

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

828 Seventh Street, Eureka, CA 95501

Regular and Closed Session Meetings of Thursday, September 10, 2026

PURPOSE	<i>Humboldt Bay Municipal Water District safeguards and sustainably delivers clean and reliable water to our community while protecting our natural resources and providing a resilient water supply for present and future generations.</i>
VISION	<i>An innovative and future-ready water system that equitably and reliably delivers water while enhancing environmental stewardship and community well-being.</i>

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AGENDA

REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING

Thursday, September 10, 2026 • 1:00 p.m. • 828 7th Street, Eureka, CA 95501

1. CALL TO ORDER

1. Roll Call
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Accept Agenda

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

Members of the public are invited to address the Board on items not listed on the agenda that are within the scope and jurisdiction of the District. The public may also request that an item on the Consent Calendar be pulled and discussed separately. At the discretion of the President, comments may be limited to three minutes per person. Under the Brown Act, the Board may not take action on any item that does not appear on the agenda and is limited to a brief response, clarifying questions, or referral to staff. Public comment on action items will be received before or during the Board's consideration of the item.

3. CONSENT CALENDAR

These matters are routine in nature and are usually approved by a single combined motion unless an item is pulled for discussion.

1. Approve the Draft Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of August 13, 2026
2. Approval of Amendment No. 2 to Agreement No. 25-0772 with GFT Infrastructure, Inc. for the R.W. Matthews Dam FERC Part 12D Comprehensive Assessment
3. Approve Additional Reallocation of FY26 Project Funds
4. Authorization for the General Manager to Execute Contracts, in a Combined Amount Not to Exceed \$220,000, for Crane, Underwater Divers, Specialty Structural Repair, and Environmental Consulting Services to Complete Repairs at Ranney Collector Well No. 5.
5. Informational Memo - Ruth Lake Summer Festival – Gift Basket Donation and Appreciation
6. Informational Memo - Samoa Peninsula Waterline Right-of-Way Maintenance Project – Draft Environmental Impact Report Public Review
7. Discuss and Consider Approval of SB 827 Required Fiscal & Financial Training – October 27, 2026

4. PRESENTATIONS

4.1 Baduwa't Watershed Resilience Initiative

5. DISCUSSION AND ACTION

1. Discuss and Consider Approval of Adoption of Resolution 2026-09 – Recognizing and Honoring the Career and Service of Dale. H. Davidsen

2. Discuss and Consider Approval of Adoption of Board Policy 3510 (Workplace Illness and Injury Prevention Program) and Board Policy 3525 (Workplace Violence Prevention Policy)
3. Discuss and Approve the August Financial Statement & Vendor Detail Report
4. Discuss and Consider Approval of Opposition to Proposed Rescission of the 2001 Roadless Area Conservation Rule
5. Informational Memo - Award of North Coast Resource Partnership Technical Assistance Grant, Baduwa't Watershed Resilience Initiative
6. Discuss and consider Approval of resolution 2026-11 – Authorizing a Funding Agreement with the California Department of Fish and Wildlife for the Oil Spill Response Equipment Staging Project, Trinity County
7. Discuss and Consider Approval of Items Pulled from Consent Calendar

6. REPORTS

1. Staff Reports
 - a. Operations & Maintenance Report
 - b. Management Report
2. Active Ad-Hoc Committee Reports
3. Director Reports — General Director Comments
 - a. Vice-President Woo
 - b. Director Stevens
 - c. Director Rupp
 - d. President Fuller
4. Organizations on which HBMWD Serves
 - a. Association of CA Water Agencies (ACWA)
 - b. Association of CA Water Agencies/Joint Powers Insurance Authority (ACWA-JPIA)

7. DISCUSSION OF FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

1. Information Management System
2. Artificial Intelligence Policy

8. ADJOURNMENT

The next Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 8, 2026.