

White Wolf Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Agency Regular Board Meeting of the Board of Directors

Agenda March 3, 2026 at 7:30 a.m.

Public may attend in-person, via telephone, or Web-based service:

In Person: Wheeler Ridge-Maricopa Water Storage District Headquarters
12109 Highway 166
Bakersfield, CA 93313

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- 1. Call to Order**
 - 2. Pledge of Allegiance**
 - 3. Recognition of Guests**
 - 4. Approval of Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of February 3, 2026**
 - 5. Financial Accounting Report (Robert Velasquez)**
 - 6. California Department of Water Resources (DWR) SGMA Implementation Round 2 grant update (Angelica Martin)**
 - 7. Updates on actions discussed or authorized on February 3, 2026 (EKI)**
 - a. Update on Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP) implementation activities
 - i. Water Year 2025 Annual Report overview
 - ii. Upcoming meetings and engagement opportunities
 - 8. Correspondence**
 - 9. Public Comment**
- At this time, the public may address the Board on any item not appearing on the agenda that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board. Comments will be limited to three minutes.*
- 10. Consider and provide direction on future agenda items**
 - 11. Adjourn**

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Wheeler Ridge-Maricopoa Water Storage District
12109 Highway 166, Mettler, CA 93313**

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Date of Meeting: Tuesday, February 3, 2026

Location: Remote and In-Person

Meeting Commenced at 7:30 a.m. with the pledge of allegiance.

DIRECTORS PRESENT: Tito Martinez, Dolores Salgado, Trey Irwin, Colby Fry, Jeff Mettler, Jeff Giumarra

DIRECTORS REMOTE: None

ALTERNATES: None

DIRECTORS ABSENT: None

PUBLIC AND STAFF: Alanna Godell from DWR, Christina Lucero, Sarah Gerenday, and Anona Dutton from EKI, Robert Velasquez, Eric McDaris, Ryo Takanashi from Water One, Sheridan Nicholas, Michelle Nop, Jeevan Muhar, and Legal Counsel Alan Doud.

Chairman Martinez did a recognition of guests and continued to the review of the draft meeting minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of January 6, 2026. On motion by Director Colby, and seconded by Director Irwin, the minutes were approved unanimously.

Robert Velasquez presented the financials and explained the next cash call will most likely be in February or March and based on an as needed basis. On motion by Director Mettler and seconded by Director Salgado, the financials were approved unanimously.

Ms. Martin informed the Board that DWR had not yet paid Grant Invoice #6 or invoice # 7, both have already been submitted to DWR. Christina Lucero also informed that an amendment request had been submitted to extend the grant timeline through June instead of March which would help manage timelines related to the grant. We were waiting for a reply from the grant manager.

Christina Lucero presented the December and January groundwater levels, with no exceedance to MT's, and water levels trends between December and January showed an increase of 0-2 feet. She also pointed out that a couple measurement points had been obtained from the two new replacement wells. She then reported on the GDE evaluation, where it was recommended based on the analysis, that 15 acres be removed out of the 870 acres GDE area since the vegetation type is not GDE. There was discussion about no connection between the GDE's and the principal aquifer. The next step would be to update the SMCs on the GDEs; further discussion will take place with the Technical Committee and recommendations to the board will be provided.

The SMC committee had their first meeting. Recommendations were made by the committee to update the Constituents of Concern (COC) list. The GSA reached out to the new owners of the Tut brothers wells regarding the use of their wells for water quality monitoring wells. They were open to working with the GSA. Currently the wells are under repair. Land subsidence BMPs were published by DWR. The SMC committee will reconvene and bring recommendations to the board regarding the land subsidence SMCs. Christina explained that there was a need to schedule a stakeholder workshop to provide an update on the Periodic Evaluation. There is the option to hold the workshop in late March, but if the grant is extended it can be pushed to April. The Board recommended to plan on holding it in March unless the grant was extended to June 30th then it could be done in April. Ms. Martin agreed to send out an email with potential dates and times. Christina proceeded to give an update on development of Projects and Management Actions.

There is one item of correspondence to report. Ms. Martin advised that Jorge Baca from DWR reached out via email with concerns regarding a data gap in monitoring well 09, which is no longer

working and has already been replaced. He asked the GSA to send a formal request to remove the well from the data list.

There was no public comment.

Next regular board meeting is scheduled for March 3, 2026.

There was no closed session.

On motion by Director Salgado, seconded by Director Irwin, the White Wolf GSA meeting was adjourned at 8:39 a.m.

Angelica Martin, Secretary, White Wolf Subbasin GSA

Approved by: White Wolf Subbasin GSA Board of Directors

Dated: March 3, 2026