# MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COTTONWOOD WATER AND SANITATION DISTRICT

HELD: January 10, 2025 at 6:00 pm Fleming's Prime Steakhouse & Wine Bar 191 Inverness Drive West Englewood, CO 80112

#### ATTENDEES

Directors present:

Linda Dillon, Ron Hilton, Judy Lavell, Steven McCulloch and William Thomas.

Others present:

Luis Tovar, Laurie Tatlock, Mulhern MRE, Inc.; and guests; Kristi Tovar, John Tatlock, Cam Thomas, Jane Hulko, Kim O'Day, and Pat and Peg Mulhern.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, the statements for the Directors, filed with the State of Colorado, Division of Local Governments were ratified.

# **COTTONWOOD DINNER**

There were no Board actions.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business to come before the Board and upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned. The next regular meeting is scheduled for Thursday, January 16, 2024, at 6:30 p.m. 8051 South Jordan Road, Englewood, CO.

READ AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD:

Date: /amm 14, 2025

William Thomas, Secretary

# MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COTTONWOOD WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT

January 17, 2025

#### **ATTENDEES**

Directors present: Bill Thomas, Steve McCulloch, Linda Dillon, Ron Hilton and Judy Lavell

Others present: Luis Tovar, Enika Stasko, Becca Haines; Mulhern MRE, Inc.; and Carolyn Steffl; Dietze and Davis, P.C.

#### THE AGENDA

The Board considered the proposed agenda. Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon and upon vote, agenda was unanimously adopted as presented.

#### PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no members of the public present.

#### CONSENT AGENDA

The Board considered the Consent Agenda. The Consent Agenda included;

- Approval of the minutes from the meetings held December 19, 2024 and January 10, 2025;
- Approval of Disconnect List dated January 14, 2025;
- Approval of checks numbered, 23299-23330, listed on the check register;
  - Wire transfer to Colorado Water Conservation Board for \$19,478.13 for CWCB Note A Debt Service;
  - o ACH 12/30/2024, Payroll Specialists, \$634.69 Director Payroll;
  - o ACH payment to Xcel Energy on 12/23/2024 for \$110.08 and on 12/24/2024 for \$59.00;
  - o ACH payment to Xpress Bill Pay on 01/05/2025 for \$1,479.75; and
- Disclosure of potential conflicts of interest

Following Board discussion and upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon, and upon vote, the Board approved the consent agenda as presented.

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Enika Stasko reviewed the Financial Statements for the period ending November 30, 2024 with the Board. After review and discussion, upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Lavell, and upon vote, the Board accepted the Financial Statements for the period ending November 30, 2024.

# CHAMBERS RESERVOIR UPDATE

Luis Tovar updated the Board on the current status with Chambers Reservoir and answered Board questions.

#### **MANAGER'S REPORT**

Luis Tovar reviewed with the Board the Manager's Report dated January 16, 2025.

### **ACTION ITEMS**

A. 2024 Audited Financial Engagement Letter – Wipfli - \$9,000

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Hilton, and upon vote, the action items listed above in the total amount of \$9,000.

**REPORTS** 

**Legal Report** – Carolyn Steffl reviewed the legal report with the Board.

**DIRECTOR ITEMS** 

Director Thomas requested an extra day or two to examine the Board packet before the meetings.

**ADJOURNMENT** 

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Lavell and upon vote, unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned at 7:43 p.m.

The next regular meeting of the Board is scheduled for Thursday, February 20, 2025 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at 8334 Sandreed Circle, Parker, CO.

READ AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD:

Date: 1 Sommy 20, 2025

# MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COTTONWOOD WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT

February 20, 2025

#### ATTENDEES

Directors present: Bill Thomas, Steve McCulloch, Linda Dillon, and Ron Hilton.

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon, and upon vote, Director Judy Lavell's absence was excused.

Others present: Luis Tovar, Enika Stasko, Becca Haines; Mulhern MRE, Inc.; and Carolyn Steffl; Dietze and Davis, P.C.

