

**WATER DISTRICT #31
Dubois, Idaho
CLARK AND JEFFERSON COUNTIES, IDAHO**

RESOLUTIONS

The Chairman called for a motion to adopt the following resolutions.

High Water at Mud Lake

Be it hereby resolved, that the Watermaster be authorized to determine when diversion is needed and to divert any high water. That such water be considered stored in the aquifer, with rights to the water being retained by the district. Diversion of said waters would be by diverting at the Lone Tree Diversion pumping through the diversion canal at the Mud Lake Water Users.

Collection of Water Assessments

Be it hereby resolved, that no ditch, canal co., or other water user shall have the right to demand and receive water, and the Watermaster shall not deliver such water, until full payment is made. Said payment becomes due April 1, and becomes delinquent April 15, and if not paid by April 15, shall bear interest from the date of April 1, until paid at the rate of 8% per annum.

Be it further resolved that government agencies be exempt from the above provisions to the extent necessary for them to comply with payments according to the provisions of Federal law, and that the Watermaster of District 31, be authorized to enter into contract with said agencies of the United States for payment of assessment as provided in the budget.

Mud Lake Water Users

Be it hereby resolved, that any water user that completes the water year with a negative balance on the Mud Lake balance sheet shall have that negative balance carried forward to the April draft column on the balance sheet of the following year, and said negative balance shall be charged to the Mud Lake allotment of said following year, as set forth in part 5, paragraph 4 of the Mud Lake Decree.

District Billings and Collections

Be it hereby resolved that the Clark County Auditor make up a roll of all Water District 31 users to include all of Clark and Jefferson County users. Be it further resolved that the Clark County Treasurer mail out said billings and make collections of all Water District 31 Water Users to include all Jefferson County Water Users in said Water District 31 boundaries.

Be it further resolved that Clark County Clerk make all payments and disbursements owed by Water District 31, which are presented through the proper claims procedures. ~~which are common to other Clark County practices.~~ The Watermaster will send a monthly report of the water districts expenditures to the Chairman for review.

REGARDING OBSTRUCTIONS IN CHANNELS

No dam or other obstruction to the natural flow of Camas Creek or its tributaries shall be maintained so as to divert water from the channel of the stream, except through ditches, canals or other works provided with head gates, control works and measuring devices. Holders of water rights that were previously decreed in *Suave v. Abbott* to divert water from Camas Creek or any of

its tributaries, their successors, agents, servants and employees are hereby perpetually enjoined and restrained from maintaining in any stream or slough, or permitting to exist within such stream or slough where the same traverses their respective lands, or any land owned or controlled by them, any obstruction to the flow of water, except in connection with the diversions of water through head gates equipped with measuring devices. In the case any water right holder shall fail to remove any obstruction from the channel of Camas Creek or any of its tributaries within 7 days after receiving notice from the watermaster, who has determined that the obstruction interferes with water delivery, the watermaster may authorize a water user to remove such obstruction in accordance with applicable federal and state laws and regulations. The expense thereof shall be the responsibility of the water right holder requesting the removal.

ADOPT RESOLUTIONS:

Farrel Downs made a motion to adopt the resolutions with an addition to the "District Billing and Collection", Watermaster will send a monthly report of the water district's expenditures to the Chairman for review. Keith Shulburg seconded the motion. Motion passed.