



CITY OF
TUMWATER

**BARNES LAKE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT
MEETING AGENDA**

**Online via Zoom and In Person at South
Puget Sound Community College,
Watershed Room, 2011 Mottman Road
SW, Building 32, Olympia, WA 98512**

**Wednesday, January 14, 2026
6:00 PM**

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Introduction and Agenda Review
4. Approval of Minutes
 - [a.](#) DRAFT Barnes Lake Management District Minutes – November 12 , 2025
5. Public Comment
6. Member Comment
7. Lake Management
 - a. AquaTechnex 2025 Treatment Annual Report Update (Conrade)
 - [b.](#) Lake Data
8. General Business
 - [a.](#) 2026 Work Plan (Soderberg/Kangiser)
 - b. 2026 Budget (Soderberg)
 - c. Newsletter Article Assignments
9. Next Meeting Date - 03/04/2026
10. Adjourn

Meeting Information

The public are welcome to attend in person, by telephone or online via Zoom.

Watch Online

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86851767947?pwd=9IH4TbxjeVW2ZyaL8Zk5IAkUM1ip4k.1>

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MEETING MINUTES

Barnes Lake Management District
November 12, 2025



CONVENE: 6:00 p.m.

PRESENT: Chair Linnea Madison, Vice-Chair Tom Sparks, Committee members Kathy Peterson, Sharie McCafferty, Carissa Parvin, Rusty Weaver, Matt Brownell, Lalani Shelton, Jody Keys, and Scott Conrade (Contractor)

Staff: Water Resources Manager Patrick Soderberg, Water Resources Specialist Dave Kangiser

APPROVAL OF 10-8-2025 MINUTES **Member Peterson motioned to accept the meeting minutes as written. Vice Chair Sparks seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous.**

PUBLIC COMMENT There were no members of the public present.

MEMBER COMMENT: Member Peterson would like to be sure that there is time to discuss and include future agenda items in the meetings.

The Barnes Lake Illuminary Parade (BLIP) date will be announced on the Barnes Lake Conservancy Facebook page about 3-4 days ahead of time.

AQUATECHNEX LAKE MANAGEMENT REPORT: Contractor Conrade provided a summary of the treatment application for 2025. Two applications of Sonar (fluridone) were applied in late spring and mid-summer to target vegetation in the water column. Imazamox was applied during the second application to target invasive and nuisance floating vegetation. Aquatechnex is working on using a drone for future treatments. The Aquatic Plant and Algae Management (APAM) Permit was renewed this year and is in place for the 2026 treatment year.

**2025 WORK PLAN
REVIEW:**

Specialist Kangiser reviewed the 2025 Work Plan.

**2025 BUDGET
REVIEW:**

Manager Soderberg reviewed the 2025 budget. The budget did not accurately account for assessments that have been paid for fiscal year 2025. The Steering Committee asked that Manager Soderberg check the status of the assessments that have been paid to date.

**2026 WORK PLAN
DEVELOPMENT:**

The 2026 Workplan was discussed. 2026 Workplan objectives include:

- Hire a consultant to complete the Integrated Aquatic Vegetation Management Plan (IAVMP);
- Resume water quality sampling;
- Complete and distribute the 2026 annual newsletter; and
- Conduct routine aquatic vegetation management activities.

**2026 BUDGET
DISCUSSION :**

Budget priorities for 2026 were discussed.

**FINALIZE 2026
MEETING SCHEDULE:**

The 2026 regular Steering Committee meetings will be held on the following dates:

- January 14
- March 4
- May 13
- September 9 – Walk About
- November 4

**STEERING
COMMITTEE MEMBER
ELECTIONS:**

Linnea Madison was nominated to serve as Chair. The vote to approve was unanimous.

Tom Sparks was nominated to serve as Vice-Chair. The vote to approve was unanimous.

