Pasco County Mosquito Control District

2308 Marathon Road, Odessa FL 33556

Minutes of Audit Selection Committee Opening Bids Meeting

December 22, 2025

Call to Order

Chairman Abbott called the Pasco County Mosquito Control District Board meeting to order at 10:01 A.M.

Pledge of Allegiance

Chairman Abbott led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Roll Call

Chairman Abbott called the roll. Chairman Abbott, Secretary Cox, and Treasurer Evans were present.

District Staff: Executive Director Rogers, Nicholas McFaul, Lindsay O'Reilly, Edwin Martinez, Jose Freundt and Desiree Edwards.

Additional attendees: Amanda Weaver (citizen), and Laura Donaldson (District Counsel).

Public Comment

Ms. Amanda Weaver noted that the public notice for the Auditor Selection Committee meeting omitted the meeting time and requested correction for future notices. She raised concerns about transparency and timely public access to Board materials. Ms. Weaver emphasized the importance of proactive disclosure to maintain public trust and commended the District's public education efforts, clarifying that her comments addressed governance and transparency practices, not staff or the District's mission.

Open Bids/Discussion

The Committee discussed the limited response to the auditor solicitation, noting that only two firms submitted proposals which was consistent with expectations discussed at prior meetings regarding participation. District Counsel Donaldson confirmed that the process followed statutory requirements and recommended proceeding with evaluation of the two submissions. The Committee agreed to continue the evaluation, with the option of a one-year contract if necessary, and to revisit the solicitation process in future cycles to allow broader participation. The next meeting is scheduled for January 7.

Meeting Adjournment

Commissioner Cox motioned to adjourn the meeting at 10:24 A.M; all approved.

Meeting Adjourned.

Date: 01/21/2026

Attested: _____