# MORGAN MILL WATER SUPPLY CORPORATION MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS August 13, 2024

## **RECITATION OF AUTHORITY**

The monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Morgan Mill Water Supply Corporation was held at the Morgan Mill Water Office, 20735 N US 281, Stephenville, Texas 76401, on June 11, 2024, at 7:03 pm.

Open Forum: No items

Quorum: Board members present were:

Robert Seabourn -- President Sharon Hogan -- Vice President

Andy Maldonado - Secretary /Treasurer

Andrew Taylor Melissa Bostock James Gilliss

Staff:

Red Kinsey - Site Manager

JT Morris - Licensed Water Operator

Robert Seabourn established a guorum and called the meeting to order at 7:03 pm.

**Minutes:** Minutes of the July 11, 2024 meeting were reviewed by Board. Sharon Hogan made motion to approve minutes, Andrew Taylor seconded and the motion carried all in favor.

## Secretary/Treasurer Report:

a. Bills/Invoices:

Robert Seabourn made a motion to pay the bills. James seconded and the motion carried all in favor.

- b. Financial Update:
  - Member outreach Sharon discussed plans to prepare member and elected officials briefing on MWSC situation and new water system efforts and financial impacts. Tabled to next meeting.
  - Income Survey Tabled pending WUTAP assessment of potential grant funding sources.
- c. System Report:
  - Diamond Mapping Mostly finished. Available to consultants.
  - Lead & Copper Testing Due June through September 2024
  - Lead Line Inventory Due October 16, 2024 Incomplete
- d. Past Due List Board reviewed past due accounts. No action required.

#### **Old Business:**

- a. New Water System Update:
  - WUTAP Contract Sharon Hogan, Deborah Morris and Andy Maldonado participated in August 7 video conference with New Generation Solutions & strategies and HR Green Engineering our WUTAP Grant consultants. The scope-of-work was reviewed.

Goals identified for the consultants included: getting a new water source and facilities adequate for future growth; meter upgrades; better water loss control and monitoring; adequate fire flow and; better water quality. A preliminary action plan was developed that included: consultation with TWDB for approval of project priorities and plan of work; development of project tasks and schedule; focus on quick funding options through TWDB and SW Environmental Center and; development of comprehensive operational procedures. New Gen will sent MMWSC a detailed request for information to begin assessment of WSC finances and management/operational systems.

- -- Collier Hydrology Study: Contact with SW Environmental Center not finalized. Work has not begun on the project.
- -- Sharon Hogan has not completed outreach to elected officials yet.
- b. <u>Update on Financial Assistance:</u>
  WFX efforts to obtain grants are paused, since the WUTAP project has been funded and those consultants will coordinate with WFX and other entities concerning grants and loans.
- c. Service Reports:
  - -- Two dwellings on one meter: Baptist Church fellowship Hall and Youth Pastor House need separate meters. WSC has not gotten paperwork back from church yet and will follow up with them.
  - -- Repairs and Leaks:
    - Dana Miller Line broke between the meter on the road and her front field.
    - John Quarels called in a leak near Scott Ball's property on CR 103 at North gate. WSC did not have documentation of a meter and line at that location. There once was a house there that burned down a long time ago. The meter was shut off and the leaking line repaired and it was added to Diamond Maps.
    - A worker doing work for Chapman's pulled into drive with a large trailer and ran over the meter box. The worker will do the repair on the customer's side. WSC staff repaired the distribution line to the meter.
    - The school was unable to turn off the water to repair toilets. JT repaired the WSC side and the school hired JT to repair their customer side.
    - The Masonic Lodge water use was high for July 2024. As typical use is minimal, the site will be checked for leaks.
- d. Commercial Rates and Tariff Modifications: Tabled
- e. Budget and Auditing: Tabled

#### **New Business:**

- a. <u>Online Payment Update:</u> Melissa Bostock is still working on getting that set up. Issues to be resolved are: integration with auto books, invoicing, and reporting.
- b. Review of Insurance: Tabled as comparison analysis. not available yet.

Next Monthly Board Meeting is September 10, 2024

Meeting adjorned at 8:13 pm.

Prepared By:	
	Andy Maldonado – Sec/ Treasurer
	Sharon Hogan - Vice President
Meeting Chair:	
	Robert Seabourn - President

Morgan Mill Water Supply Corporation Board Meeting Minutes Dated: August 13 2024