**FUTURE AGENDA
ITEMS:**

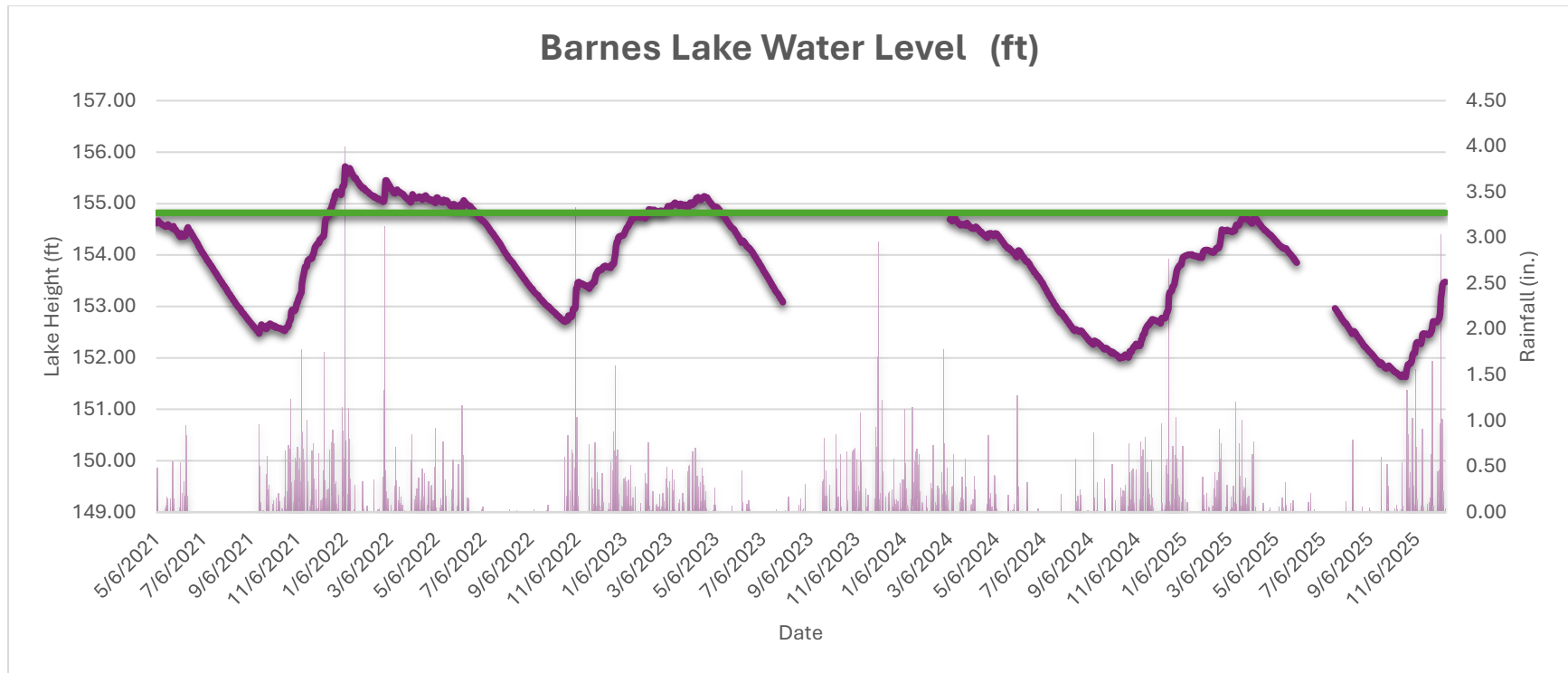
The steering committee identified the following as agenda items for the next Steering Committee meeting:

