

From: [Customer Service](#)
To: [Lisa Thompson](#); [David Shook](#); [Anne Roman](#)
Subject: FW: New form submission received: Contact Us
Date: Wednesday, August 5, 2026 7:51:44 AM

[Report This Email](#)

From: Streamline <noreply@specialdistrict.org>
Sent: Wednesday, August 5, 2026 7:37 AM
To: Customer Service <CustomerService@jbwd.com>
Subject: New form submission received: Contact Us

Logo used for headers



Contact Us

Attachment:	
Message:	Greetings JBWD Board of Directors: This is my public comment for the August 5th board meeting. I request that it be read aloud, entered into the record and a copy of it posted with the minutes. I live in Joshua Tree and regularly pay attention to what is going on with the water district (I was at the sewer meeting in the Spring.) I have lived in Monument Manor for years. This is about the August 5 agenda. I cannot understand what is happening by reading this agenda. As I can't be there, I'm doubly concerned. Whatever each Board member thinks about President Doolittle, today's decisions will send a message about how this Board conducts itself. Public confidence comes not only from the outcome of a vote but from confidence that the process was open, transparent, and fair. Taking additional time to ensure that everyone has had an opportunity to review the materials would strengthen, not weaken, the credibility of the Board's decision. What kind of precedent is the Board establishing for every future Board member? If a Board can publicly censure one of its own without first ensuring that the allegations and supporting documents

have been reviewed by both the affected director and the public, that becomes the standard for future boards as well. The director's response about details of the censure should be part of the agenda as well. I request the board to get the process right before taking an action that affects an elected official and the public's trust. Anyone being censured deserves the right to a meaningful review and response, yet there is nothing in this agenda. This seems a little like going to court without knowing what the charges are. I will be out of town and unable to attend the meeting, in person or on zoom. I ask for items a & b to be discussed at the next board meeting to ensure opportunity for public review. Taking additional time to ensure that everyone has had an opportunity to review the materials would strengthen, not weaken, the credibility of the Board's decision. We the community are depending on you to get this right and to treat our elected official fairly

Subject:	public comment august 5th meeeting
-----------------	------------------------------------

Your Email:	
--------------------	--

Your Name:	jane allingham furst
-------------------	----------------------

[Reply / Manage](#)