Moses Lake Irrigation and Rehabilitation District
Special Board Meeting
September 08, 2026

CALL TO ORDER

At 2:00 PM President Teals called the September 08, 2026, Special Board Meeting of the Moses Lake Irrigation and Rehabilitation District to order. The purpose of the Special Board Meeting was for a Board Workshop with Executive General Manager Sam Castro and a Guest Presenter, Shannon Brattebo with TetraTech. The record shows that President Teals, Vice President Ketterer, Director Dexter, Executive General Manager Sam Castro, and Legal Counsel Brian Iller were present.

BOARD WORKSHOP

Shannon Brattebo – TetraTech

Shannon Brattebo gave the Board a presentation on the history of Moses Lake water quality, the 2026 Water Quality Monitoring Program, and the recent In-Lake Phosphorus Mitigation project. The presentation reviewed long-term water quality conditions in Moses Lake, including the District's continued efforts to monitor nutrients, algae, and other conditions that affect lake health and recreational use. Shannon Brattebo discussed the scope of the 2026 monitoring program, including routine sampling locations, seasonal monitoring activities, and the importance of comparing current data with historical trends. She also provided an overview of the In-Lake Phosphorus Mitigation project, noting that the project was intended to reduce internal phosphorus loading and support improved water quality outcomes. The Board discussed the value of continued monitoring, data review, and future coordination with TetraTech as water quality information becomes available.

MLIRD Executive General Manager – Sam Castro

Executive General Manager Sam Castro gave a presentation regarding the accomplishments of MLIRD for the year 2026. The presentation reviewed District activities, operations, and progress made throughout the year. He discussed work completed by staff to support lake management, district facilities, public outreach, and coordination with consultants and partner agencies.

Richard Teals, President

Joe Ketterer, Vice President

Chuck Perry, Director

Kris Dexter, Director

Fred Meise, Director

By: _____
Secretary to the Board of Directors
Sam Castro, C.P.O.