76
7183 1/17/2	25 WIRE	169	ENERGY NORTHWEST	Purchased Power		143,521.40
7184 1/17/2	25 WIRE	2902	WHITE CREEK WIND I, LLC	Purchased Power		22,309.00

**Total Payments for Bank Account - 1:** (8) 718,108.62 **Total Voids for Bank Account - 1:** (0) 0.00 Total for Bank Account - 1: (8) 718,108.62 (8) 718,108.62 **Grand Total for Payments: Grand Total for Voids:** (0) 0.00 718,108.62 **Grand Total:** (8)



### **BENTON PUD - RESIDENTIAL CONSERVATION REBATE DETAIL**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Customer</u>	Reb	ate Amount	Rebate Description
01/07/2025	DARRELL HERLING	\$	900.00	Rebate - Heat Pump Water Heater
01/07/2025	RANDY R AMES	\$	900.00	Rebate - Heat Pump Water Heater

\$ 1,800.00



### **COMMISSION AGENDA ACTION FORM**

Meeting Date:	January 28, 2025				
Subject:	Designation of F	Representatives to Various Org	ganizations for 2025		
Authored by:	Nykki Drake		Staff Preparing Item		
Presenter:	Nykki Drake		Staff Presenting Item (if applicable or N/A)		
Approved by:	Rick Dunn		Dept. Director/Manager		
Approved for Commission:	Rick Dunn July		General Manager/Asst GM		
Type of Agenda	Item:	Type of Action Needed: (Multiple boxes can be checked, if necessary)			
		□ Pass Motion	$\square$ Decision / Direction		
☐ Business Agenda		☐ Pass Resolution	☐ Info Only		
☐ Public Hearing		☐ Contract/Change Ord	der		
☐ Other Business		☐ Sign Letter / Docume	ent		

#### **Motion for Commission Consideration:**

Motion approving the amended Designation of Representatives to Various Organizations for 2025, changing various organizational representatives as presented today.

#### **Background/Summary**

The approval of the representatives to the various organizations in which the District is involved allows District staff to represent the District on matters and issues that affect the District and the community.

Designations can be amended at any time throughout the year by motion of the Commission.

#### **Recommendation**

Approve the amended Designation of Representatives to Various Organizations for 2025.

#### **Fiscal Impact**

N/A

#### PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 1 OF BENTON COUNTY

# DESIGNATION OF REPRESENTATIVES TO VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS FOR 2025

#### Effective January 28, 2025

#### I. <u>District Commissioners and Employees acting as District Representatives:</u>

#### AMERICAN PUBLIC POWER ASSOCIATION

Representative: Lori Sanders Alternate: Jeff Hall

#### AMERICAN PUBLIC POWER ASSOCIATION LEGISLATIVE & RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

Representative: Lori Sanders

Alternates: Jeff Hall/Jodi Henderson

#### **CENTRAL WASHINGTON PUBLIC UTILITIES (CWPU)**

Representative: Rick Dunn
Alternate: Steve Hunter

#### **ENERGY NORTHWEST FULL BOARD**

Representative: Mike Massey Alternate: Lori Sanders

#### **ENERGY NORTHWEST NINE CANYON WIND PROJECT PURCHASER'S COMMITTEE**

Representative: Chris Johnson Alternate: Blake Scherer

#### **ENERGY NORTHWEST PACKWOOD PURCHASER'S COMMITTEE**

Representative: Chris Johnson Alternate: Blake Scherer

#### ENERGY NORTHWEST PARTICIPANTS REVIEW BOARD 2020 (casting of votes1)

Representative: Lori Sanders Alternate: Jeff Hall

#### NORTHWEST OPEN ACCESS NETWORK

Representative: Jeff Hall Alternate: Rick Dunn

#### NORTHWEST PUBLIC POWER ASSOCIATION, INC.

Representative: Lori Sanders Alternates: Mike Massey

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> for the purpose of casting votes for the 2025 Participants Review Board Elections

#### NORTHWEST RIVERPARTNERS

Board Member: Rick Dunn
Alternates: Jodi Henderson

#### PACIFIC NORTHWEST UTILITIES CONFERENCE COMMITTEE (PNUCC)

Board Member: Rick Dunn Alternate: Jeff Hall

#### PACIFIC NORTHWEST WATERWAYS ASSOCIATION

Representative: Jodi Henderson

#### PROSSER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Representative: Jodi Henderson

Alternate: Jeff Hall/Annette Cobb

#### PROSSER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

Representative: Jenny Sparks Alternate: Jeff Hall

#### **PUBLIC POWER COUNCIL (PPC)**

Board Member: Rick Dunn

#### PUBLIC UTILITY RISK MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Representative: Lori Sanders

Alternate: Keith Mercer/Katie Grandgeorge

#### TRI-CITY REGIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Representative: Jon Meyer Alternate: Lori Sanders

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Representative: Rick Dunn (for the purpose of casting votes)

