

# Cabazon Water District 14618 Broadway Street • P.O. Box 297 Cabazon, California 92230

## FINANCE & AUDIT COMMITTEE MEETING

#### **MINUTES**

# Meeting Location:

Cabazon Water District Office 14618 Broadway Street Cabazon, California 92230

## Meeting Date:

Tuesday, February 18, 2020 - 05:00 pm

CALL TO ORDER, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE, ROLL CALL **Director Wargo - Present Director Sanderson - Present** 

Calvin Louie (General Manager) - Absent Elizabeth Lemus, Board Secretary - Present Cindy Byerrum, Financial Consultant - Absent

\*Note: This meeting was recorded by the District -

#### FINANCE & AUDIT COMMITTEE

Discussion:

Finance & Audit Committee Report

- Balance Sheet
- Profit and Loss Budget Comparison
- 2. Finance & Audit Committee District Payables Review and Approval/Signing

### **Balance Sheet:**

The District's combined Cash with Chase and LAIF balance was \$1,031,410 at month end. The District's total liabilities were approximately \$1.015 million at month end.

#### Profit and Loss:

- 3. Base Rate: This is the flat, fixed monthly charge to all residents for water service. YTD is trending at 58%.
- 4. Commodity Sales: This is the variable income from charges linked to the consumption of water. YTD is trending at 62% due to increased water usage in the summer months.
- 10. Basic Facilities Fee: These are fees charged for new service connections, meter installations & upgrades. These fees are difficult to budget accurately due to their unexpected nature when revenue is earned. YTD fees collected include \$9.3K in October for a new service connection & \$13.4K in November for a 3/4" meter install.
- 17. Interest Income: YTD is trending at 64% due to timing of interest receipts.
- 30. Workers Compensation: YTD is at 77% due to timing of workers comp payments. Workers Compensation through 5/1/20 has been paid in full as of November.
- 31. Employee Health Care: YTD is at 79% due to higher monthly premiums than anticipated in budget.
- 43. Well Maintenance: Includes costs for well maintenance as well as chemical purchases for wells, YTD is over budget due to invoices from Applied Diving for Tank 1 diving inspection & cleaning (\$57.8K) & invoice from Legend Pump & Well Services relating to Well 1 Rehab (\$29.1K).
- 46. Engineering Services: YTD is at 80% due several invoices from Krieger & Stewart in September including \$11.4K relating to Standby Fees.
- 48. Total Facilities, Wells, T&D: Summarizes total operating expense relating to facilities, wells, transmission & distribution. YTD is trending above target at 62% due to items noted on lines 43 & 46.
- 54. Total Utilities Office: Summarizes total utilities expense for the District office. YTD is trending below target at 53%.
- 67. Total Office Expenses: Summarizes total District office expenses. YTD is trending below target at 51%.
- 90. Grant & Loan Processing Fee: Loan fee from BNY. YTD is at 95% due to timing of loan fee payment.

As of January 31st, the fiscal year-to-date net income is \$126,150.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

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#### ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn at 17:13 hr. made by Director Wargo and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Director Sanderson.

Director Wargo - Aye Director Sanderson - Aye

Meeting adjourned at 17:13 hr. on Tuesday, February 18, 2020

Robert Lynk, Board Chair **Board of Directors** 

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Elizabeth Lemus, Secretary

**Board of Directors** 

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