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July 12, 2019

Public Utility Commission of Texas P. O. Box 13326 Austin, Texas 78711-3326

Dear Sir or Madam,

Please update the Rate Section in the Tariff previously submitted by Staff Water Supply Corporation, Ranger Texas 76470. This includes PWS's for 0670023, 0670030, & 0670033.

Rates will change from \$30.15 for first 2,000 gallons to \$37.50. In addition, we will also be increasing the rate for water over 2,000 gallons to \$12.00 per every thousand gallons. New rate becomes effective with July billing.

Thank you for your help.

Melba Lebredo - Office Manager Staff Water Supply Corporation

CC: Enclosures

Staff Water Supply Corporation Board of Directors 620 W. Loop 254 Ranger, Texas 76470 April 9, 2019 6:00 PM

Meeting was called to order by President. Larry Herrington at 6:00 PM. Directors in attendance were Earl Doggett. Mark Hennig, Bill Herrington, James Little. Lynn Nicholson and Rodney Shelton. Also, present were Operators Linda Meroney. David Saunders and Albert Garcia, Jr. Cam Gulley did conference call.

Motion was made by Little to approve previous meeting minutes. B. Herrington seconded. All for.

Treasurer's Report approval made by Little and seconded by Doggett. All approved.

In Operator's Report Saunders shared information about completion of Colony Creek project. He stated that the next agenda will be tackling the cla val at LaCasa. L. Herrington stated that he also wants them to get standpipes fixed to eliminate manual filling. Saunders requested Meroney speak on this issue. Meroney said she has printed out a manual to try and determine what next step should be. Doggett suggested we fix cla val at Lone Cedar rather than piece meal parts. L. Herrington agreed. Meroney will get cost to fix. How to locate remaining leaks was discussed. Utilizing strap meter and putting in a meter were mentioned. Meroney stated that she had found a possible leak on CR 340 by Barnes residence. She also updated board about DOT training that she attended in Brownwood.

Motion made by Doggett to approve Director's Report. Nicholson seconded. All for.

Resolution declaring unopposed candidates W.L. (Lynn) Nicholson, Rodney Shelton, and Bill Herrington was read and signed into record by L. Herrington and Rodney Shelton. All for.

Motion made by B. Herrington to approve Drought Contingency Plan for 2019. Seconded by Shelton. All for.

During conference call. Cam Gulley presented several options for water rate increase. He stated that our goal is to offset a potential \$45,000 to \$50,000 loss over the next year based on suppliers raising rates and cost of normal maintenance. Board members voiced concerns impact would have on elderly plus their desire to avoid having to increase again next year. Motion made by B. Herrington to approve rate of \$37.50 for minimum up to

2.000 gallons and \$12.00 per every 1,000 gallons over. New Billing will begin with July bill. Letter will be sent to members advising change. Nicholson seconded. All for.

Motion made by B. Herrington and seconded by Hennig to pay existing bills and adjourn meeting. All for.

Respectfully submitted: Ally Shully

Rodney Shelton-Secretary/Treasurer

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Dear Members of Staff Water Supply Corporation:

This letter is to notify members of Staff Water Supply Corporation that we will be increasing the cost of water to Thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$37.50) minimum (this includes 2000 gallons). Water over 2000 gallons will be an additional Twelve dollars (\$12.00) per every thousand gallons.

We, the Board of Directors have worked hard to prevent having to pass increases onto our members. It has been over five years since we last raised rates. Now, however, due to the increase of wholesale water rates and testing regulations mandated by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality we have no choice.

This increase will be reflected on your **July** water bill. If you have any questions or concerns, please come by our office or contact us at 254-647-5133.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

Regards,

Staff Water Supply Corporation

May 2019