# **South Toledo Bend Water District**



3260 Little Flock Road • Many, LA. 71449



Malcolm Franks, President • Michael Pitt, Vice President
Michael Walker, Secretary/Treasurer
Commissioners: Tim Collins • Donald Owen

#### **Minutes of South Toledo Bend Water Board**

### August 3, 2023

Board Members Present: Malcolm Franks, Mike Walker, Mike Pitt, Don Owen (via phone), Tim Collins Others Present: Rick Leonard, Stephen Steinke, Shane Sloane

Meeting was called to order at 5:30 PM by Malcolm Franks. A prayer was said, the roll was called and there was a quorum to conduct business.

A motion to adopt the agenda was made by Mike Pitt, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Tim Collins, motion passed.

No public present.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- 1. The minutes of the July 6<sup>th</sup> and July 21<sup>st</sup> meetings were brought to the floor for approval. A motion to approve the minutes of the July 6<sup>th</sup> & July 21st meetings was made by Tim Collins, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mike Walker, motion passed unanimously.
- 2. The treasurer's report was presented by Mike Walker. The bank balance sheet, along with a list of checks written, was given to each board member. A motion to accept the treasurer's report was made by Mike Pitt, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Tim Collins, motion passed.
- 3. A motion authorizing payment of the bills was made by Mike Walker, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mike Pitt, motion passed unanimously.
- 4. 2024 budget review: Stephen Steinke presented the budget proposal. After review and discussion, all agreed to go ahead with the proposed budget. Mr. Steinke will put a notice in the newspaper stating that the budget will be available for review by the public.
- 5. Insurance renewal: Shane Sloane (Stiel Insurance) presented the insurance renewal information for the board's review. After review and discussion, all agreed to renew the insurance policy, based on the terms presented. Malcolm initialed and signed all documents. A check will be mailed once the invoice is received.
- 6. Grant funds update/Well Project/Pipeline update: Mark McCarty sent a project update sheet for the board members to review. The pad for the 2<sup>nd</sup> well was poured today.
- 7. 3<sup>rd</sup> phase project update: A motion to authorize Rick Leonard to start advertising for bids on the new building was made by Tim Collins, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mike Walker, all agreed, motion passed unanimously.
- 8. Rick Leonard presented the Superintendent's report for July 2023 to the Board:
  - All monthly State reports and samples sent to LADHH.

- For the month of June, the plant processed 10,057,000 gals of water @ an average of 324,419 gals. per day and shipped out 9,920,378 gals. of water @ an averaging of 320,012 gals. per day. Used 136,622 gallons for backwashing.
- Purchased: (SRA) 7,445,000 Sold 4,178,000 Difference 3,287,000 % 36.8
- GMC truck...down for repairs
- Mini-conference in October

A motion to accept the superintendent's monthly report was made by Mike Pitt, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Tim Collins, motion passed.

- 9. Announcements/Comments: None
- 10. There was no other business and <u>a motion to adjourn was made by Tim Collins, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mike Pitt, motion passed.</u>

NEXT BOARD MEETING: <u>Thursday, September 7, 2023, AT 5:30 PM</u> South Toledo Bend Water Plant – 3260 Little Flock Road, Many, LA 71449 Prepared by: Betty Maupin – Administrative Assistant Published Sabine Index – September 27, 2023



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