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The Strategic Planning Committee met on March 17, 2026, in the Executive Boardroom. The meeting convened at approximately 9:00 a.m.

Members Present:

Director Tyler Antrup –Chair
Director Kimberly Thomas
Director H. Davis Cole

Members Absent

Director Courtney Scrubbs– Vice Chair
Director Janet Howard

OPENING REMARKS BY CHAIR

Director Antrup opened the committee meeting by acknowledging the hard work and efforts of SWBNO staff and leadership. He reflected on the utility’s first strategic planning initiative from 2020, and how both increased power and technology investments have aided the improvement of SWBNO.

PRESENTATION ITEM:

A. Strategic Plan Update for 2027-2031 – Rocky Craley and Catherine Carter, Raftelis Consultants

Rocky Craley and Catherine Carter presented on the utility’s upcoming strategic planning initiative. With the current plan set to conclude in 2027, the 2027-2031 kick-off is scheduled to begin in May 2026. Raftelis is committed to supporting SWBNO on examining both external and internal operational environments, social trends, and other collateral means to help facilitate an effective plan. The Steering Committee and Strategic Planning Committee will collaborate to obtain routine updates until a plan is finalized. Raftelis encouraged staff to use Ellio software to stay connected and to check the progress of plan implementation.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

➤ None

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Strategic Planning Committee, Director Antrup called for a motion to adjourn. Director Thomas moved. Director Cole seconded. The motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at approximately 9:30 a.m.