

# BURLINGTON WATER DISTRICT

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## May 13, 2026 Minutes Burlington Water District Budget Committee Meeting

**Meeting brought to order:** by Tami Ege, Committee Chair at 5:40 pm

**Present:** Ricardo Lovett, Anne Squier, Dan Zimmerman, Brittanie Abayare **Absent:** Gail Curtis

**Guests:** None

**Proposed Budget Clarifications and discussion by Dan Zimmerman:** Dan stated that the budget is the same as tentatively approved at the April 15<sup>th</sup> Budget Committee Meeting. Given this, Dan asked if there could be a motion made to approve the 2026/27 Budget as amended and discussed at the April 15<sup>th</sup> meeting.

**MOTION ONE:** Ricardo Lovett made a motion to approve the 2026/27 budget in the amount of \$1,521,000. Anne Squire second, all in favor.

**MOTION TWO:** Motion was made to approve the tax rate to the full amount of 3.4269 per \$1000 of assessed value for fiscal year 2026/27 by Ricardo Lovett motioned for the tax rate to be approved. Anne Squier second, all approved.

**MOTION THREE:** Ricardo called for motion to set the Local Option Levy for BWD at \$1.70 per \$1,000 for fiscal year 2026/27, Anne S. second, all approved. Anne did ask if we were putting the cart before the horse with the Levy not being voted on yet, Dan said it is out to voters now and should it pass we can implement it in full amount or up to full amount.

Brittanie reminded us that all documents have to be submitted to Multnomah County and posted by May 17<sup>th</sup> for the June 17 adoption of budget meeting to take place.

**Meeting adjourned at 5:48:** Tami asked for motion to adjourn, Ricardo made motion, Tami seconded and all approved.

Respectively submitted by  
Tami Ege, Budget Committee Chair