

GRAND COUNTY WATER CONSERVANCY DISTRICT
GRAND COUNTY SPECIAL SERVICE WATER DISTRICT

Regular Meeting ----- July 25, 1989

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, ATTENDANCE
D. L. Taylor at 7:00 A.M. at the District office. Other
Board members present were Gary Wilson, David Maki, John
Groo and Jim Walker.

Special Service District members present were
George White,
Bill McDougald.

Others present were Ferne Mullen, Dale Pierson,
Marsha Modine and Roberta Highland.

Dale reported the scheduling letters went out, the IRRIGATION
Corbin well is pumping, the Beeman well went on line Satur- SYSTEM REPORT
day. The three day turn system was to start Sunday, but when
the Beeman well went on line Gary suggested the turns be
changed to every other day on the lower and middle sections
of the system. D. L. asked about the questionnaire, Dale
replied about 35% had not replied and would be shut off
today. The output of the wells was discussed. Bill sug-
gested Bedke be consulted. Gary seemed to think if the water
wasn't sufficient, we could divide the system into smaller
portions. Farnsworth water on the mesa will have to be cut
off along with the other people. In answer to a question
Dale reported the leakage areas in the reservoir look in
good shape.

Roberta reported the League of Women Voters would USE OF BUILD-
like to use the conference room for their study group meet- ING BY LEAGUE
ings. The Board agreed by consensus to allow the League to OF WOMEN
use District facilities. VOTERS

Financial statement was passed to those present FINANCIAL
and discussed. The well pumping costs portion was discussed STATEMENT
item by item.

After a discussion of the various wells, it was IRRIGATION
questioned if the Chapman Well is needed. Dale stated some SYSTEM REPORT
culinary samples will need to be taken. Bill suggested water
table levels need to be checked to see where the water table
is. Dale will ask Mark to check the levels.

Gary Carmichael asked what the Board is going to
do with the customers who pump their own wells. D. L.
stated the Board is playing by ear, we still have so many
unknowns. Gary asked if the Board is going to pay his
pumping costs and repair bills. If the District can't main-
tain the wells, he would rather buy water from the District.

*Dale reported Pumping costs to be charged to customers had been adjusted ADDITION
to \$20.00 per AF, to be adjusted each month, on Friday afternoon. 8/1/89

Dale reported he feels if Carmichael turned off his wells, he might not get enough water to water his big field with District water. D. L. asked if he would put his well into the system, and take turns. Gary stated he would not run his pump if he could buy water from the District. D. L. stated he would have an assured supply if he ran his pump, but if the District maintained his well, they would have to maintain all wells used by customers. It was remarked that Larry Anderson of Division of Water Resources' advice was to turn off the water. It was remarked that if this well was made a supply well, the District could pay the maintenance, and the pumping costs when it was being turned into the District system. John suggested pro rating the maintenance cost as well as the pumping costs. D. L. stated the alternatives as he sees is to shut off the system, or pick up the maintenance costs on all wells on the system. Dale cautioned the Board about the potentiality of law suits, and we have to be very careful about being fair to all customers. Maki suggested if the District pays the bills the well should pump into the system, and they take turns. Jim Walker suggested the District use MIC's method of allocating water turns. It was replied this might not work with a pressurized system. Gary Wilson suggested if this well goes on turns like every one else, and then just turn the well off because this well would do no good in the system. A turn of several days at a time.

CARMICHAEL/
BEEMAN WELLS

The turn length was discussed, and it was asked if WATER TURNS as much as a weekly turn might be more efficient.

David Maki suggested since the Governor has made DISASTER LOAN the State of Utah a disaster area, and we should apply for POSSIBILITY disaster funds to offset some of these drought related expenses.

Bill McDougald moved to pick up maintenance costs MAINTENANCE OF for the wells turned into the system, as long as they are PRIVATE WELLS abiding by the turn system adopted by the Board. The Board TURNED INTO reserves the right to accept or reject any offers of wells. SYSTEM Jim seconded. motion passed unanimously.

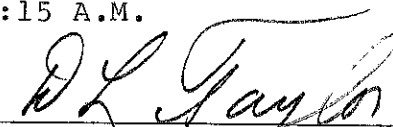
Bill McDougald moved to accept costs on only the BEEMAN WELL 50hp Beeman well on Carmichael property. Jim Walker seconded. Motion passed.

It was suggested the outlet of the reservoir be CLOSE RESERVOIR closed so that if any water comes into the reservoir we can OUTLET save it for the upper users.

The meeting adjourned at 9:15 A.M.

ADJOURNMENT

ATTEST:


D. L. Taylor, Chairman

Dale Pierson, Sec'y/Treasurer