



#### CLIFTON PARK WATER AUTHORITY

#### **BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

## **NOVEMBER 14, 2017**

Those present at the Clifton Park Water Authority board meeting were: Mr. John Ryan, Vice Chairman; Mr. George Peterson, Treasurer; and Mr. Peter Taubkin, Secretary. Absent: Mr. Helmut Gerstenberger, Chairman; and Mr. William Butler, board member. Also present: Mr. Donald Austin Jr., Administrator; and Mr. Neil Weiner, Attorney.

Mr. Ryan called the meeting to order at 7:07pm.

# PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

No members of the public present.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

# WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT ON PLANK ROAD

C.T. Male Associates is finalizing design. Mr. Austin is hoping to go out to bid within the next month. A **motion** was made by Mr. Taubkin to go out to bid; seconded by Mr. Peterson. The **motion** carried 3-0, 2 absent.

## HEALTH COVERAGE FOR MEDICARE-ELIGIBLE EMPLOYEES/RETIREES

Mr. Ryan reported that Mr. Gerstenberger is meeting with a representative from Jaeger and Flynn next Tuesday to discuss Medicare plan options. He also stated Mr. Gerstenberger will be contacting the board for volunteers to form a committee so a policy can be drafted for Medicare-eligible employees and retirees.

# <u>POTENTIAL SYSTEM UPGRADES TO INCREASE CPWA PRODUCTION</u> CAPACITIES

C.T. Male's projected increase at the Round Lake Road connection by putting in a pump station near Ballston's station would increase our capacity through that connection by 1.8MGD, which would double the capacity at that location. Mr. Austin put together a list of items for C.T. Male to review with regard to increasing production capacities. C.T. Male is in the process of putting together a proposal. Mr. Ryan requested an analysis to show a projection of the Authority's consumption requirements over the next ten to fifteen years. Mr. Austin will have more information next month.

# **NEW BUSINESS**

## OTHER BUSINESS

- T-Mobile has put forth a request for modification of equipment on the Knolltop water tank. BSP feels that the work that they want to perform increases the loading on the tank of a substantial enough degree that the Authority would have the right to renegotiate the terms of the lease. BSP has put together a proposed terms sheet which they have forwarded to T-Mobile. If T-Mobile decides to do the modifications, BSP will renegotiate the terms of their lease and bring the amendment to the Board for approval.
- Mr. Peterson asked about the inspection that was completed on the interior and exterior coating the Knolltop water tank. Mr. Austin stated that it will be revisited next year.
- Mr. Peterson asked what the CPWA's total water storage capacity is. Mr. Austin believes it to be 5.5 million gallons, but will provide the actual number via email to the Board.

# **APPROVE MINUTES OF OCTOBER 10, 2017 MEETING**

A **motion** was made by Mr. Taubkin to approve the minutes of October 10, 2017; seconded by Mr. Ryan. The **motion** carried 3-0, 2 absent.

The Authority's next board meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, December 12, 2017 at 7pm.

A **motion** was made by Mr. Taubkin to adjourn the meeting at 7:26pm; seconded by Mr. Peterson. The **motion** carried 3-0, 2 absent.

Respectfully submitted, Sheri Collins
Recording Secretary

cc: CPWA Board of Directors Neil Weiner Esq.