



Tehachapi Resource Conservation District

Conserving and Enhancing Our Natural Resources and Environment

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AGENDA

6:00 p.m.

February 13, 2026

1. Call to Order and Roll Call
2. Nuwaa Acknowledgement
3. Changes to Agenda?
4. Public Comment. This time is provided for those wishing to address the Board on matters not on the agenda, but relevant to Board's authority. The Board may take no action on these matters except to schedule them for the next regular Board meeting. Please state your name and address for the record. Comments are limited to 3 minutes unless extra time is granted by the President.
5. **Board Minutes.** Approve November 14, 2025, December 19, 2025 Special meeting minutes and January 9, 2026 minutes.
6. **Financial Report.** Update on current finances and accounting. Review of Checking Account. Review of grant monies.
7. **NRCS Report.**
8. **RCD Staff Report:** Mr. Richardson updates the Board of Directors on his activities.
9. **New Business:**
 - a. **Get Director Casdorff an ATM Card from the RCD checking account.**
 - b. **State Insurance Department, Fire Safe Grants.** Are there any the RCD should apply for to do fire safety in this area?
 - c. **Business loan to cover grant nonpayment issue.** Director Casdorff prepared an application for non-interest loan from CARCD. Also, look into a business loan or line of credit from Bank of the Sierra - would like that option available as a backup if CARCD option will not meet our needs. All bills need to be paid.
 - d. **1% for the Planet.** RCD to work with this website? Purpose would be to enable donations.
10. **Old Business:**
 - a. **TA 2025 grant application.** NACD will send out notifications mid-March, 2026
 - b. **TA 2024 and NRCS grants.** Issues with reports. Reimbursement issues, end of NRCS grant.
 - c. **RCD Credit Card?** Request approval for a RCD credit card for allowed purchases and reservations.
 - d. **Shopify live on website? Sale of plants?**
 - e. **Cerro Coso College Facilities Agreement.** Board to review and authorize President to sign for their use of the RCD facilities for educational purposes
 - f. **Trees for schools for 2025.** Update.
 - g. **New Logo? Employee/Directors Shirt with TRCD name and logo.** Have local artists been asked? Go with an app?
 - h. **Volunteers. Quarterly event.** Any event we can promote at this time?
 - i. **Ecological Center update.** Update on repairs to the ecological center. Roof. ADA bathroom
 - j. **TRCD nursery.**
 - k. **2026 Plant Sale.** List and number of plants ordered.
11. **Board Member Comments:** This portion of the meeting is reserved for the Directors to present information, announcements and other pertinent items of interest to the Board which is not previously calendared. No formal action is required or permitted. Board members may request an item be calendared for consideration at a future meeting if necessary.

12. Adjourn

A request for disability-related modification or accommodation may be made to the TRCD Board at the above phone number or email address 2 days prior to the meeting so all members of the public are able to participate.

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