

Tamara Parent

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Hello,

I would like my comment read aloud:

Owen Davis is the biggest embarrassment in the history of the CSD. At the January board meeting he tried to cancel grant funding for the fire department. Shortly after he shared an offensive and sexist video of Board Candidate Raynette Gregory.

On top of all that he wasted tens of thousands of dollars in legal and staff time on his pet projects demanding that staff stop fixing our infrastructure and go do whatever Owen wanted. How many of Owens pet projects were on that 50 item agenda list? Lots. How many items has Owen tabled? Lots.

It is no wonder that there was a spill at the sewer pond. How can staff do anything when Owen spent all of 2025 threatening to fire everyone if they didnt do whatever thing he wanted immediately. What if Owen got his way and fired everyone on July 3rd? There would be no one to stop the spill. He would probably still be trying to table hiring someone.

Its Owens fault that things are still broken in this town. Its Owens fault that the sewer plant has problems. Owen is an embarrassment to San Miguel. Thank you Rod and Brendin for standing up against Owen. It is time for Owen to resign.

-J. Brown
San Miguel Resident

Attached is a photo of the minutes from January so Owen can't lie about what he did.

11. **Board Comment:**

Director Davis asked to go back to the 12-18-25 Board Meeting and discuss consent calendar and bring back to re-vote or have a discussion. General Manager Kelly Dodds asked what items he was talking about. Director Davis explained it was for the grant items for the Fire Department.

Fire Chief Scott Young explained that funds have already been allocated for those projects, because they were approved.

Director Davis explained that they are consent items 9.4 & 9.5, VFA and OTS grants. Discussion ensued on the funds, and what those grants funds were used for.

Raynette Gregory spoke out from audience, about discussion.

Director Davis asked for clarification on the funds, and the matching funds part of the grant. Fire Chief Scott Young clarified that the VFA grant was a 50/50 matching grant for \$14,000 and the OTS grant was zero matching. Discussion ensued.