

ST. MARTIN WATER & SEWER COMMISSION NO.1

Board Meeting Minutes: Monday, April 20, 2026 @ 1:00 p.m.

1078 Tower Tank Road, Morgan City, LA 70380

Board Members:

Present: Daniel Rawls, PH. D, Ricky Acosta, Leroy Gros, Jimmy Bailey, and Darrell Blanchard

Absent: None

Quorum present: Yes

Sewer and Water: Shelia Landry and Wendie Hotard

. Board President Rawls called the meeting to order at 1:09 p.m.

. President Rawls led the Board in the Pledge of Allegiance

. President Rawls opened the floor for guests and public comments –

Reid Miller with Miller Engineers

Ricky Saucier with Water Pro, LLC

. Approval of Minutes – Minutes approved for March 16, 2026, meeting.

Motion made by Ricky Acosta; second by Jimmy Bailey and passed.

. Approval of Financial Report and Payables

Motion made by Darrell Blanchard; second by Leroy Gros and passed.

. Old Business

Discussion on the plans for Belle River Plant were conducted by Reid Miller. Board agreed to apply for Capital Outlay money to build a new sewer plant

. New Business

Motion made by Darrell Blanchard; second by Leroy Gros and passed to increase water and sewer rates according to 2026 cpi of 2.4%

Board discussed Employees and Board Members should attend 2026 LRWA conference in Lake Charles in July

Action to elect Officers: President, Vice President and Finance Committee

Motion made by Ricky Acosta; second by Leroy Gros and passed to elect Daniel Rawls as Board President

Motion made by Ricky Acosta; second by Jimmy Baily and passed to elect Leroy Gros as Board Vice President

Motion made by Leroy Gros; second by Jimmy Bailey and passed to elect Ricky Acosta, Darrell Blanchard and Jimmy Bailey as Finance Committee

. Operator Comments

. Adjournment

- Adjourned

Motion made by Ricky Acosta; second by Leroy Gros and passed.

/s/ Daniel Rawls, Ph. D

Daniel Rawls, Ph.D., President
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