

February 13, 2026

The Board of Directors of the Brownsville Irrigation District met in regular session at the office of the district, 6925 Coffee Port Rd, Brownsville, Texas on Friday February 13, 2026, at 8:57 A.M. with the following Directors and Officials present:

Ray K. Loop	President
William Slovak	Vice President
Juan M. Ybarra	Secretary
Carlos Reyes	Member
Timothy Loop	Member
Arturo Cabello	Manager
Yvette Martinez	Office Manager

The meeting was called to order at 09:01 A.M.

The minutes of the Regular meeting of January 09, 2026, were read and approved as read with the correction. Payrolls were reviewed and bills were then examined, and Director Reyes made a motion that was seconded by Director Timothy Loop and passed by a unanimous vote that such be approved as follows:

AFLAC	14085	\$571.70
AGUA WORKS	14086	\$14.57
AIM MEDIA TX	14087	\$1,694.10
ALAMO IRON WORKS	14088	\$635.31
ANDREW SLOVAK	14089	\$703.75
AOC GAS	14090	\$49.94
CINTAS	14091	\$480.76
COMMERCE BANK	14092	\$3,399.85
EL JARDIN WTR	14093	\$168.14
ELLIOTT ELECTRIC	14094	\$25.11
EXPRESS EMPLOYMENT	14095	\$1,681.92
FEDEX	14096	\$39.02
FERRIS, FLINN & MEDINA	14097	\$10,814.73
GULF COAST PAPER	14098	\$343.61
HARLINGEN IRRIGATION	14099	\$110.58
HOLT TEXAS	14100	\$482.13
JAIMES TIRE	14101	\$25.00
JOHN DEERE FINANC	14102	\$841.87
JR IT SOFTWARE	14103	\$825.99
LRGVWD-MGRS ASSOC	14104	\$787.06
MAGIC VALLEY ELEC	14105	\$3,594.02
MCCOYS	14106	\$20.99
O'REILLY AUTO	14107	\$289.49
OIL PATCH	14108	\$3,919.20
PROBILLING & FUNDING	14109	\$624.06
RELIANT	14110	\$3,063.64
SCHAEFFER'S MFG	14111	\$197.66

SPECTRUM CHARTER	14112	\$294.31
T-MOBILE	14113	\$283.22
TX COMMISSION ON ENVIR	14114	\$1,476.00
THE HOME DEPOT	14115	\$105.72
TRIPLE AAA	14116	\$1,360.00

The next order of business was the Public Hearing to exclude the subdivisions that have less than one acre and are not taxed. There being no opposition, Director Reyes made a motion that was seconded by Director Timothy Loop and passed by unanimous vote for the board president to sign the Certified Resolution to Exclude all subdivisions that have less than one acre and are not taxed.

The board of directors authorized the general manager to increase the hourly rate of Alfredo de La Cruz by \$2.00 per hour effective immediately.

Director Ybarra made a motion that was seconded by Director Reyes and passed by unanimous vote to add Memorial Day as a district holiday.

The general manager was granted permission by the board of directors to attend the Texas Irrigation Council meeting to be held on February 20th, 2026, in Austin Texas.

Manager Reports

- * The general manager spoke about water availability to the board of directors.
- * Reported to the board that one of Unit 14 (English) pumps was still being work on.
- * Reported to the board that the flap gate from Unit 1 had been repaired.
- * The manager informed the board of directors that the 27-inch pipeline from Florida Rd south to the drain ditch parallel to FM511 had started.
- * The manager informed the board of directors that the staff had repaired one flap gate at Unit 11 (Morningside Rd) and were still working on the second one.
- * Informed the board that the engineer was currently working on the Unit 9 pipeline relocation project.
- * The board of directors authorized the manager to investigate an assessment increase for the district. The manager is to inform the directors on their next board meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 09:40 A.M. The next regular meeting is to be held on Friday, March 13, 2026, at 09:00 A.M.




