# TALTY SPECIAL UTILITY DISTRICT 12475 WINDY LANE FORNEY, TEXAS 75126 (972) 552-4422

# **MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

DATE: July 18, 2023 TIME: 6:00 p.m.

PLACE: District offices at 12475 Windy Lane, Forney, Kaufman County, Texas

#### **MINUTES**

1. **Call to Order.** President, Scot Boisvert, called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Board members present: Bill Hart, Jerry Rhodes, Tim Stewart and Matt Goodwin. A quorum was present.

Staff present: Corey Trail, General Manager; Madonna Poppa, Office Manager; Kristen Fancher, Attorney was present via Zoom.

- 2. Public Comments: n/a
- 3. Consider and act upon the Minutes of previous meeting(s). After review, Bill Hart made a motion, seconded by Jerry Rhodes, to approve the June 20, 2023, meeting minutes as written. A vote was taken, the motion passed 5-0.
- 4. **Consider and act to accept the June 2023 financials.** After review, Scot Boisvert made a motion, seconded by Bill Hart, to accept the June 2023 financials as presented. A vote was taken motion passed 5-0.

## 5. Engineer Report.

- (a) Pump Station #3 Building We only had two contractors to bid on the building with bids of 5.6 and 5.8 million. Due to the fact that Kaufman County is re-working the Helms Trail Roadway that could go through where we have agreed to build Pump Station #3, we are going to possibly move the site across the road. After we have finalized our plans, we will send out requesting bids again for the Pump Station #3 Building.
- (b) The plans for the vault for Pump Station #3 needed a few changes. Those changes are being made and then will be sent back to NTMWD for final approval.

### 6. Attorney Report.

- (a) Non-Standard Contract with Lackland Holding, LLC. is finished and ready for approval.
- (b) The election calendar for voting for Board Members may change. Will follow up later in the year with an update.

- (c) Will be working on a new contract with the City of Crandall.
- 7. Discuss and consider Approval of Non-Standard Water Utility Service Contact Between Talty Special Utility District and Lackland Holdings, LLC. After review Scot Boisvert made a motion, seconded by Tim Stewart, to approve the Non-Standard Water Utility Service Contract with Lackland Holdings, LLC. A vote was taken motion passed 5-0.
- 8. Discuss and consider approval and awarding of bid for the construction of Pump Station #3 Pump Building. No action was taken.
- 9. Discuss and consider approval of Rate Order Section 1 Landscape Irrigation Policy updating backflow testing requirements. After review Scot Boisvert made a motion, seconded by Jerry Rhodes, to update the testing requirements in the Rate Order Section 1 Landscape Irrigation Policy. A vote was taken motion passed 5-0.
- 10. Monthly Operations Reports from General Manager, Field Supervisor and Office Manager.
  - (a) Appears we will go over our take or pay from the previous year by 10-20 million gallons.
  - (b) We currently have 4584 active meters and 836 reserved meters for a total of 5420 connections.
  - (c) Installed 44 new meters. Currently we have changed out approximately 100 meters in the meter change out project. We will continue when we get the inventory in house.
  - (d) Tyler Hendrickson will be contacting Attorney Jim Bradbury to see about getting the easements and right-of ways for the upcoming road projects where we will need to move our utility lines.

11. Adjourn: Scot Boisvert adjourned the meeting at 6:50 p.m.

Approved by the Board of Directors of Talty Special Utility District on this 15th day of August 2023.

Matt Goodwin, Secretary