#### THE AGENDA

The Board considered the proposed agenda. Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon and upon vote, agenda was unanimously adopted as presented.

#### PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no members of the public present.

#### **CONSENT AGENDA**

The Board considered the Consent Agenda. The Consent Agenda included;

- Approval of the minutes from the meetings held January 17, 2025;
- Approval of Disconnect List dated February 18, 2025;
- Approval of checks numbered, 23299-23330, listed on the check register;
  - o Wire transfer to US Bank NA, 2006B Debt Service payment, for \$349.994.11;
  - o ACH payment 2/03/2025 to Path Point Merchant Services for \$5,394.44;
  - o ACH 1/27/2025, Payroll Specialists, \$634.69 Director Payroll;
  - o ACH payments to Xcel Energy on 1/28/2025 for \$59.54 and for \$97.66;
  - o ACH payment to Xpress Bill Pay on 02/05/2025 for \$1,733.06; and
- Disclosure of potential conflicts of interest

Following Board discussion and upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Hilton, and upon vote, the Board approved the consent agenda as presented.

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Enika Stasko reviewed the Financial Statements for the period ending December 31, 2024 with the Board. After review and discussion, upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Hilton, and upon vote, the Board accepted the Financial Statements for the period ending December 31, 2024.

# CONSIDER ACWWA-CWSD IGA RE: FOR PURCHASE AND SALE OF CHAMBERS RESERVOIR WATER STORAGE AND INLET AND OUTLET CAPACITY AND FOR TRADE OF RAW WATER DELIVERY SYSTEM

Luis Tovar reviewed the terms of the agreement to be made between Arapahoe County Water and Wastewater Authority (ACWWA) and Cottonwood Water and Sanitation District (CWSD) regarding the purchase and sale of Chambers Reservoir water storage and inlet and outlet capacity, as well as for trade of raw water delivery system.

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon, and upon vote, the ACWWA-CWSD IGA Re: purchase and sale of Chambers Reservoir water storage and inlet and outlet capacity, as well as for trade of raw water delivery system was approved in substantially the forms presented, and authorized the manager and attorneys to finalize the forms.

# CONSIDER ACWWA-CWSD IGA RE: MUTUAL TRADE OF RAW WATER SYSTEM CAPACITY

Luis Tovar reviewed the terms of the agreement to be made between ACWWA and CWSD regarding the mutual trade of raw water system capacity.

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon, and upon vote, the ACWWA-CWSD IGA Re: mutual trade of raw water system capacity was approved in substantially the forms presented, and authorized the manager and attorneys to finalize the forms.

# CONSIDER ACWWA-CWSD IGA RE: OPERATION, MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, AND IMPROVEMENT OF CHAMBERS RESERVOIR AND RAW WATER DELIVERY SYSTEMS

Luis Tovar reviewed the terms of the agreement to be made between ACWWA and CWSD regarding the operation, maintenance, repair and improvement of Chambers Reservoir and raw water delivery systems.

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon, and upon vote, the ACWWA-CWSD IGA Re: Operation, maintenance, repair and improvement of Chambers Reservoir and raw delivery systems was approved in substantially the forms presented, and authorized the manager and attorneys to finalize the forms.

#### MANAGER'S REPORT

Luis Tovar reviewed with the Board the Manager's Report dated February 18, 2025.

### **ACTION ITEMS**

A. Well 3 Rehab Program – Applied Ingenuity – not-to-exceed \$19,000

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon, and upon vote, the action items listed above in the total amount not-to-exceed \$19,000.

**REPORTS** Legal Report – Carolyn Steffl reviewed the legal report with the Board.

**Dashboard** – Luis Tovar reviewed the dashboard with the Board.

**DIRECTOR ITEMS** There were no additional Director's Items.

# ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon and upon vote, unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

The next regular meeting of the Board is scheduled for Thursday, March 20, 2025 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at 8051 S Jordan Rd, Englewood, CO.

