Groveland Water & Sewer Commissioners' Approved Meeting Minutes

February 16, 2022

Attending: Commissioner Jon Carl Bellinger and Commissioner Mike Wood

Superintendent: Colin Stokes

Office Manager: Heather Torres

Absent: Commissioner Jon Riopelle

Commissioner Carl Bellinger made a motion to open the meeting at 4:37pm. Seconded by Commissioner Mike Wood. Two were in favor, one absent.

FY23 Warrant Article Discussions

Brief discussion regarding the Infiltration and Inflow study. The next step in the study is perform a smoke test to detect any breaks, leaks, or illegal connections to the sewer system. This test will target sections 3 and 5, which covers Town Hall area to downtown and Governors Road to Rollins Street area.

Commissioner Mike Wood made a motion to use up to \$30,000.00 from sewer retained earnings to perform smoke testing as outlined in the Infiltration and Inflow study. Seconded by Commissioner Carl Bellinger. Two were in favor, one absent.

Brief discussion regarding the process of adding fluoride, sodium hydroxide, and chlorine to the water.

Commissioner Carl Bellinger made a motion to use \$40,000.00 from water retained earnings to replace water main at well 3. Seconded by Commissioner Mike Wood. Two were in favor, one absent.

Current Projects Updates

Superintendent Colin Stokes will submit a request to the Town Administrator, Rebecca Oldham that the Water and Sewer Department would like to request \$500,000 of ARPA money to replace the water main on Balch Ave.

Approve Meeting Minutes

Not Applicable

Sign Departmental Paperwork

Commissioner Mike Wood signed payroll.

Items not reasonably anticipated at the time of posting

Not applicable

Commissioner Mike Wood made a motion to close the meeting at 5:23 PM. Seconded by Commissioner Carl Bellinger. Two were in favor, one absent.

Respectfully submitted,

Heather Torres