

**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL  
MEETING OF THE COMMISSION  
September 19, 2025**

**1. Call to Order | Pledge of Allegiance**

The special meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Public Utility District No. 1 of Whatcom County was called to order at 1:02 p.m. by Commissioner Atul Deshmane. Said meeting was open to the public and notice thereof had been given as required by law.

Those present at the meeting included:

**COMMISSION AND STAFF**

Atul Deshmane	Commissioner
Jaime Arnett	Commissioner
Eddy Ury	Commissioner
Chris Heimgartner	General Manager
Jon Sitkin	General Counsel, CSD Attorneys at Law
Aaron Peterson	IT/SCADA Technician
Joseph Shay	Clerk of the Board / Records
Garrett Love-Smith	Engineering Manager
Lisa Moeller	Director – HR & Communications

**VISITORS**

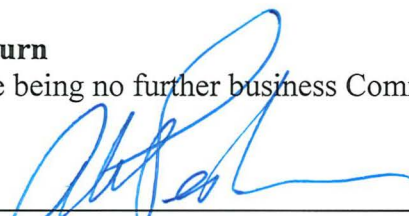
Chuck Johnson	Citizen
Todd Lagestee	Citizen

**2. Agenda**

The purpose of the Special Meeting was to: hold a strategic planning session to work on the PUD's strategic plan. The Commission, General Manager, and staff worked on providing input and shaping various parts of the strategic plan. No public comment was heard and no action was taken during the meeting.

**3. Adjourn**

There being no further business Commissioner Deshmane adjourned the meeting at 2:57 p.m.

  
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Atul Deshmane, President/Commissioner

  
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Jaime Arnett, Vice President/Commissioner

  
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Eddy Ury, Secretary/Commissioner

**Commission Clerk Note:**

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