#### **VISIT TRI-CITIES**

Representative: Jodi Henderson

#### WASHINGTON PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICTS ASSOCIATION – BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Representative: Jeff Hall
Alternate: Lori Sanders

#### WASHINGTON PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT ASSOCIATION – ENERGY COMMITTEE

Representative: Jeff Hall
Alternate: Lori Sanders

#### WASHINGTON PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT ASSOCIATION – TELECOM COMMITTEE

Representative: Jeff Hall
Alternate: Lori Sanders

# WASHINGTON PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT ASSOCIATION – GOV'T RELATIONS & COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

Representative: Jodi Henderson Alternate: Jon Meyer

#### WESTERN ELECTRICITY COORDINATING COUNCIL

Representative: Steve Hunter Alternate: Evan Edwards

#### WHITE CREEK, LLC. / WHITE CREEK PUBLIC, LLC.

Representative: Chris Johnson Alternate: Blake Scherer

# II. <u>District Commissioners and Employees acting in their capacity as board members or holding other positions on behalf of the following organizations:</u>

#### AMERICAN PUBLIC POWER ASSOCIATION POLICY MAKERS COUNCIL

Board Member: Jeff Hall

#### CENTRAL WASHINGTON PUBLIC UTILITIES – UNIFIED INSURANCE PROGRAM

Trustee: Karen Dunlap Alternate Trustee: Jody George

#### **COLUMBIA BASIN COLLEGE, Computer Science/Cyber Security Advisory Committee**

Board Member: Duane Crum

#### NORTHWEST ENERGY EFFICIENCY ALLIANCE

Board Member: Chris Johnson

#### **NORTHWEST OPEN ACCESS NETWORK BOARD**

Board Member: Chris Folta

#### NORTHWEST RIVERPARTNERS

Board Member: Rick Dunn

#### PROSSER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Board Member: Jodi Henderson

#### PROSSER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

Board Member: Jenny Sparks

#### PUBLIC POWER COUNCIL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Board Member: Rick Dunn

Alternate: Victor Fuentes (Franklin PUD)

#### TRI-CITY REGIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Board Member: Jon Meyer

# WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY POWER SYSTEMS ENGINEERING PROGRAM ADVISORY BOARD

Representative: Evan Edwards



### **COMMISSION AGENDA ACTION FORM**

Meeting Date:	January 28, 2025				
Subject:	Contract #23-45	i-29 – Perfection Glass – CO #:	1		
Authored by:	Terry Mapes		Staff Preparin	ng Item	
Presenter:	Chris Johnson		Staff Presenti	ng Item (if applicable or N/A)	
Approved by:	Chris Johnson		Dept. Directo	r/Manager	
Approved for Commission:	Rick Dunn	de per	General Manager		
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#### **Motion for Commission Consideration:**

Motion to authorize the General Manager on behalf of the District to sign Change Order #1 of Contract #23-45-29 with Perfection Glass, to increase the not-to-exceed amount by \$100,000.00; bringing the new not-to-exceed amount to \$200,000.00.

#### **Background/Summary**

Perfection Glass (Perfection) has participated in the District's Residential Energy Efficiency Program (REEP) since 2009. On October 1, 2023, the District entered Contract #23-45-29 with Perfection having a NTE amount of \$100,000.00. The existing contract does not expire until September 30, 2025, and adding an additional \$100,000.00 to the contract will allow them to continue participating in the District's residential conservation program. The District's customers benefit, and the energy savings acquired will count towards the District's Energy Independence Act (EIA) compliance.

#### **Recommendation**

Recommend signing Change Order #1 to Contract #23-45-29 associated with Purchase Order #56611, Perfection Glass, to increase the not-to-exceed (NTE) amount by \$100,000.00, bringing the NTE amount to \$200,000.00.

#### **Fiscal Impact**

The 2024-2025 budget for residential standard and low-income conservation expense is \$1,950,000.00 and includes this residential energy efficiency expense.



# **CONTRACT CHANGE ORDER**

Contract #:

Change Order #:	
Vendor Name:	
Effective Date:	
Contract Work Manager:	
Contract Title:	
Change Order Description:	
	Change Order Total:
	Original Contract Total:
	New Contract Total:
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### **COMMISSION AGENDA ACTION FORM**

Meeting Date:	January 28, 2025				
Subject:	Conservation Re	ebate Report for 4 <sup>th</sup> quarter 20	024		
Authored by:	Terry Mapes		Staff Preparing Item		
Presenter:	Chris Johnson		Staff Presenting Item (if applicable or N/A)		
Approved by:	Chris Johnson		Dept. Director/Manager		
Approved for Commission:	Rick Dunn		General Manager		
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#### **Motion for Commission Consideration:**

None.

