

**Mission Jocko Joint Board**  
**“Mission Jocko Irrigation Districts”**  
**April 9, 2024 Meeting Minutes**

1:00 PM Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

All commissioners for Mission and Jocko District were present.

**Minutes:** Meeting minutes were approved with no corrections. Tracy Gardner moved and Tim Callahan seconded, motion passed.

**Warrants:** Tim Callahan moved to approve the warrants, Lane Harriman seconded, motion passed. Renee Roragen will add \$400 to next month’s warrants to go to the bank account.

**BIA Report:** Skye Cooley present to discuss reservoir levels for 2024. El Nino year predicted which means it will be slightly drier and less precipitation. Precipitation has been extremely low so far, there is still time to recover. Snopac not great, but not the worst, hovering between 74-78% (average is 75%). Reservoir levels are still very concerning. Flushing flows for fisheries and required amounts are not being fully implemented until 2026, as long as instream flows are met. Some discussion on how that should be managed if it is a dry/drought year. Some discussion on how the water court proceedings might affect implementing the Compact. Reminder on Spring irrigator meeting taking place the 15<sup>th</sup>, and the CITT meeting on Wednesday.

**Water Court Update:** 28 objectors (approximately) will probably be dismissed as they were LLC’s and not represented by a lawyer. Approximately 600 remain, with roughly 400 represented by a lawyer. Things will start to pick up later this spring/summer.

**Public Comment:** Tim Orr mentioned objection made due to the treatment of the process in the beginning for water court. Some discussion regarding the CITT board and representation, it was recommended to put on discussion for the next board meeting.

**Adjourn:** Boone Cole moved, Tracy Gardner seconded, meeting was adjourned at 1:45 PM.