

KEOKUK MUNICIPAL WATERWORKS
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

JANUARY 21, 2026

Present: Chairman Boyd, Trustees Hickey, Crenshaw, Peyton, and Beaird.

Chairman Boyd opened the regular meeting. A motion was made by Trustee Peyton and seconded by Trustee Beaird that the minutes from the previous meeting of December 17, 2025, be approved as presented. All ayes. Motion carried. Vouchers were reviewed and approved.

Mr. Maddox presented the Board with monthly charts and informed the Board of work that has been done. The MIOX units are running the same as last month. The backwash building needs to have sludge pumped out. This is related to a trial sending belt press drains to the low service pumps. The river has been down around 3' and is not expected to come up anytime soon. There are no safety issues to report.

Mr. Johnston presented the Board with monthly charts and informed the Board of work that has been done. Distribution has been experiencing problems with the meter reading equipment. Loaner equipment is supposed to arrive soon that will allow us to send our equipment in for troubleshooting. There are no safety issues to report.

Ms. Barnes discussed monthly financials, budget, operating expenses, and water sales to date. Ms. Barnes spoke with the Board about setting a public hearing date for the 2026-2027 fiscal year budget. After discussion, the following resolution was adopted, RES. #1243, That February 18, 2026 at 2:30 P.M., is hereby set as a public hearing date for the fiscal year 2026-2027 budget for the Keokuk Municipal Waterworks at the Keokuk Waterworks Office at said time and date; BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a sufficient number of copies of the detailed budget shall be available to meet the requests of the taxpayers and organizations, available at the offices of the Keokuk Municipal Waterworks, 20 N. 4th Street, Keokuk, Iowa: BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that notice of said hearing shall be published at least once in the Daily Gate City, a newspaper of general publication within the City of Keokuk, at least ten and not more than twenty days before the date of said hearing. Moved by Trustee Hickey and seconded by Trustee Peyton. All ayes. Motion carried.

Mr. Bogner informed the Board that BRZ Coatings rescinded their bid on the Water Tower Refurbishment project. Mr. Bogner informed the Board that he would be moving forward with the next lowest bidder, USG Water Solutions. Mr. Bogner presented the Board with a draft budget for FYE 2027. Other topics included discussing the IAWA water safety meeting and the Water Main Replacement Project.

The Board discussed a proposal to grant the General Manager one additional week of paid vacation annually, effective immediately

There being no further business to come before the Board of Trustees, the meeting was adjourned. The next meeting will be held February 18, 2026, at 2:30 P.M.

ATTEST: _____
David Bogner, Secretary

Kimberly Boyd, Chairman