# **CERTIFICATION**

# OF MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

# MEETING FOR SEPTEMBER 22, 2020

I hereby certify that the attached minutes were reviewed and approved at the October 13, 2020 Meeting of the Board of Trustees for the Mill Creek Water Reclamation District.

MARK HAMMOND DISTRICT CLERK

Subscribed and sworn to this / 2 day of

Notary Public for Illinois

"OFFICIAL SEAL"
KIMBERLY A. HOADLEY
Notary Public, State of Illinois
My commission expires 11/06/20

# MINUTES OF THE SEPTEMBER 22, 2020 MONTHLY MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE MILL CREEK WATER RECLAMATION DISTRICT

Meeting Date: Tuesday, September 22, 2020

Place: Mill Creek Water Reclamation District Treatment

Facility, 39W889 WELLINGTON WAY Blackberry Township, Kane County, IL

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Attendance: Trustees: James Dougherty, Mark Hammond and Ben

D'Andrea

Others: Charles Radovich, James Hare, Kim Hoadley

Jason Fowler, Dan Whiston

## **AGENDA ITEM NUMBER:**

#### 1. and 2.

#### **CALL TO ORDER and ROLL CALL**

The monthly meeting of the Mill Creek Water Reclamation District Board of Trustees ("District") was called to order at 7:00 p.m. at the Mill Creek Water Reclamation District Treatment Facility, Blackberry Township, Kane County, Illinois on Thursday, September 22, 2020 by Trustee Dougherty. Trustees physically present were Mark Hammond, James Dougherty and Trustee D'Andrea.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PUBLIC COMMENT. President Dougherty stated that due to the COVID 19 pandemic the Board is still operating under the temporary rules that were ratified at the April meeting and posted on the agenda. Jason Fowler advised that as of 5:00 p.m. there were no emails with public comment and there was no public on the conference call or physically in attendance.

- 3. LONG RANGE SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT. No discussion.
- 4. **OLD BUSINESS.**

# a. Approval of the minutes of the August 27, 2020.

Motion by Trustee Hammond to approve the meeting minutes of the August 27, 2020; seconded by Trustee D'Andrea.

Roll Call Vote: Ayes: 3 Nays: 0 Absent: 0

Motion Approved

#### 5. **NEW BUSINESS**

a. Financial reports, including discussion and approval or disapproval of accounts payable list, treasurer's report, financial statements, past due account payment plans and outstanding invoices.

Motion by Trustee Hammond to approve the financial reports, including accounts payable; Treasurer's Report; financial statements; and, discussion of past due accounts; seconded by Trustee D'Andrea.

Roll Call Vote: Ayes: 3 Nays: 0 Absent: 0

Motion Approved

b. Operations Report from Sheaffer & Rolland and discussion regarding the same. Jason Fowler of Sheaffer & Rolland presented the report.

Motion by Trustee Dougherty to accept the operations report as presented, seconded by Trustee D'Andrea.

Roll Call Vote: Ayes 3 Nays: 0 Absent: 0

Motion Approved

## c. Consideration of Draft Budget for Calendar Year 2021.

Copies of the preliminary budget were provided to the trustees by Jim Hare. Hare reviewed the draft budget by line item and made adjustments according to the trustees' comments. Fowler advised that he would provide dollar amounts for capital projects planned in 2021.

# d. West Irrigation Project, items I and ii..

(i) *Project update by Shaeffer & Roland*. Fowler advised that on September 30, 2020 a pre-bid meeting will be held and on October 21, 2020 bids will be opened. Fowler asked for a special meeting in October to review and approve winning bid. Fowler stated that work would commence within approximately ten (10) days of awarding the bid.

(ii) Consideration and approval of Michael Pitstick proposal for winter wheat seeding of West Irrigation land. (\$10,400). Fowler advised that this is the farmer that tilled the fields and planted last year.

Motion by Trustee Hammond to approve the proposal of Michael Pitstick for winter wheat seeding of West Irrigation land in the sum of \$10,400. seconded by Trustee D'Andrea.

Roll Call Vote: Ayes 3 Nays: 0 Absent: 0

Motion Approved

Upon motion duly made by Trustee Dougherty to adjourn to closed session for Consideration of Litigation Which is Pending, seconded by Trustee D'Andrea and unanimously carried.

Roll Call Vote: Ayes: 3 Nays: 0 Absent: 0

Motion approved.

Upon motion duly made by Trustee Dougherty to adjourn until the October 13, 2020 Board of Trustees Meeting, seconded by Trustee D'Andrea and unanimously carried. The meeting of the Board of Trustees was adjourned at 9:47 p.m.

Roll Call Vote: Ayes: 3 Nays: 0 Absent: 0

Motion approved.

Mark Hammond, District Clerk