
MEETING MINUTES

BARNES LAKE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

January 14, 2026



- CONVENE:** 6:00 p.m.
- PRESENT:** Chair Linnea Madison, Vice-Chair Tom Sparks, Committee members Kathy Peterson, Sharie McCafferty, Carissa Parvin, Rusty Weaver, Dana Day, Lalani Shelton, and Scott Conrade (Contractor)
- Staff: Water Resources Manager Patrick Soderberg, Water Resources Specialist Dave Kangiser
- APPROVAL OF 10-8-2025 MINUTES** **Member Weaver moved, seconded by Member Peterson to approve the meeting minutes as amended. A voice vote approved the motion unanimously.**
- PUBLIC COMMENT** There were no comments from the public.
- MEMBER COMMENT:** Members commented that the lake filled up fast due to the rainy December.
- AQUATECHNEX LAKE MANAGEMENT REPORT:** Contractor Conrade provided a summary of the Aquatechnex Annual Report. The annual report will be available on the Barnes Lake Management District webpage.
- 2025 WORK PLAN REVIEW:** Specialist Kangiser reviewed the 2026 Work Plan. Administrative items originally scheduled for the September meeting will be moved to the November meeting to accommodate the September walkabout meeting format.
- 2025 BUDGET REVIEW:** The budget was not updated for 2026 and not available for discussion.

**NEWSLETTER
ARTICLE
ASSIGNMENTS:**

BLMD Newsletter articles were assigned as follows:

- Lalani Shelton: Wildlife Corner
- Rusty Weaver: Lakeside Perspectives
- Grant Gilmore: Habitat at Home
- Scott Conrade: Aquatechnex Annual Report Summary
- Walk About Promotion

**FUTURE AGENDA
ITEMS:**

The steering committee identified the following as agenda items for the next Steering Committee meeting:

- Muck Biotic discussion
- Walk About Format
- Aquatechnex Report
- March Newsletter

ADJOURNMENT:

With there being no further business, Chair Madison adjourned the meeting at 7:35 p.m.

Prepared by Dave Kangiser, Water Resources Specialist