



MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
ARVIN COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT
May 4, 2026

The Board of Directors of the Arvin Community Services District duly met at a Regular Board Meeting held on **Monday, May 4, 2026**, at 6:00 p.m. at 309 Campus Dr., Arvin, CA 93203.

The meeting was called to order by President Reyna at 6:00 PM

Directors Present: Gallardo, Moreno Pantoja (6:07 p.m.), Pantoja, Reyna. ABSENT: Ojeda.

Others Present: General Manager/Board Secretary – Raul Barraza, Jr.; Legal Counsel – Alan J. Peake.; District Engineer (Not Present).

Pledge of allegiance: The Pledge was led by President Reyna.

Agenda Item #1: Public Comment

There was no public comment.

Agenda Item #2

a. Approval of Regular Meeting Minutes of April 20, 2026

b. Accounts Payable for April 20, 2026 – May 1, 2026

A motion was made to approve items 2.a., 2.b., by Director Pantoja and seconded by Director Gallardo.

AYES: Gallardo, Pantoja, Reyna.

Agenda Item #3: Update of District Projects: (Director Moreno Pantoja walked in at 6:03 p.m.)

a. Comanche Drive and South Derby Street Road Improvement Project:

General Manager informed board members of our project is south of Haven Drive and they have had all the material dropped off at our maintenance yard. RLH will try to do 200ft a day of pipe in the ground.

b. Sonshine Properties Consolidation Project:

General Manager informed the board of directors that LAFCO processed has been started with a meeting with Blair Knox and his team.

c. Solar Project:

Solar Project is moving forward and is at a point where it is about 85% complete. The last portion is trying in switchgear that will allow for PTO to take place but still are waiting on PG&E. SiteLogIQ did pay the bond on the solar project for the City of Arvin to file.

d. North Canal Spreading Works Expansion Project with Arvin Edison Water Storage District:

Staff had a meeting to finalize the wording on the agreement before we met with Arvin Edison WSD staff and attorneys.

Agenda Item #4: Board to take possible action re: Board to schedule required training for Sexual Harassment, AB 1234 Ethics, and Financial Training

General Manager presented directors with three different trainings that must be completed every two years. This year, board must complete the new Financial Training by July 1st. Board would like to take every Monday in May to continue with training during meetings until training is completed. A motion was made by Director Pantoja and seconded by Director Moreno Pantoja.

AYES: Gallardo, Moreno Pantoja, Pantoja, Reyna.



Agenda Item #5: Board Training

- a. Sexual Harassment
- b. AB 1234 Ethics
- c. Financial Training – Started with this training because it should be completed by 7/1/2026.

Agenda Item #6: Staff Comments

General Manger: Training for Hydra-stop for this Friday, we will conduct 3 line stops with three valve inserts from Wednesday through Friday.

Legal Counsel : None.

District Engineer: Not present.

Agenda Item #7: Board Member Comments:

- a. **Director Gallardo:** No comments.
- b. **Director Moreno Pantoja:** Not comments.
- c. **Director Pantoja:** No comments.
- d. **Vice President Ojeda:** Not present.
- e. **President Reyna:** No comments.

Item #5: Board Training on c. Financial Training began and was reopened by BP Reyna to start training video at 6:15 p.m. until 7:21 p.m.

Agenda Item #8: Adjournment

A motion was made by Director Pantoja and seconded by Director Moreno Pantoja to adjourn the meeting at 7:22 P.M.

AYES: Gallardo, Pantoja, Moreno Pantoja, Reyna.

Submitted by:

Raul Barraza, Jr.

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Board Secretary/General Manager

Attest:

Aurelio Reyna

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Board President