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MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES

August 09, 2023

The monthly meeting of the Green Valley Sanitary District was called to order at 19:03 by President Jason Reitz. Present at the meeting were board members Jason Reitz, Pres., Lorretta Jangula, Sec., Marlin Kelly, Lucky(Leonard) Lee, Steve Myers and several Green Valley residents.

A motion was made by Lucky, seconded by Steve to approve the July, 2023 meeting minutes. No further discussion, motion passed.

A motion by Marlin and seconded by Lorretta to approve the treasurer's report. No further discussion, motion passed.

Bills presented:

SD Assoc of Rural Water Systems(dues) \$516.00

Motion by Lorretta and seconded by Steve to approve the bills. No further discussion, motion passed.

Old Business:

PER Update-No change from last month. The engineers have submitted to Katie at RD and at this time we are waiting to hear back, the agreement from the city, required by RD, is still outstanding.

Survey- The new survey of residents to determine if we qualify for low income status was sent to Bill Lass which was supposed to go to DANR. DANR is still awaiting the latest audit and latest GVSD annual budget

Zach of Engineering Associates- said the full time grant writer is now pursuing a possible grant from the Army Corps of Engineers. We will be receiving a report from Zach, Engineering Assoc by month end.

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Pennington County Meeting-Jason, Steve and Lorretta attended the meeting with Pennington County relative to their inquiry of the current status of GVSD as many people are trying to get building permits and questioning the sewer status. Regular septic and drain fields are permitted on new construction in Green Valley so long as they meet the perk requirements, with the understanding that they will be required to hook up to the new sewer line when it comes in.

Rapid City Agreement-Erika has submitted the agreement to the City Attorney, Justin. Dale Tech has been looking over the agreement and now there are a bunch of questions they have and want information from us like our status on funding and are requesting a meeting ASAP.

New Business:

West Dakota Rural Water Mtg-The meeting was attended by Jason, Steve, and Lorretta. Jason explained to the board where we are currently so far as the current status of the project. The board reassured us that the money (\$125,000) is still available to us and would be available at such time as we get approved for funding.

There was discussion relative to a board member of GVSD attending the SDWWA Annual Conference in Spearfish Sept. 13-15. Lucky made a motion, seconded by Steve to approve the registration fee of \$150. which has to be submitted along with the application by Sept.1, 2023.

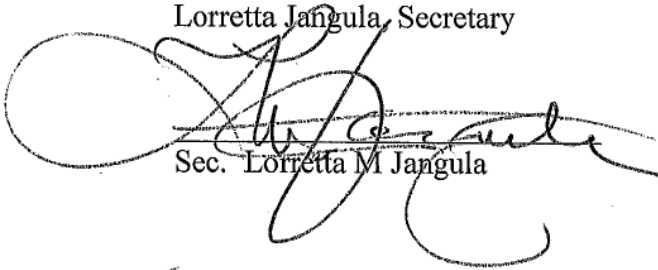
Public Comment-None

At this time, Jason informed the board and attendees that he had spoken to Rusty just prior to this evening's meeting. Rusty informed Jason that he had a long discussion with a representative from PDI ?/PDR? who was referred by Zach, Engineering Associates. The presentation was relative to a pressurized system versus a gravity flow system. Upon hearing the entire presentation, Rusty felt very positive about the possibility of a pressurized system. If we were to go with a pressurized system, it would save millions of dollars on the cost of the project. We do not have all the details at this time. Jason will be setting up a meeting with the presenter, Rusty, GVSD Board, etc to learn about the particulars, specifics, and cost savings if we were to go this route.

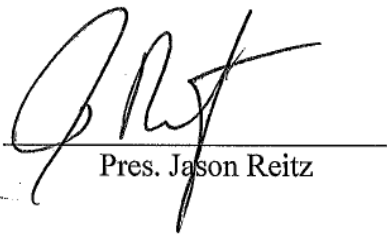
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There being no further business, a motion to adjourn by Steve, seconded by Lucky, no further discussion and the meeting adjourned at 20:15.

Respectfully Submitted,
Lorretta Jangula, Secretary



Sec. Lorretta M Jangula



Pres. Jason Reitz

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