

ORDINANCE NO. 2026-1

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE TEHACHAPI-CUMMINGS COUNTY WATER DISTRICT FIXING THE COMPENSATION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

WHEREAS, the Pursuant to Water Code section 30507, directors of the Tehachapi-Cummings County Water District (“District”) are entitled to receive compensation for each day’s attendance at meetings of the Board of Directors or for each day’s service rendered as a director by request of the Board, together with reimbursement for expenses incurred in connection with performing their duties;

WHEREAS, Water Code sections 20200 through 20207 authorize the Board of Directors, by ordinance adopted following a public hearing, to fix the compensation of directors, including the maximum number of days for which compensation may be paid in any calendar month; and

WHEREAS, on October 18, 2017, the Board of Directors adopted Ordinance No. 2017-2, which authorized compensation for directors for a maximum of ten (10) days in any calendar month, at a compensation rate of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) per day;

WHEREAS, California Water Code section 20202 authorizes the board of directors, by ordinance, to increase director compensation by up to five percent (5%) per year, compounded annually, without voter approval;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Water Code section 20203, notice of the hearing at which this ordinance was considered by the Board was published in a newspaper of general circulation in accordance with Government Code section 6066; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent of this Ordinance to maintain the existing limitation of ten (10) compensable service days per calendar month while increasing the daily compensation amount by five percent (5%), consistent with statutory authority;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE TEHACHAPI-CUMMINGS COUNTY WATER DISTRICT:

Section 1. Incorporation of Recitals. The foregoing recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2. Director Compensation. Directors of the District shall receive compensation in the amount of One Hundred Five Dollars (\$105.00) per day for each day’s attendance at meetings of the Board or for each day’s service rendered as a director by request of the Board.

Section 3. Maximum Number of Compensable Days. The maximum number of days for which directors of the District are authorized to receive compensation for service shall be ten (10) days in any calendar month.

Section 4. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect on the sixtieth (60th) day following its adoption.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 20th day of February, 2026.



Robert W. Schultz, Board President

ATTEST:



Catherine Adams, Board Secretary

SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE

I, CATHERINE ADAMS, Secretary to the Board of Directors of the Tehachapi-Cummings County Water District, do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was introduced at an adjourned regular meeting of the Board of Directors of said District, held on the 20th day of February, 2026, and was adopted at that meeting by the following vote:

AYES: Ables, Sasia, Schultz

NOES: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: Davis, Hall

ATTEST: 
Catherine Adams, Board Secretary