MINUTES OF THE GRANGER-HUNTER IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT BOARD MEETING

The Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Granger-Hunter Improvement District (GHID) was held Tuesday, July 20, 2021, at 3:00 P.M. at the District office located at 2888 S. 3600 W., West Valley City, Utah.

This meeting was conducted electronically in accordance with the Utah Open and Public Meetings Act (Utah Code Ann. (1953) §§ 52-4-1 et seq.) and Chapter 7.12 of the Administrative Policy and Procedures Manual ("Electronic Meetings").

Trustees Present:

Debra Armstrong

Chair

Corey Rushton

Trustee

Roger Nordgren

Trustee

Staff Members Present:

Jason Helm

General Manager

Todd Marti

Assistant General Manager/District Engineer

Troy Stout

Assistant General Manager/Chief Operating Officer

Michelle Ketchum

Director of Administration

Dustin Martindale

Director of Water Systems Director of Wastewater

Ricky Necaise Victor Narteh

Director of Engineering

Justin Gallegos

Director of Information Technology

Austin Ballard

Controller

Dakota Cambruzzi

Human Resource Manager

Kristy Johnson

Executive Assistant

Brent Rose

Legal Counsel – Clyde Snow & Sessions PC

Guests:

Adam Spackman

System Administrator, GHID – *Electronically*

Ian Bailey

GIS Specialist, GHID - Electronically

Drew Ovard

Information Technology Division Manager, GHID - Electronically

Steve Starr

Water Systems Division Manager, GHID - Electronically

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Customer Service, GHID - Electronically

A copy of the exhibits referred to in these minutes is attached and incorporated by this reference. The exhibits are also included in the official minute books maintained by Granger-Hunter Improvement District.

CALL TO ORDER

At 3:00 P.M. Debra Armstrong called the meeting to order and recognized all those present.

Public Comments

Ms. Armstrong discussed a public comment that was received through the District's website without correct contact information and explained the difficulty in being able to respond without that information. Ms. Armstrong encouraged those that leave public comments to use correct contact information in order to have questions or concerns properly responded to.

Approval of the June 29, 2021 Board Meeting Minutes

A motion to approve the Board Meeting Minutes from June 29, 2021, was made by Roger Nordgren, followed by a second from Debra Armstrong.

The motion passed as follows;

Armstrong – aye

Rushton – aye

Nordgren – aye

Conflicts of interest

There were none.

OUR COMMUNITY

Consider Approval of Interlocal Agreement Providing for Extra-Territorial Services with Taylorsville-Bennion Improvement District

Jason Helm asked the Board to consider approval of an Interlocal Agreement providing for extra-territorial services with Taylorsville-Bennion Improvement District. After a discussion regarding election concerns, property taxes and billing, Debra Armstrong made a motion to approve the contract as noted. Following a second from Corey Rushton, the motion passed as follows:

Armstrong – aye

Rushton – aye

Nordgren – aye

OUR OPERATIONS

Review & Discuss Financial Report for June 2021 Austin Ballard summarized the June Financial Report. Mr. Ballard mentioned water sales have increased over the last month due to high usage which brings the estimated revenue budget shortage to around \$200,000. Mr. Ballard explained that other than an interest income budget shortage due to current rates, the financial report seems to be tracking fairly normal for this time of year.

Review & Discuss Paid Invoice Report for June 2021 Mr. Ballard discussed the June check report. A discussion took place regarding the lease buyback fleet vehicles. The June check report totaled \$3,302,056.08 coming from five categories; Jordan Valley (30%), infrastructure (27%), Central Valley (26%), taxes, payroll and benefits (10%), and other (12%).

Consider Approval of a Construction Contract to Silver Spur Construction, LLC for the 20B: Rushton Waterlines Project Todd Marti asked the Board to consider approval of a Construction Contract to Silver Spur Construction, LLC in the amount of \$1,172,500.00 for the 20B: Rushton Waterlines Project. After a short discussion, Roger Nordgren made a motion to approve the contract as noted. Following a second from Debra Armstrong, the motion passed as follows:

Armstrong – aye

Rushton – aye

Nordgren – ave

Consider Approval of a Contract Amendment to J-U-B Engineers, Inc. for the 20B: Rushton Waterlines Project Mr. Marti asked the Board to consider approval of Contract Amendment for J-U-B in the amount of \$99,400.00 for Construction Administration Services for the 20B: Rushton Waterlines Project. Corey Rushton made a motion to approve the contract amendment as noted. Following a second from Debra Armstrong, the motion passed as follows:

Armstrong – aye

Rushton – aye

Nordgren – aye

Consider Approval of a
Landscape Design
Contract to J-U-B
Engineers, Inc. for the
21J: GHID
Headquarters
Landscaping Phase II

Mr. Marti asked the Board to consider approval of a Landscape Design Contract to J-U-B in the amount of \$56,000.00 for the 21J: GHID Headquarters Landscaping Phase II. A discussion took place regarding the city code for landscaping. Corey Rushton would like a District letter sent to the city regarding the current landscaping code for the District headquarters. Roger Nordgren made a motion to approve the contract as noted. Following a second from Debra Armstrong, the motion passed as follows:

Armstrong – aye

Rushton – aye

Nordgren – aye

CLOSED SESSION

A closed session was on the agenda to discuss the character, professional competence or physical or mental health of an individual. After further discussion, the Board found it unnecessary to close the meeting.

OUR TEAM Consider Approval of 2021 Market Compensation Plan

Jason Helm presented the 2021 Market Compensation Plan. Mr. Helm explained that the presented plan would not affect the current year's budget due to staff shortages throughout the year. After further discussion regarding the current market analysis, the Board expressed their full support of the presented 2021 Market Compensation Plan and determined that according to District policy, an approval was not required for implementation. – See 2021 Market Compensation Plan attached to these minutes for details.

Consider Approval of Compensation for the General Manager

Mr. Helm asked the Board to consider approval of Compensation for the General Manager. After a brief discussion, Corey Rushton made a motion to approve Schedule A compensation for the General Manager. Following a second from Debra Armstrong, the motion passed as follows:

Armstrong – aye

Rushton – aye

Nordgren – aye

BOARD MEMBERS INPUT, REPORTS, FOLLOW-UP ITEMS OR QUESTIONS

Corey Rushton reiterated the importance of sending a letter to West Valley City regarding the landscaping codes for the District headquarters to encourage water efficiency standards.

ADJOURNED

Inasmuch as all agenda items have been satisfied, Roger Nordgren made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Following a second from Debra Armstrong, the motion passed as follows and the meeting adjourned at 4:41 P.M.

Armstrong – aye

Rushton – aye

Nordgren – aye

Debra K. Armstrong, Chair

Austin Ballard, Clerk