

Minutes of the South Richland Conservancy District's Board of Directors Meeting

May 13, 2021

ZOOM (On-line) Meeting

In attendance were: Joe Hunting, Chairman; Doug Garvison, Vice-Chairman; Jamie Schiff, Treasurer/Financial Clerk

The minutes from the District's Annual Meeting in February 2021 were approved.

Rich Martin provided a report on the water line's operation. Daily average water usage for February was 5,021 gal.; for March, 4,567 gal.; and for April, 5,158 gal. The Consumer Confidence Report was issued. Rich recently flushed the hydrants and heard from some residents regarding water quality.

The back-flow preventer was tested and passed. However, the relief valve didn't open at first. We have a spare that we can put on while the existing one is cleaned. D.A. Dodd can supply this service.

The electric heater must have suffered moisture. One can't turn the control knobs. It's suggested that we get a new heater with an indicator light to go on if the temperature dips too low. The air conditioning in the booster station isn't working. It has been scheduled for service. It's important to keep the instruments in the booster station cool.

It was suggested that we should obtain cell phone numbers of the water system's users so that we can send out text alerts for events such as hydrant flushing or any issues with the City's water supply. We will send out postcards soliciting this information.

Paul Stork from Wood, LLC gave an update on the groundwater remediation project. He is working on a closure report to submit to the Department of Environmental Management. The report will describe the remedial efforts undertaken, which included over 300 injection wells. A focus of the report will be on the groundwater stability monitoring. The report will show how the plume mass has decreased and is now limited largely to a small area behind the Acument plant.

The report will include a recommendation to maintain an annual groundwater monitoring program. Between forty and fifty wells will be proposed.

The annual court filing was made and insurance renewals have been put in place.

The next meeting of the Conservancy District's Board of Directors is scheduled for Thursday, August 12, commencing at 5:30 p.m. It will be a Zoom Meeting due to social distancing measures.

The meeting was thereupon adjourned.

Submitted



Jamieson Schiff, Treasurer/Financial Clerk