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## Media Release

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## PRPD Board of Directors Meetings

### Quarterly Highlights

Paradise, CA, October 15, 2024 - The Paradise Recreation and Park District (PRPD, District) has its Regular Board of Directors (Board, BOD) meetings every 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month. Here are some highlights from the meetings that were held in July through September.

The District lost the recreation building at the Aquatic Park as a result of the Camp Fire in 2018. Funding principally with insurance funds, the District has been working with Romtech Inc. to rebuild. At the July meeting, the Board authorized the District Manager to complete all agreements related to the planning and construction of the Aquatic Recreation Center Rebuild.

The District has been pursuing purchase of two tax defaulted properties from Butte County. Both properties are in the Paradise area on the edge of the Wildland Urban Interface and align with Buffer Project efforts for the District. After completing due diligence research on the properties, Staff presented to the Board information for deliberation regarding purchase. The Board approved the District to purchase the tax defaulted properties at the August meeting.

PRPD will be undergoing many construction projects in the next few years. The Board authorized an agreement with consultants at Trover Construction Property Management at the August meeting, using mainly insurance funds to cover consultant costs, which supports the District's many upcoming projects.

As part of the Neighbor-to-Neighbor Grant that the District received, the grant encourages partnerships with other community organizations as cohorts. The collaborations with other organizations assist PRPD to execute more events for the grant's purpose throughout the community. In the August meeting, the Board authorized the District Manager to execute agreements with the partner organizations.

The Regular Board of Directors meeting for September was held in Magalia at the Magalia Community Center. PG&E Easements for Noble Park and Moore Road Park were on the agenda for discussion. The Board voted separately to approve the easement agreements with amendments to seek legal review and compensation for costs and damages.

The next meeting of the PRPD Board of Directors is scheduled for November 13, 2024 at 6:00pm at the Terry Ashe Recreation Center.

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Since 1948, the Paradise Recreation and Park District provides recreation facilities and programs to the residents of Paradise, the Butte Creek Canyon area, and the unincorporated communities of Magalia/Paradise Pines and Concow/Yankee Hill. The District serves 50,000 people living in a 170-square mile area and manages over 1,000 acres of park land and facilities.

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