

Minutes BRAZOS VALLEY GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Regular Board Meeting

VIRTUAL ZOOM MEETING

Thursday, May 14, 2020 at 2:00 p.m.

Stephen Cast, called Regular Board Meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

Directors present:

Stephen Cast

President

Jan A. Roe

Vice-President

Mark Carrabba

Treasurer

Pete Brien Jayson Barfknecht Secretary

Bill L. Harris

Director

Linda Pecina

Director

Director

David Stratta

Director

Staff present:

Alan M. Day

General Manager

Cynthia Lopez

Office Manager

Megan Haas

Education Coordinator/WRS

Monique Norman

Attorney

John Seifert

Hydrologist

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Call meeting to order

Pledge of Allegiance

Declare quorum present (Roll call all present)

- Public Comment a) Non-agenda items
 - b) Agenda items
 - 1. Discussion and possible action on the Minutes from March 10, 2020 Public Permit Hearing and Regular Board Meeting. A motion was made by Bill Harris, second by Pete Brien to approve the Minutes of March 10, 2020 Public Permit Hearing and Regular Board meeting as presented. The motion passed unanimously.
 - 2. Review, discussion and ratification of invoices paid for services rendered for the month of February 2020. A motion was made by David Stratta, second by Pete Brien to approve the ratification of payments except for Lloyd-Gosselink in the amount of \$3,513.30 for the month of February, 2020 as presented. The motion failed with a 2-6 vote.

A second made was made by Jayson Barfknecht, second by Mark Carrabba to pay all ratification of invoices for the month of February, 2020. The motion passed with a 6-2 vote.

- 3. Review, discussion and ratification of invoices paid for services rendered for the month of March, 2020. A motion was made by Bill Harris, second by Jayson Barfknecht to approve the ratification of invoices for the month of March, 2020. The motion passed with a 7-1 vote.
- 4. Review, discussion and ratification of invoices paid for services rendered for the month of April, 2020. A motion was made by Pete Brien, second by David Stratta to approve the ratification of invoices for the month of April, 2020. The motion passed unanimously.
- 5. Financial Reports April 2020. A motion was made by Bill Harris, second by Mark Carrabba to approve the financial reports for the month of April, 2020 as presented. The motion passed unanimously.
- 6. Presentation by John Seifert, Ground Water Consultant, detailing the average artesian head change for each aquifer and comparison of the average artesian head change for each aquifer with the corresponding DFC.
- 7. General Manager's Report
 - a) Drought Monitor Report
 - b) Wells permitted pursuant to District Rule 8.3(j)
 - c) GMA 12 DFC Update
 - d) District Business & Activities (Including COVID-19 response)
 - e) Management Plan Update

Alan Day, general manager presented a brief discussion on the report and the items listed above.

- 8. Discussion and possible future agenda items.
- 9. Adjourned at 3:31 p.m.

Signed this 11th, day of June, 2020

Pete Brien, Secretary

The Board of Directors may meet in closed session, pursuant to the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code §§ 551.071-551.076, to:

- (1) consult with attorney;
- deliberate regarding the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property if deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the District in negotiations with a third person;
- deliberate a negotiated contract for a prospective gift or donation to the District if deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the District in negotiations with a third person;
- (4) to deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline or dismissal of a Board member or District employee;
- (5) to receive information from employees or question employees, but not deliberate public business or agency policy that affects public business; and
- (6) to deliberate the deployment or specific occasions for implementation of security personnel or devices.