MINUTES

Cypress Cove Water Supply Corporation Spring Branch, TX 78070 Location: Cypress Cove Civic Center Tuesday, 8/8/18, 6:30 PM

Members present: Elliott Owen, Erica Leadford, Gordon Swan, Robin Lutts

Members not present; Gilead Ziemba

Visitors; Linda Owen, Leah Lutts, Amy & Scott Ginetti, Dub Paden. Julian Gomez

1) Call to order to open Meeting

- a) A Quorum being present, the meeting was called to order
- **2) Invocation** given by Elliott Owen
- 3) Discuss and possible action regarding rules for recordings (video or audio) while in Open Meeting:
 - a) Motion was made by Erica Leadford to establish rules per following;
 - i) Video camera must be stationary
 - ii) Video camera must be at a distance of at least 15 feet from Board of Directors table.
 - iii) An optional digital copy of the original video or audio recording
 - iv) Audio recording does not apply to Board Members.
 - b) Since the action was from a previous meeting, it did not require a second
 - c) Motion passed unanimously.
- 4) Discuss and approve minutes from last month meeting (7/11/18).
 - a) Motion made by Erica to approve without changes, seconded by Robin Lutts
 - b) Approved unanimously
- 5) Discuss and consider BBTS invoice for monthly financial service.
 - a) Erica made motion to approve invoice of \$475.00 from Barbara's Bookkeeping and Tax Service
 - i) One-time setup fee \$150.00
 - ii) Monthly fee as detailed in Estimate #47 dated 7/17/18, = \$325.00, including weekly posting of deposits and weekly reports.
 - b) Seconded by Robin Lutts,
 - c) Approved Unanimously
- 6) Discuss and consider bid for road cut repairs.
 - a) Motion made by Elliott Owen to table until next meeting
 - b) Seconded by Erica Leadford,
 - c) Motion passed unanimously
- Close open session enter executive session to discuss and consider possible hiring of Class C operator under Texas Government Code Section 551.074.
 - a) Erica Leadford made motion to enter Close meeting at 6:50 PM
 - b) Seconded by Gordon Swan
 - c) Passed unanimously
 - d) All attendees left room except Board of Directors, Dub Paden and Julian Gomez

e) After discussion among Board members, Dub Paden and Julian Gomez, a motion was made to enter Open Session

8) Close executive session – enter open session – consider and take possible action on hiring of Class C operator. (all attendees returned to building)

- a) Gordon Swan made a motion for CCWSC to hire Julian Gomez, at \$33/hour to perform Class C operator's duties on CCWSC water system, starting Sept 4, 2018.
- b) Seconded by Robin Lutts
- c) Approved unanimously including Julian Gomez

9) Discuss and consider online payment options.

- a) Angie presented a copy of Business Online Services Schedule of Fees, Exhibit A from Texas Regional Bank
- b) After much discussion, Gordon Swann made a motion to table this item until other banks could competitively bid on listed fees.
- c) Seconded by Erica Leadford
- d) Motion passed unanimously

10) Discuss and consider spare parts delivery and address.

- a) Rather than CCWSC personnel pick up parts from Kyle, Texas, Core and Main Associates will deliver to an address.
- b) Gordon made the motion to have parts delivered to his address.
- c) Seconded by Elliott Owen
- d) Motion passed unanimously

11) Discuss and consider hiring legal help in developing rental/lease contract for "old" VFD building.

- a) Gordon Swann made motion to research leasing the old VFD building before making an agreement to purchase.
- b) Seconded by Robin Lutts
- c) Motion passed unanimously

12) Discuss and possible approval of CCWSC 2018 Budget.

- a) Motion made by Elliott Owen to table until next meeting due to wrong format
- b) Seconded by Erica Leadford, Motion passed unanimously
- 13) Discuss CCWSC financial reports for July (no vote required)
- 14) Set date for next meeting 9/12/2018
- 15) No one for public input
- **16)** Motion made by Elliott Owen to close and adjourn, all responded.