

TWIN LAKES-RATHDRUM CREEK FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT NO. 17
MINUTES OF THE MEETING March 7, 2019

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. Present were Gordon Stephenson, Todd Howe, and Janet Armstrong. A quorum was established.

Also present: Doug Jones, Pat Miller, Debbie Andrews, Laurin Scarcello, and Bobbie Hunsinger.

There were no changes or additions to the agenda.

Todd Howe moved to accept the minutes of the February 7, 2019. S/P/U

Laurin Scarcello reported the lake level at 7'.88". The CFS gauge is in the process of being replaced under warranty. There was a discussion about the area of the watershed and the lake area. The surface of the lake is 880 acres and the area surrounding the SNOTEL site is approximately 6,400 acres. Gordon Stephenson shared how he calculates and uses the SNOTEL data to advise the possible water content that will be flowing into the lake. Gordon Stephenson recommended to Laurin that the gate be kept as is and Todd Howe and Doug Jones agreed to that course.

Snow Measurement at Ragged Ridge is 63" with a 17.7" of water content.

Todd Howe moved to pay the following: Normal Payroll; Bigfoot Tech \$2,383 - Sensor Project; Bobbie Hunsinger \$156 - annual website fee; Susan Park \$200 -Website design; Macomber Law -\$297.37- Legal, Verizon \$482.65; S/P/U

Balance Sheet and Bank Statement were made available. No action was necessary

Correspondence: A direct deposit from Kootenai County \$979.58; Credits from Avista, and Frontier; emails from IDWR and the Commissioners discussing lake levels and snow measurements.

Training for new commissioners was discussed and Doug Jones asked if training could be scheduled an hour before the regular meeting. Todd Howe and Janet Armstrong indicated that this would work for them.

There was a discussion on the SUMP site and the need to survey it. Laurin Scarcello indicated the Aquifer Board is in the planning stages of looking at resurgence sites. He will go to their next meeting and see if there are any plans for our site. Todd Howe explained there is nothing to be done until better weather and so it was tabled for now.

Todd Howe moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:50 PM S/P/U
Respectfully Submitted, Bobbie Hunsinger, Secretary/Treasurer