## Stanton, Jim

From: Luke, Tim

**Sent:** Monday, March 08, 2010 8:20 AM

**To:** Yenter, Cindy

Cc: Roberts, Christine; Merritt, Allen; Knowles, Corbin; Stanton, Jim

Subject: RE: WD 36A Update

Cindy,

Those are good changes – particularly the reporting/data entry changes. Will you be adding Linda to WMIS and establishing username/pw when the time is appropriate or should I? I assume you will be doing the training? Let me know how you wish to proceed. Thanks very much for attending the meeting and working with or supporting the district on these important changes. I don't know how much of this was their initiative or your persistence over the years – but thanks for your presence nonetheless.

Tim

From: Yenter, Cindy

Sent: Monday, March 08, 2010 7:50 AM

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Subject: WD 36A Update

I attended the 36A meeting on March 1. As anticipated there were some major positive changes in the district this year. The revised and adopted budget and resolutions will be submitted shortly. However, here's the synopsis:

Deloris Jones has retired after many years of service, and Linda Lemmon was elected as Secretary/Treasurer. Lynn Babington also resigned as District/Advisory chairman, and Gary Lemmon was elected in his place. A new member (Billy McCarthy) was elected to the Advisory Committee, as Gary was already on the Committee and was reinstated.

The district will obtain a PO Box as a permanent mailing address. That should be submitted along with the other updated info.

Frank Erwin will adopt a more formal oversight policy for all diversion data. Although Frank has historically made periodic measurements, he has not ever compared them to the user-collected data. 36A will still rely on user data, but users will now submit that data directly to Frank to review. It is hoped this will occur 3-4 times per year. Linda Lemmon will then complete all the data entry directly to IDWR databases so that users will no longer have to submit annual reports to IDWR (and we won't have to mail them out!). We will need to set up logons for Linda on both the SW database and on WMIS, and provide her with training.

The budget wasn't increased too much, but there is an allocation for the Sec/Treas, and a separate allocation to pay for Frank's travel to meetings. He attends many meetings on behalf of the District, including watermaster training, and wasn't asking for any reimbursement above and beyond his salary. Pete Atkinson insisted that a travel budget be set and Frank be reimbursed for any out-of-town meetings at State mileage and per diem rates.

This year's assessment will still occur at the old scaled rate – this is the one update not made this year. Conversion to pro-rata assessment will occur next year (2011). Linda, Frank and I will work this year to identify all the non-consumptive uses and get that set up based on existing data.