

Bunches Bend Protection District Meeting. July 24, 2025. 10 a.m. East Carroll Parish Police Jury Meeting Room.

Commissioners present: Steve Brown, David Oswald, Tap Parker, and Gary Giddings; Teddy Schneider arrived late. Absent: Jordan Yates.

Others present: Jacob Brister, April Knight, Mark Brown, Paul Brown.

1. Steve Brown presented minutes from the May meeting. An amendment to the minutes to correct that the Parish Engineer had recommended two 50-ft pipes instead of 100-ft pipes as contained in the minutes was suggested. Motion to amend was made by Teddy Schneider; seconded by David Oswald. Motion to amend passed unanimously. Steve Brown made the motion to accept the minutes as amended; David Oswald seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
2. Old Business:
 - a. Financial Report – Steve Brown presented financial report. Discussion regarding Delta Mulching payments. Teddy Schneider made a motion to accept; David Oswald seconded. Motion passed unanimously.
 - b. Levee Maintenance – Discussion that the contract with Delta Mulching needs to be reviewed; discussion about slides that need to be repaired. Steve Brown plans to make some contacts.
3. New Business:
 - a. Presentation of the Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the ECPJ. Tap Parker read through it but noted that it would be one pipe instead two. Teddy Schneider made a motion that the Agreement be approved; David Oswald seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
 - b. Steve Brown made a suggestion that the District consider paying a levee manager in the upcoming Spring as the duties are cumbersome. The District took no action at this time but plans to move on this in the future.
 - c. Public comment – none

Meeting adjourned at 10:33 a.m. Next meeting December 10, 2025, at 11 a.m.