#### **Background/Summary**

Per Resolution No. 2048, staff prepares on a quarterly basis, a report detailing conservation program rebates paid that exceed \$50,000.

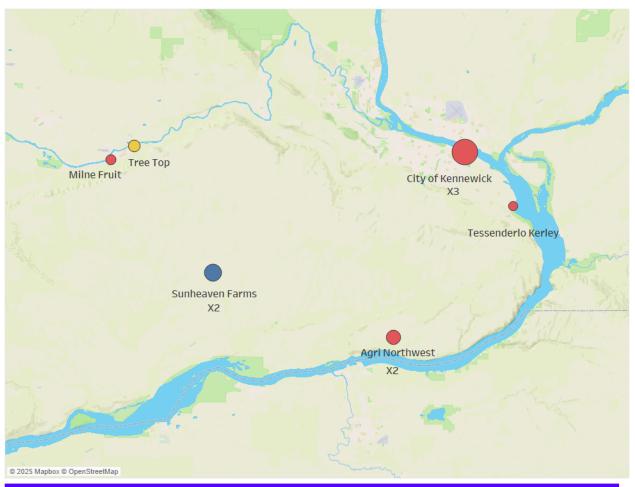
During the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2024 there was one conservation rebate paid over \$50,000. Tree Top, Inc. received a check for the expansion of their concentration plant facility in the amount of \$103,551. The map below shows over \$900,000 in future large conservation projects the District is working on.

#### **Recommendation**

Informational only.

#### **Fiscal Impact**

Conservation customer rebates qualify for BPA reimbursement and were included in the 2024 budget.



2024-25 Past Projects				
Customer	Completion	Sector	Project Name	
Sunheaven Farms	2025	Agricultural	Irrigation Hardware	\$50,715

2024 Quarter Four Projects					
Customer	Completion	Sector	Project Name		
Tree Top	2024	Industrial	Concentration Plant Expansion	\$103,551	
Grand Total	Frand Total \$103,551				

Future Projects				
Customer	Completion	Sector	Project Name	
Agri Northwest	2025	Industrial	NC Potato Shed VFDs J24-010	\$75,880
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City of Kennewick	2025	Industrial	Non-Potable Water Reuse	\$70,000
	2026	Industrial	Aeration Improvements	\$266,000
			Solids Facilities	\$150,000
Milne Fruit	2024	Industrial	Refrigeration Upgrades	\$77,000
Sunheaven Farms	2025	Agricultural	Munn Fan VFDs	\$166,100
Tessenderlo Kerley	2025	Industrial	Cooling Tower VFDs	\$64,050
Grand Total				\$944,910



### **COMMISSION AGENDA ACTION FORM**

Meeting Date:	January 28, 2025				
Subject:	Cancellation of	February 25, 2025 Regular Cor	mmission Meeting		
Authored by:	Nykki Drake		Staff Preparing Item		
Presenter:	Nykki Drake		Staff Presenting Item (if applicable or N/A)		
Approved by:	Rick Dunn		General Manager		
Approved for Commission:	Rick Dunn		General Manager		
Type of Agenda	Item:	Type of Action Needed: (Multiple boxes can be checked, if necessary)			
☐ Consent Agenda		□ Pass Motion	☐ Decision / Direction		
□ Business Agenda		☐ Pass Resolution	☐ Info Only		
☐ Public Hearing		☐ Contract/Change Ord	der		
☐ Other Bus	iness	☐ Sign Letter / Docume	ent   Presentation Included		

#### **Motion for Commission Consideration:**

Motion cancelling the District's regular Commission meeting scheduled for 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 25, 2025 and directing the General Manager to provide notification to the public of such cancellation.

#### **Background/Summary**

Both Commissioner Hall and Commissioner Sanders will be attending the WPUDA/APPA Legislative Rally in Washington D.C. during the week of February 24, 2025 and will not be physically present for the regularly scheduled meeting on February 25, 2025. The Clerk of the Board has confirmed there are no agenda items that need to come before the Commission on February 25, 2025 and virtual attendance by the Commission members is not required.

Benton PUD's regular Commission meetings are scheduled every second and fourth Tuesday of the month. Cancellation of a regular Commission meeting requires notification to the public. In the event action is required prior to the next regularly scheduled Commission meeting on March 11, 2025, a special meeting of the Commission can be called by the President of the Commission.

#### **Recommendation**

Approve the motion cancelling the District's regular Commission meeting scheduled for 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 25, 2025. The next regularly scheduled Commission meeting will be March 11, 2025.

#### **Fiscal Impact**

N/A