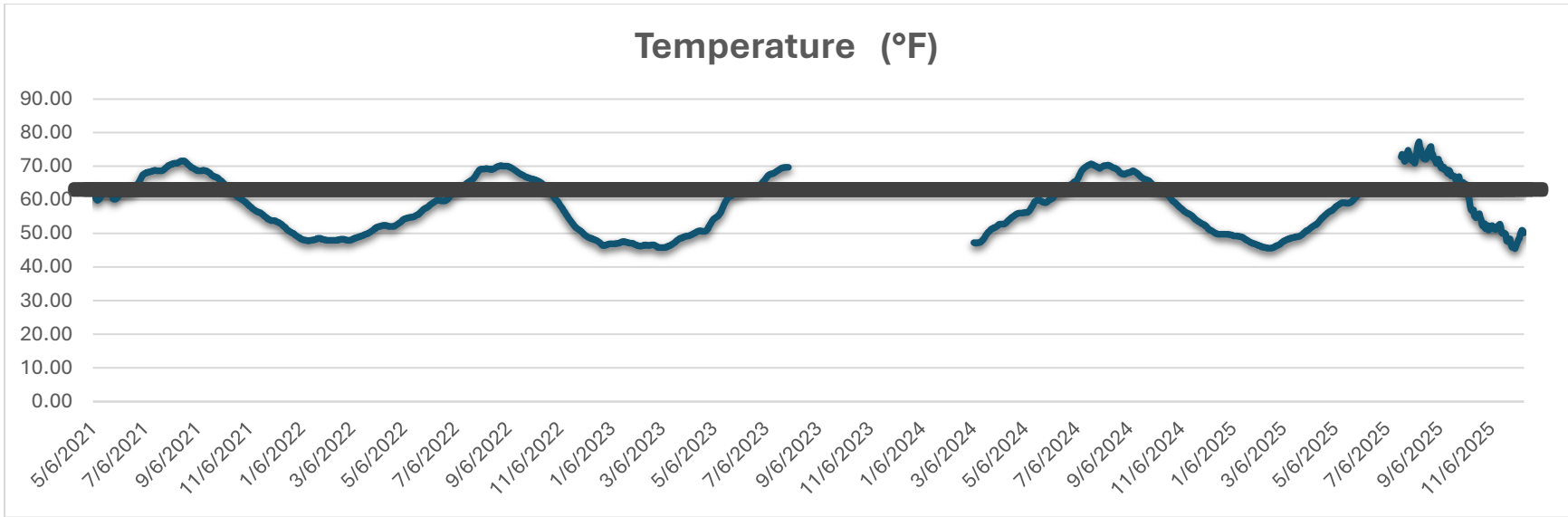
- Newsletter article assignments
- Aquatechnex annual report

ADJOURNMENT:

With there being no further business, Chair Madison adjourned the meeting at 7:25 p.m.

Prepared by Dave Kangiser, Water Resources Specialist







Barnes Lake Management District – 2026 Work Plan

January / February (Meeting date: January 14)

1. ☐ *Submit 2026 Annual Work Plan & Operating Budget for Council review and approval*
2. ☐ *Review Steering Committee Appointments; announce vacancies as necessary*
3. ☐ *Assign Newsletter Articles to LMD Members*
4. ☐ *Review SOP for volunteer monitoring program*

March / April (Meeting date: March 4)

1. ☐ *Assess supplies and equipment for water quality monitoring program*
2. ☐ *Complete training of volunteers for summer water quality monitoring program*
3. ☐ *Distribute LMD Newsletter with annual assessments*

May / June (Meeting date: May 13)

1. ☐ *Conduct pre-treatment imaging assessment of the lake as conditions allow*
2. ☐ *Conduct chemical treatment on lake as conditions allow*
3. ☐ *Draft RFQ for IAVMP Update*
4. ☐ *Conduct May round of water quality monitoring*
5. ☐ *Conduct June round of water quality monitoring*

July / August (No meeting)

1. ☐ *Conduct shoreline treatment(s) as needed*
2. ☐ *Conduct chemical treatment on lake as needed*
3. ☐ *Issue RFQ for IAVMP Update/Interview consultants*
4. ☐ *Conduct July round of water quality monitoring*
5. ☐ *Conduct August round of water quality monitoring*

September / October (Meeting date: September 9 – Walk About)

1. ☐ *Conduct post-treatment aerial imaging assessment as conditions allow*
2. ☐ *Steering Committee's Annual Lake "Walk About"*
3. ☐ *Conduct September round of water quality monitoring*
4. ☐ *Conduct final round of water quality monitoring*
5. ☐ *Issue contract for IAVMP update to contractor*
6. ☐ *Review permit compliance needs and requirements for 2027*
6. ☐ *Review budgetary needs for 2027*

November / December (Meeting date: November 4)

1. ☐ *Develop 2027 Work Plan based on 2026 needs and available budget.*
2. ☐ *Develop draft Operational Budget for 2027*
3. ☐ *Finalize meeting schedule for 2027*
4. ☐ *Annual election of Steering Committee officers – Chair, Vice-Chair, Recorder.*