HELENA UTILITIES

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Helena Utility Board
January 12th, 2026
Helena Municipal Building
4:00 pm

Attendance: (P) Present (A) Absent (D) Delegate

P	Rhonda Lewis	P	Charlie Roberts
P	Kim Ray	P	Dennis Wilson
P	Jeffrey Nelson	P	Teresa Amos

Guests:

P	Trey Tidmore	P	Josh Arnold

Meeting called to order at 4:00 p.m.

Prayer-Rhonda Lewis

Minutes from the December 4th meeting were omitted, approval tabled until the February regular meeting.

Minutes from the January 7th work session were provided. Charlie Roberts made a motion to approve the minutes from the work session, Kim Ray seconded, the minutes were approved.

Bill payment approver postponed until the February meeting.

Rate increase discussed, the board agreed to have Garver engineering prepare a presentation for the public as well as a press release prior to the rate adjustment going into effect. The board made the decision to vote to approve/deny the rate adjustment at the February 11th meeting.

Trey Tidmore provided the board with a repair timeline.

A motion to approve the continuing of vacation payout to employees with excess of allowable vacation time was made by Rhonda Lewis. Charlie Roberts seconded the motion that was passed with a unanimous vote.

Kim Ray made a motion to go into executive session at 4:30 pm all board members left the chamber. Executive session ended at 5:05 pm and a motion to adjourn was made by Rhonda Lewis, Kim Ray seconded, the meeting was adjourned at 5:06 pm

Adjourn

Kim Ray made a motion to adjourn Rhonda Lewis second, meeting adjourn at 5 pm

Signed: Jeffrey Nelson

Attest: Teresa Amos