# SOUTHERN PUBLIC POWER DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS STRATEGIC PLANNING MEETING

January 24, 2024

The Board of Directors of Southern Public Power District met for their annual Strategic Planning Meeting at The Quality Inn in Grand Island, Nebraska, on January 24, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. pursuant to the mailed notice of the meeting sent to all directors of the District and notice posted. Southern Public Power District's Board Chairman, Dana Meyer, called the meeting to order and publicly stated to all in attendance that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available for review and indicated the location of such copy in the room where the meeting was being held.

Directors present were as follows: Rick Bergman, Lee Grove, Curtis Rohrich, Larry Benson, Joe Gustafson, Dean Klute, Dana Meyer, Arlon Jacobitz, Bob Kieborz, Joel Kuehn, and Wayne Anderbery. President/CEO Chad Waldow and staff members Shannon Peard, Aaron Brown, Sam Reinke, Travis Doht, Amanda Groff and Terri Palu, were also present.

Directors absent: Courtney Retzlaff and Kevin Choquette

### **SAFETY PROGRAM**

Discussions were had pertaining to forthcoming safety issues to assist in creating a safe and healthy work environment for the District.

#### SOCIAL MEDIA

A review was had on informational sources the District provides through social media and the continuation to create, post and engage in social media content.

### **NREA MEMBERSHIP**

An overview was presented of NREA's services and various membership aspects that the NREA has to offer.

## LUNCH RECESSED AT 11:40 AM, THE MEETING RECONVENED AT 12:40 PM IN OPEN SESSION.

### **FINANCIALS**

An overview of the District's current financial position was discussed.

### **OPERATIONS**

Current workplan projects were discussed and operational plans were considered for future needs.

## **CEO/BOARD DISCUSSION**

CEO/Board duties were reviewed. Policies governing the CEO/Board were also reviewed.

There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 3:30 p.m.

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Kevin Choquette, Secretary