

Minutes of the annual watermaster election of the Little Wood River Canal Company held March 7, 1994, at the Carey School Library at 1:00 P.M.

Those present were Darwin Parke, Kathi Peck, Dean Haskell, Jim Peterson, Dennis Stewart, Boyd Stocking, De Farnworth, George Kirkland, Randy Parke, John Cenarrusa, Blaine Tingey, Doug Jones (Water Resources), Joe Sorensen and Frank DeShon (Idaho Fish & Game).

Dar Parke, acting as chairman, noted that Kathi Peck would act as secretary for this meeting. He then called the meeting to order and began by presenting the 1994 watermaster budget for consideration. The total budget represented \$19,587.00, which is the same as last year. De Farnworth moved that the budget be accepted as presented, John Cenarrusa seconded. Voting was unanimous.

Dar then opened the nominations for watermaster. De nominated Dean Haskell, Dennis Stewart seconded, and Boyd Stocking motioned for nominations to cease. Voting was unanimous for Dean's re-election.

Dar and Jim Peterson presented the details of the recent purchase of the hydro-electric plant by the irrigation district and the canal company. They outlined the agreement with Olympus Bank including the payment schedule to payoff the purchase price of \$400,000. Brett van Wagoner has been hired to operate the plant this year.

Dean told the waterusers that as of this morning, there was 26,668 acre\feet of water in the Little Wood dam with an inflow of about 100 a/f per day. The percentage of water according to the Snow Tel has come up to 62% over the last month.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:00 P.M.

Kathi Peck

Kathi Peck, Secretary

Dean Haskell

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