

Idaho Water District 11F
Annual Meeting
2/25/2021

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The annual meeting of the Idaho Water District 11F was held in Geneva Idaho February 25, 2021. The meeting was called to order by Devin Boehme. The first order of business was the reading of the 2020 minutes by the secretary James Teuscher. After the minutes were read the motion was made by Richard to accept the 2020 minutes. Seconded by Garth. The motion passed. The motion was made to accept the agenda of the 2021 meeting by Garth and seconded by Gary. The motion passed.

Next the elections were held for water master. Garth made the motion to retain the Joel as the water master. Seconded by Gary. Vote was taken to retain Joel as water master. There was two nominations for secretary, Rodney and James. There was a silent vote taken. Devin counted the votes in front of the group. 3 votes for Rodney, 8 votes for James. James is elected for 2021 year as secretary/treasurer. The motion was made to retain the 2 board members that are up for reelection. The motion was made by Garth and seconded by Reed. They are Derek and Richard.

The water master was next to present his annual report to the members. Joel wants James to send out water right papers along with the yearly assessments. Joel talked about the adjudication and the meeting on March 4, 2021. He mentioned about the surface water, irrigation wells, springs, livestock and home wells will be adjudicated. Joel is not sure what it will take to prove your water. Carson mentioned that the water resource office is not much help. The recourse office can tell you what is wrong but not how to fix the issues. It is a very interesting to deal with them. Kevin asked about the tributaries and sources that are on the papers Joel handed out. Janet asked about the meeting on the 4th of March. Devin mentioned that it was a zoom meeting, also you could watch on online. Rodney reported that there can only be so much water connected to certain amount of land. He lost some water due to this out of the Stephen and Larson ditch Joel talked about the new billings. Taylor Canal individual rights are being changed to show one line because they are going to share. The right is now the Taylor canal company, not owed by individual. The Thomas Fork Canal is going the same way. Camilla asked about the Taylor Canal. Devin answered by explaining that when the Taylor canal was formed individuals put water into the canal. It has been that way up until now. Now the Canal Company has moved all those rights into 1 right and has sold shares out to the shareholders. The district only has the responsibility to open the head gate and measure the water to the canal company. The Taylor canal has a water master to regulate the water to individual shareholders downstream. Janet has a right that is carried by the Taylor canal but is not owed by the canal company.

The proposed budget for 2021 is \$5,450.00 for expenditures and \$7,880.25 in assessments. The cost per second foot of water is set at \$.50 for 2021. 1 cubic foot of water in 24 hours. The motion was made by Gary to approve the budget, Garth seconded the motion. The motion passed. The bank account is at \$12,446.01.

- 1) need to pay before water master will turn on the water
- 2) metering devises need to be repaired and functioning
- 3) the area around the metering device needs to be clean and weeds sprayed

Devin mentioned that the NRCS office has money to grant for irrigation projects. Need to get a hold Brandi to ask questions about the money available

The motion to close the meeting was made by Gary and seconded by Reed. The meeting adjured until Feb 2022.

Attendance:

Reed

Camilla

Chris

Carson

Rodney

Garth

Janet

Kevin

Jerry

Laura & Mike

Joel

Devin

James

Richard

Gary