READ AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD:

Date: March 20, 2025
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# MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COTTONWOOD WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT

March 20, 2025

#### **ATTENDEES**

Directors present: Bill Thomas, Steve McCulloch, Linda Dillon, and Ron Hilton. Judy Lavell attended via electronic device.

Others present: Luis Tovar, Enika Stasko, Becca Haines; Mulhern MRE, Inc.; and Daniel Rubin, Dietze and Davis, P.C.

#### THE AGENDA

The Board considered the proposed agenda. Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Hilton and upon vote, agenda was unanimously adopted as presented.

#### PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no members of the public present.

#### CONSENT AGENDA

The Board considered the Consent Agenda. The Consent Agenda included;

- Approval of the minutes from the meetings held February 20, 2025;
- Approval of Disconnect List dated March 17, 2025;
- Approval of checks numbered, 23363-23395, listed on the check register;
  - o ACH payment 3/3/2025 to Path Point Merchant Services for \$4,117.28;
  - o ACH 2/25/2025, Payroll Specialists, \$521.63 Director Payroll;
  - o ACH payments to Xcel Energy on 2/25/2025 for \$115.48 and an 2/26/2025 for \$61.48;
  - o ACH payment to Xpress Bill Pay on 3/5/2025 for \$1,648.07; and
- Disclosure of potential conflicts of interest

Following Board discussion and upon motion duly made by Director Hilton, seconded by Director Thomas, and upon vote, the Board approved the consent agenda as presented.

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Enika Stasko reviewed the Financial Statements for the period ending January 31, 2025 with the Board. After review and discussion, upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon, and upon vote, the Board accepted the Financial Statements for the period ending January 31, 2025.

#### **UPDATE: CREDIT CARD FEES**

Luis Tovar updated the Board on expenses related to credit card fees and options that are available to the District to mitigate costs.

# **MANAGER'S REPORT**

Luis Tovar reviewed with the Board the Manager's Report dated March 20, 2025.

#### REPORTS

**Legal Report** – Daniel Rubin reviewed the legal report with the Board.

**Dashboard** – Luis Tovar reviewed the dashboard with the Board.

#### **DIRECTOR ITEMS** There were no additional Director's Items.

# ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Hilton and upon vote, unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

The next regular meeting of the Board is scheduled for Thursday, April 17, 2025 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at 8334 Sandreed Cir, Paker, CO.

READ AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD:

Date: April 17, 2825

# MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COTTONWOOD WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT

April 7, 2025

**ATTENDEES** 

Directors present: Bill Thomas, Linda Dillon, and Ron Hilton.

Upon motion duly made, seconded, and upon unanimous vote, Director Steven

McCulloch's absence was excused.

Others present: Luis Tovar, Enika Stasko, Mulhern MRE, Inc.

THE AGENDA

The Board considered the proposed agenda. Upon motion duly made, seconded,

and upon unanimous vote, the agenda was unanimously adopted as presented.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no members of the public present.

FINANCIAL WORKSHOP

Luis Tovar updated the Board on the financial options available to the District.

No action was taken by the Board at this time.

**ADJOURNMENT** 

Upon motion duly made, seconded, and upon unanimous vote, the meeting was

adjourned.

The next regular meeting of the Board is scheduled for Thursday, April 17, 2025 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at

8334 Sandreed Circle, Paker, CO.

READ AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD:

Date: April 17, 2025

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# MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COTTONWOOD WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT

April 17, 2025

#### **ATTENDEES**

Directors present: Bill Thomas, Linda Dillon, and Ron Hilton.

Upon motion duly made, seconded, and upon unanimous vote, Director Steven McCulloch's absence was excused.

Others present: Luis Tovar and Becca Haines; Mulhern MRE, Inc.; and Carolyn Steffl, Dietze and Davis, P.C.; Enika Stasko with Mulhern MRE, Inc attended via electronic device.

#### THE AGENDA

The Board considered the proposed agenda. Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon and upon vote, agenda was unanimously adopted as presented.

#### PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no members of the public present.

#### CONSENT AGENDA

The Board considered the Consent Agenda. The Consent Agenda included;

- Approval of the minutes from the meetings held March 20, 2025 and April 7, 2025;
- Approval of Disconnect List dated April 11, 2025;
- Approval of checks numbered, 23397-23434, listed on the check register;
  - o ACH payment 4/3/2025 to Path Point Merchant Services for \$5,672.39;
  - o ACH 3/27/2025, Payroll Specialists, \$748.39 Director Payroll;
  - o ACH payments to Xcel Energy on 3/27/2025 for \$110.36 and \$60.51;
  - o ACH payment to Xpress Bill Pay on 4/5/2025 for \$1,699.29; and
- Disclosure of potential conflicts of interest

Following Board discussion and upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon, and upon vote, the Board approved the consent agenda as presented.

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Enika Stasko reviewed the Financial Statements for the period ending February 28, 2025 with the Board. After review and discussion, upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon, and upon vote, the Board accepted the Financial Statements for the period ending February 28, 2025.

# DIRECTOR RESIGNATION LETTER

Luis Tovar presented Judy Lavell's resignation letter to the Board and a Resolution in recognition of her service to the District.

Following Board discussion and upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Hilton and upon vote, the Board approved the Resolution in Recognition of Judy Lavell's Service to the District.

#### **MANAGER'S REPORT**

Luis Tovar reviewed with the Board the Manager's Report dated April 17, 2025. The Board directed Staff and Legal to review the JWPP Operations Agreement with Jacobs and update if necessary.

#### **ACTION ITEMS**

Luis Tovar reviewed the following Action Items with the Board:

- A. Well 2 Well House Floor Replacement Chavez Services, LLC -\$21,600
- B. Well 2 12" Water Line Fittings Replacement DEVCO Services, LLC. - \$7.500
- C. Well 2 New VFD DEVCO Services, LLC \$83,200
- D. Emergency Local Connections Project Survey for Civil Design -Inverness Water & Sanitation District - \$5,400
- E. Emergency Local Connections Project Project Participation Inverness Water & Sanitation District - \$275,100

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Hilton, and upon vote, the action items listed above in the total amount of \$392,800.

#### REPORTS

**Dashboard** – Luis Tovar reviewed the dashboard with the Board.

**Legal Report** – Carolyn Steffl reviewed the legal report with the Board.

**DIRECTOR ITEMS** Director Thomas requested that Staff and Legal look into the Douglas County Home Rule Charter and how it might affect the District's operations.

> Director Thomas requested that the newsletters be sent to him for review before finalizing and sending to the customers.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon and upon vote, unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned at 8:13 p.m.

The next regular meeting of the Board is scheduled for Thursday, May 15, 2025 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at 8051 South Jordan Road, Englewood, CO.

READ AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD:

Date: May 15, 2025

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# MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COTTONWOOD WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT

May 15, 2025

#### **ATTENDEES**

Directors present: Bill Thomas, Linda Dillon, Steven McCulloch, and Ron Hilton.

Others present: Luis Tovar, Enika Stasko and Becca Haines; Mulhern MRE, Inc.; and Carolyn Steffl, Dietze and Davis, P.C.

#### THE AGENDA

The Board considered the proposed agenda. The agenda was amended and the Oaths of Office were administered before the meeting began. Director Thomas administered the Oaths of Office with Director Dillon and Director Hilton before calling the meeting to order at 6:34pm. Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon and upon vote, the revised agenda was unanimously adopted.

#### PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no members of the public present.

#### CONSENT AGENDA

The Board considered the Consent Agenda. The Consent Agenda included;

- Approval of the minutes from the meetings held April 17, 2025;
- Approval of Disconnect List dated May 12, 2025;
- Approval of checks numbered, 23435-23469, listed on the check register;
  - o ACH 4/24/2025, Payroll Specialists, \$732.12 Director Payroll;
  - o ACH payments to Xcel Energy on 4/28/2025 for \$61.29 and on 4.29.2025 for \$93.08;
  - o ACH payment to Xpress Bill Pay on 4/5/2025 for \$1,696.59;
- Disclosure of potential conflicts of interest; and
- Approval of the Audit Extension Form

Following Board discussion and upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Hilton, and upon vote, the Board approved the consent agenda as presented. Director Dillon signed the Audit Extension form once approved.

### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Enika Stasko reviewed the Financial Statements for the period ending March 31, 2025 with the Board. After review and discussion, upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon, and upon vote, the Board accepted the Financial Statements for the period ending March 31, 2025.

#### OFFICER ELECTION AND OATHS OF OFFICE

The Board discussed their most recent officer roles and what each position entails.

The last positions were: Linda Dillon – President William Thomas – Vice President/Secretary Ronald Hilton – Acting Treasurer After Board discussion, Director Hilton made a motion to keep officer positions as is, Director Thomas second the motion and upon vote unanimously carried, the Board accepted to keep Board Officers as-is:

Linda Dillon – President Bill Thomas – Vice President/Secretary Ronald Hilton – Treasurer

### MANAGER'S REPORT

Luis Tovar reviewed with the Board the Manager's Report dated May 15, 2025 and addressed Board questions.

#### **ACTION ITEMS**

Luis Tovar reviewed the following Action Items with the Board:

- A. JWPP HVAC System Project ISG
- B. JWPP BTS Sulfite Study Hazen and Sawyer \$60,000
- C. Crown Point Booster Pump Station Emergency Power Generator Wagner Cat \$93,750

Total: \$153,750

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Hilton, and upon vote, the action items listed above in the total amount of \$153,750.

**REPORTS** Dashboard – Luis Toyar reviewed the dashboard with the Board.

**Legal Report** – Carolyn Steffl reviewed the legal report with the Board.

**DIRECTOR ITEMS** Director Thomas asked legal to summarize the Douglas County Home Rule Charter vote and how it may affect the district.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon and upon vote, unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

The next regular meeting of the Board is scheduled for Thursday, June 19, 2025 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at 8051 South Jordan Road, Englewood, CO.

READ AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD:

Date: 1/19/25 Lenda Dellon

# MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COTTONWOOD WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT

June 19, 2025

### ATTENDEES

Directors present: Linda Dillon, Steven McCulloch, and Ron Hilton.

Upon motion duly made by Director Dillon, seconded by Director Hilton and upon vote, Bill Thomas' absence was excused.

Others present: Luis Tovar, Enika Stasko and Becca Haines; Mulhern MRE, Inc.; and Carolyn Steffl, Dietze and Davis, P.C.

### THE AGENDA

The Board considered the proposed agenda. Upon motion duly made by Director Dillon, seconded by Director McCulloch and upon vote, the revised agenda was unanimously adopted.

#### PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no members of the public present.

#### CONSENT AGENDA

The Board considered the Consent Agenda. The Consent Agenda included;

- Approval of the minutes from the meetings held May 15, 2025;
- Approval of Disconnect List dated June 16, 2025;
- Approval of checks numbered, 23470-23496, listed on the check register;
  - o Wire transfer BOKF, NA 2025 Interest Only Payment for \$9,021.00;
  - o ACH 6/1/2025, Path Point Merchant Services for \$5,479.93;
  - o ACH 5/30/2025, Payroll Specialists, \$558.02 Director Payroll;
  - o ACH payments to Xcel Energy on 5/23/2025 for \$70.47 and on 5/27/2025 for \$60.66; and
- Disclosure of potential conflicts of interest

Following Board discussion and upon motion duly made by Director Dillon, seconded by Director Hilton, and upon vote, the Board approved the consent agenda as presented.

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Enika Stasko reviewed the Financial Statements for the period ending April 30, 2025 with the Board. After review and discussion, upon motion duly made by Director Dillon, seconded by Director Hilton, and upon vote, the Board accepted the Financial Statements for the period ending April 30, 2025.

### MANAGER'S REPORT

Luis Tovar reviewed with the Board the Manager's Report dated June 19, 2025 and addressed Board questions.

# REPORTS

Dashboard - Luis Tovar reviewed the dashboard with the Board.

