# Cobb County-Marietta Water Authority Minutes of Regular Meeting

### July 18, 2016

The regular meeting of the Cobb County-Marietta Water Authority was held on July 18, 2016 at 3:30 p.m., in the Cobb County-Marietta Water Authority's Board Room. Water Authority Board members present were: Grif Chalfant, Charlie Crowder, Dan Buyers, David Austin, Max Bacon, Tim Lee and James Scott.

The meeting was called to order at 3:30 p.m. by Chair Grif Chalfant.

# 1. Approval of Minutes of Regular Meeting of June 29, 2016

Mr. Chalfant asked for approval of the minutes of the Regular Meeting of June 29, 2016. Mr. Buyers made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Mr. Crowder seconded the motion; motion passed 6/0/1 with Mr. Austin abstaining.

# 2. Approval of Minutes of Executive Session of June 29, 2016

Mr. Chalfant asked for approval of the minutes of the Executive Session of June 29, 2016. Mr. Crowder made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Mr. Buyers seconded the motion; motion passed 6/0/1 with Mr. Austin abstaining.

### 3. Financial report

Mr. Cole Blackwell, Director of Finance, presented a summary of the June 2016 Financial Statement (copy in file). Net income for June was \$5,043,514, which exceeded expectations by \$1,490,022. Operating income for June was \$4,636,251, which exceeded expectations by \$963,557.

Year-to-date net income of \$20,472,370, inclusive of fair market valuation adjustments, exceeded budget expectations by \$4,483,428. Year-to-date operating income of \$19,637,022 exceeded budget expectations by \$3,294,175.

## 4. Quarterly Investment Summary

Mr. Courtney Rogers, Davenport & Company, provided the Quarterly Investment Summary (copy in file).

## 5. Sole-source procurement request – Valve Actuators

Mr. Page referred to the memorandum in the Board package (copy in file). Mr. Lee made a motion to approve sole-source procurement of two Beck Electric Actuators for the Wyckoff Water Treatment Plant for the quoted price of \$53,000. Mr. Buyers seconded the motion; motion passed 7/0.

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#### 6. Old business

There were no old business items to present.

# 7. General Manager's report

Mr. Page provided updates:

### Highway 41, Phase IV:

The Tunnel Boring Machine is within 100 feet of the receiving shaft, the crew is still working in mixed materials.

Sedimentation Basins 5 & 6 at the Wyckoff Plant: Excavations directed by Demand Services Engineer R2T have indicated wet conditions with less-than-desirable compaction around and immediately below the foundation walls for the basins. On July 18, geotechnical drilling will be done to evaluate subsurface conditions so that a structural recommendation can be made regarding the future of the basins.

<u>1190 Building:</u> Staff plans to engage King Industrial Realty to market the building; King said to expect 6-7 months to have a lessee.

<u>Paulding County:</u> Staff will be meeting with Paulding County Water Department staff to discuss their upcoming bond issue and how CCMWA staff can assist with necessary information in a timely manner.

<u>Rates and Contracts Committee:</u> Hawksley will present an update on the rates study on Friday, August 12.

#### 8. New business

Mr. Page reminded the Board that per the bylaws, officer elections are to be held in September. Mr. Chalfant appointed a Nominating Committee of Mr. Scott (Chair), Mr. Crowder and Mr. Bacon.

### 9. Executive Session

Mr. Lee made a motion to go into Executive Session to discuss pending litigation. Mr. Buyers seconded the motion; motion passed 7/0.

Mr. Bacon left at this time.

Mr. Scott made a motion to return to Regular Session. Mr. Buyers seconded the motion; motion passed 6/0.

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# 10. Legal

Mr. Buyers made a motion to approve Easement No. DACW01-2-15-0633 from the Department of the Army to the Cobb County-Marietta Water Authority subject to final approval of the General Manager and Board Attorney (copy in file). Mr. Crowder seconded the motion; motion passed 6/0.

Mr. Buyers made a motion to approve Easement No. DACW01-2-16-0620 from the Department of the Army to the Cobb County-Marietta Water Authority subject to final approval of the General Manager and Board Attorney (copy in file). Mr. Crowder seconded the motion; motion passed 6/0.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Becky Mixon

**Assistant Secretary** 

Griffin L. Chally

Chair