

LINCOLN RURAL COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
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FEBRUARY 2026 MEETING MINUTES

PRESIDENT: BRENT LESOVSKY
VICE PRESIDENT: PEGGY BERNIER
DIRECTORS: GARY GRAFIUS
SCOTT GRAFIUS
BOB BENTZ
CAO / Clerk: MATT DUAIME

President Lesovsky called the regular February 17, 2026, meeting of the Board of Directors of the Lincoln Rural County Fire Protection District to order at 4:01 PM.

LOCATION: MEETING PLACE:
STOCKTON FIRE DEPARTMENT STATION #14
3019 McNABB STREET, STOCKTON, CA 95209

ROLL CALL:

Present: Brent Lesovsky, Peggy Bernier, Bob Bentz, Scott Grafius, and CAO / Board Clerk Matt Duaime

Absent: Gary Grafius

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA:

- Motion was made by Director Scott Grafius and seconded by Director Bob Bentz to adopt the agenda.

Approval: Unanimous

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

- Approval of minutes of January 19, 2026.
- Action: Adopt Meeting Minutes
 - Motion was made by Vice President Peggy Bernier and seconded by Director Scott Grafius to adopt the meeting minutes.

Approval: Unanimous

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PUBLIC COMMENTS / REQUESTS:

- None.

STOCKTON FIRE DEPARTMENT PRESENTATION AND COMMENTS:

- Fire Chief Carr's staff was in attendance.
- May 1, 2026 is the Cen Cal kick off date.

FINANCIAL REPORT:

- Financial Statements:
 - Review of January 2026 Financials
 - Review of Lincoln January Revenue and Expense Summary Report
 - Review of February 2026 Warrant Request
 - Clerk Invoice
 - Additional Expenses

Disbursements – Fund 48801 / 48881

- The warrant list was signed by all Directors.
- The disbursement total for Fund 48801 is \$170,924.24
- The disbursement total for Fund 48881 is \$0.00
- Action:
 - The motion was made by Vice President Peggy Bernier and seconded by Director Scott Grafius motion to disperse financials as presented.
 - Approval: Unanimous

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- Fire Chief Proposal Paying for 4th Person Truck 7 – Final Discussion
 - Action
 - The motion was made by Vice President Peggy Bernier and seconded by Director Bob Bentz to add an additional person to Truck 7 4th person.
 - Approval: Unanimous
- Fire Chief Proposal ECD Remodel – \$20,000 One Time Contribution
 - Action:
 - The motion was made by Director Scott Grafius and seconded by Vice President Peggy Bernier and Director Bob Bentz motion to contribute \$20,000 for ECD Removal.
 - Approval: Unanimous

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS (Continued)

- LAFCO MSR – Ongoing
- COS – LeBaron Ranch Annexation – Pending
- Reserves Guidance Minimum Limit and Additional Service
- District By-Law AD HOC B. Lesovsky / S. Grafius – Draft Review
- Director Attire – Purchase

NEW BUSINESS:

- 2024/25 Audit Findings – Discussion and Adoption
 - Action:
 - The motion was made to adopt CPA Report at presented by Director Scott Grafius and seconded by Vice President Peggy Bernier.
 - Approval: Unanimous
- Attending CSDA Conference
- Ordering the Sample Policy Manual - Done
- Directors Attending FDAC Conference – Bob Bentz approved to Attend

COMMUNICATIONS:

- None

LAFCO REPORT:

- No Report Given

CAO / CLERK DUAIME:

- Community Development Department – No Report

DIRECTORS COMMENTS:

- None

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:

- None

NEXT MEETING: March 16, 2026 Monday @ 4 PM.

Meeting Adjourned at 17:16 PM

Matt Duaime, Clerk of the Board
Lincoln Rural County Fire Protection District

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