Legal Report – Carolyn Steffl reviewed the legal report with the Board.

**DIRECTOR ITEMS** There were no additional items to discuss.

# ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion duly made by Director Dillon, seconded by Director Hilton and upon vote, unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned at 7:58 p.m.

The next regular meeting of the Board is scheduled for Thursday, July 17, 2025 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at 8051 South Jordan Road, Englewood, CO.

READ AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD:

Date: July 17, 2025
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# MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COTTONWOOD WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT

July 17, 2025

#### **ATTENDEES**

Directors present: Bill Thomas, Linda Dillon, Steven McCulloch, and Ron Hilton.

Others present: Luis Tovar, Enika Stasko and Becca Haines; Mulhern MRE, Inc.; and Carolyn Steffl, Dietze and Davis, P.C.

#### THE AGENDA

The Board considered the proposed agenda. Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon and upon vote, the revised agenda was unanimously adopted.

#### PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no members of the public present.

#### CONSENT AGENDA

The Board considered the Consent Agenda. The Consent Agenda included;

- Approval of the minutes from the meetings held June 19, 2025;
- Approval of Disconnect List dated July 14, 2025;
- Approval of checks numbered, 23497-23529, listed on the check register;
  - o ACH 6/23/2025, Payroll Specialists, \$408.57 Director Payroll;
  - o ACH payments to Xcel Energy on 6/30/2025 for \$61.48 and \$60.97; and
- Disclosure of potential conflicts of interest

Following Board discussion and upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon, and upon vote, the Board approved the consent agenda as presented.

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Enika Stasko reviewed the Financial Statements for the period ending May 31, 2025 with the Board. After review and discussion, upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon, and upon vote, the Board accepted the Financial Statements for the period ending May 31, 2025.

#### MANAGER'S REPORT

Luis Tovar reviewed with the Board the Manager's Report dated July 17, 2025 and addressed Board questions.

# **ACTION ITEMS**

Luis Tovar reviewed the following Action Items with the Board:

A. JWPP BTS Planning Study Additional Support – Hazen & Sawyer - \$20,000

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Hilton and upon vote, the Action Item listed above in the total amount of \$20,000 was approved.

#### **REPORTS**

**Dashboard** – Luis Tovar reviewed the dashboard with the Board.

**Legal Report** – Carolyn Steffl reviewed the legal report with the Board.

#### **DIRECTOR ITEMS**

Director Thomas asked about the SDA conference and if the Board was registered. Luis Tovar confirmed registration.

Director Thomas asked about an e-mail he received, Luis confirmed it was not a scam but instead a recycling program for the old wastewater plant.

Director Hilton indicated that he would not be available for the August meeting originally planned for August 21st.

Luis indicated that he would also be unavailable on August 21<sup>st</sup>. The Board discussed moving the August meeting to August 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm.

Director Thomas introduced a motion to change the August meeting from Thursday, August 21<sup>st</sup> to Wednesday, August 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm. Director Dillon seconded the motion and upon vote, the Board unanimously approved the change in date for the August meeting.

#### ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon and upon vote, unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

The next regular meeting of the Board is scheduled for Wednesday, August 20, 2025 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at 8334 Sandreed Circle, Parker, CO.

READ AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD:

Date: August 20, 2025

# MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COTTONWOOD WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT

August 20, 2025

#### **ATTENDEES**

Directors present: Bill Thomas, Linda Dillon, Steven McCulloch, and Ron Hilton.

Others present: Luis Tovar, Enika Stasko and Becca Haines; Mulhern MRE, Inc.; and Carolyn Steffl, Dietze and Davis, P.C.

#### THE AGENDA

The Board considered the proposed agenda. Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon and upon vote, the revised agenda was unanimously adopted.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

There were no members of the public present.

