



# Pend Oreille County Public Utility District

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## **Another Clean Audit for Pend Oreille PUD**

**NEWPORT, WA** – Pend Oreille County Public Utility District received another clean financial audit for 2018. The PUD utilized a third party firm, Moss Adams LLP, to conduct the audit that covered the financial statements and reporting for the PUD’s electric, generating, water, and broadband systems.

On April 9, Moss Adams LLP Partner Olga Darlington presented her final audit report at the PUD Board Meeting and said she applauds April Owen, Chief Audit, Financial and Power Supply Officer, and the team that takes their role in providing accurate financial information very seriously. It was stated that the tone at the top and attitude from management was one of helpfulness and openness in response to audit requests.

Owen said, “We appreciate the value and professionalism that Moss Adams brings. The hard work of all of our dedicated employees has resulted in another year with a successful audit.”

### **About Pend Oreille County Public Utility District**

Pend Oreille County Public Utility District was established in 1936 and began operations in 1948. The PUD is governed by three locally elected Commissioners. A General Manager and staff operate the utility within policies set by the Board of Commissioners. The PUD has four operating systems: The electric system distributes electricity to the county, the production system produces power from the Box Canyon Hydroelectric Project, the water system consists of nine individual water distribution subdivisions, and the community network system provides wholesale broadband communication services. For more information visit: <http://popud.org>.