#### **CONSENT AGENDA**

The Board considered the Consent Agenda. The Consent Agenda included;

- Approval of the minutes from the meeting held July 17, 2025;
- Approval of Disconnect List dated August 18, 2025;
- Approval of checks numbered, 23530-23565, listed on the check register;
  - o Wire payment 7/30/2025 to US Bank for 2006B Debt Service for \$353,544.11;
  - o ACH payment to Path Point Merchant Services, \$6995.39;
  - o ACH 7/21/2025, Payroll Specialists, \$521.63 Director Payroll and 8/1/2025, \$16.54 PR Fees;
  - o ACH payments to Xcel Energy on 6/30/2025 for \$61.44 and \$56.99;
  - o ACH payment to Xpress Bill Pay on 8/5/2025 for \$1,758.13; and
- Disclosure of potential conflicts of interest

Following Board discussion and upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon, and upon vote, the Board amended the approval of the consent agenda to allow staff to sign pending checks.

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Enika Stasko reviewed the Financial Statements for the period ending June 30, 2025 with the Board. After review and discussion, upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon, and upon vote, the Board accepted the Financial Statements for the period ending June 30, 2025.

### EMERGENCY CONNECTIONS PROJECT - PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

Luis Tovar updated the Board on the Emergency Connections Project and reviewed the draft of the Participation Agreement.

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Hilton and upon vote, the Board unanimously approved the Memorandum of Understanding for the Emergency Connections Project in substantially the form presented, authorizing Luis and Carolyn to finalize the agreement for signing.

### CHAMBERS RESERVOIR UPDATE

Luis Tovar updated the Board on the Chambers Reservoir agreement.

#### MANAGER'S REPORT

Luis Tovar reviewed with the Board the Manager's Report dated August 20, 2025 and addressed Board questions.

#### **ACTION ITEMS**

Luis Tovar reviewed the following Action Items with the Board:

- A. Cottonwood Highlands Non-Potable Irrigation Connection Project Remove all potable irrigation services for parks and open spaces and replace them with new non-potable service lines, including reconnection to service meters:
- a. Prime Construction: \$ 128,600
- b. L&M Trenchless: \$59,500
- c. ETC (traffic control equipment & services): \$29,600
- d. Galloway Engineering: \$7,900
- e. Ground Engineering: \$6,400
- f. Mulhern MRE, Inc.: \$36,400
- g. Project Contingency @ 5%: \$13,420

Item A Total: 281,820

**B. 2019 Bonds Debt Service Payment** – Ratify scheduled bond payment, principal and interest, due on September 1, 2025. \$638,250 (P: \$622,000 & I: \$16,250).

Total Action items: \$920,070

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Hilton and upon vote, Action Item A was approved for a total of \$281,820.

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas seconded by Director McCulloch and upon vote, Action Item B was ratified for a total of \$638,250.

### **REPORTS**

**Dashboard** – Luis Tovar reviewed the dashboard with the Board.

**Legal Report** – Carolyn Steffl reviewed the legal report with the Board.

### **DIRECTOR ITEMS**

Director McCulloch asked about the possibility of using solar panels to reduce evaporation in the reservoirs. Luis Tovar answered Board questions.

#### ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Dillon and upon vote, unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

The next regular meeting of the Board is scheduled for Thursday, September 18, 2025 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at 8051 South Jordan Road, Englewood, CO.

### READ AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD:

Date: 9/29/2025

Signed by:

William (, Tuomas

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# MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COTTONWOOD WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT

September 18, 2025

#### ATTENDEES

Directors present: Linda Dillon, Steven McCulloch, and Ron Hilton.

Upon motion made, seconded and upon vote, the Board unanimously excused Bill Thomas' absence.

Others present: Luis Tovar, Enika Stasko and Becca Haines; Mulhern MRE, Inc.; and Carolyn Steffl, Dietze and Davis, P.C.

#### THE AGENDA

The Board considered the proposed agenda. Luis Tovar asked that item number VI, 2024 Financial Audit, be removed from the agenda. Upon motion duly made by Director Hilton, seconded by Director Dillon and upon vote, the revised agenda was unanimously adopted.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

There were no members of the public present.

#### **CONSENT AGENDA**

The Board considered the Consent Agenda. The Consent Agenda included;

- Approval of the minutes from the meeting held August 20, 2025;
- Approval of Disconnect List dated September 15, 2025;
- Approval of checks numbered, 23568-23596, listed on the check register;
  - o Wire payment 8/29/2025 to BOKF, NA for Series 2019 Bond Payment for \$638,144.01;
  - o ACH payment to Path Point Merchant Services, \$6246.75;
  - o ACH 8/25/2025, Payroll Specialists, \$521.63 Director Payroll;
  - o ACH payments to Xcel Energy on 8/22/2025 for \$55.89 and 8/25/2025 for \$59.55;
  - o ACH payment to Xpress Bill Pay on 9/5/2025 for \$1,785.09; and
- Disclosure of potential conflicts of interest

Following Board discussion and upon motion duly made by Director Dillon, seconded by Director Hilton, and upon vote, the Board amended the approval of the consent agenda to allow staff to sign pending checks.

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Enika Stasko reviewed the Financial Statements for the period ending July 31, 2025 with the Board. After review and discussion, upon motion duly made by Director Hilton, seconded by Director Dillon, and upon vote, the Board accepted the Financial Statements for the period ending July 31, 2025.

### 2026 DRAFT BUDGET

Luis Tovar presented the 2026 Draft Budget to the Board.

### EMERGENCY CONNECTIONS PROJECT PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

Luis Tovar presented the Emergency Connections Project Participation Agreement to the Board.

Following Board discussion and upon motion duly made by Director Dillon, seconded by Director Hilton, and upon vote, the Board approved the Emergency Connections Project Participation Agreement.

#### MANAGER'S REPORT

Luis Tovar reviewed with the Board the Manager's Report dated September 18, 2025 and addressed Board questions.

#### **ACTION ITEMS**

Luis Tovar reviewed the following Action Items with the Board:

- A. Well D4A In-Building Piping Upgrades Excel Pumps \$54,210
- B. Truck Replacement Inverness Water & Sanitation District \$9,500

Total Action items: \$63,710

Upon motion duly made by Director Dillon, seconded by Director Hilton and upon vote, Action Item A was approved for a total of \$63,710.

**REPORTS** 

**Dashboard** – Luis Tovar reviewed the dashboard with the Board.

**Legal Report** – Carolyn Steffl reviewed the legal report with the Board.

DIRECTOR ITEMS

Director Hilton shared details about a fire mitigation presentation that he attended. He pointed out that there is a hydrant on the corner of Acer and Jordan that is hidden by evergreens. Luis explained that some of those hydrants belong to ACWWA.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Upon motion duly made by Director Dillon, seconded by Director Hilton and upon vote, unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned at 7:56 p.m.

The next regular meeting of the Board is scheduled for Thursday, October 16, 2025 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at 8334 Sandreed Circle, Parker, CO.

READ AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD:

Date: October 14, 2025

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# MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COTTONWOOD WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT

September 30, 2025

**ATTENDEES** 

Directors present via electronic device: Linda Dillon, Steven McCulloch, Bill

Thomas and Ron Hilton.

Others present via electronic device: Luis Tovar, Enika Stasko and Becca

Haines; Mulhern MRE, Inc.; and Carolyn Steffl, Dietze and Davis, P.C.

THE AGENDA

The Board considered the proposed agenda. Upon motion duly made by Director Dillon, seconded by Director Hilton and upon vote, the revised agenda was unanimously adopted.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no members of the public present.

2024 FINANCIAL AUDIT

Luis Tovar and Enika Stasko reviewed the 2024 Financial Audit with the Board. After review and discussion, upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Hilton, and upon vote, the Board accepted the 2024 Financial Audit subject to changes that were identified during the presentation. Staff will submit the audit to the state.

**ADJOURNMENT** 

Upon motion duly made by Director Thomas, seconded by Director Hilton and upon vote, unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned at 5:18 p.m.

The next regular meeting of the Board is scheduled for Thursday, October 16, 2025 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at 8334 Sandreed Circle, Parker, CO.

READ AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD: