

A meeting of the waterusers of the Logan River System was held at 10:00 A.M., Tuesday January 22, 1963 in The Cache County Courtroom. This meeting was called by the State Engineer, Wayne D. Criddle for the purpose of;

1. Hearing the financial report of 1962.
2. Hearing the 1962 commissioners report.
3. Making recommendation to the State Engineer relative to the appointment of a Water Commissioner for the 1963 season.
4. Preparing a budget of salaries and other necessary expenses of the Logan River System.
5. Transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Those present at the meeting were:

Donald C. Norseth, Chief Distribution Engineer, Salt Lake City.

Frank Reese, Chief Accountant State Engineer Office,  
Salt Lake City.

Richard Pexton, Assistant Accountant State Engineer Office  
Salt Lake City.

Earl Staker, Logan Area Engineer, State Engineer Office.

R. Keith Higginson, State Engineer Office, Salt Lake City.

Robert B. Porter, Utah Power & Light Attorney, Salt Lake City.

Frank W. Haws, Logan River Water Commissioner, Logan, Utah.

Alfred H. Gnehm, Logan North Field Irrigation Co., Logan, Utah.

J.G. Plowman, Logan & Northern Canal Co. Smithfield, Utah.

M.E. Schvaneveldt, Logan Island Irrigation Co., Logan, Utah,

Homa Andrews, Northwest Field Irrigation Co. Logan, Utah

Parley Reese  
Duane H. Cowley  
Milford R. Law

Benson Irrigation Co., R.F.D.1  
Smithfield, Utah

Lorin Coburn  
E. Floyd Olsen  
Daniel J. Olsen  
Craig Pinder

Logan River & Blacksmith Fork  
Irrigation Co., R.F.D.1. Logan, Utah

E.J. Nixon, Zanavoo Lodge, Logan, Utah

Todd Weston, Central Milling., Logan, Utah

Heber Olson, Providence-Logan Irrigation Co., Logan, Utah

Owen M. Despain U.S. Forest Service, Logan, Utah

Lyman Johnson  
Owen Jenson

South West Field Irrigation Co., R.F.D.1 Logan, Utah

Keith Meikle,  
Jacob Krusi  
C.W. Lauritzen

Logan Hyde Park Smithfield Canal Co., Smithfield  
Logan, Utah

Donald C. Norseth State Water Distribution Engineer presided,  
and President Alfred H. Gnehm conducted the meeting. Minutes of  
the meeting held January 10, 1962 were read by Secretary  
M.E. Schvaneveldt, and approved.

Mr. Frank Reese, Chief Accountant State Engineer Office,  
gave a financial report covering the operation of The Logan River  
Distribution System for the period January 1, 1962 through December  
31, 1962 inclusively. The financial report was accepted as read.

Logan River Water Commissioner, Frank Haws, gave a brief report  
on the 1962 water season. He stated that his annual report in  
detail was in the hands of the printers and each company would  
receive a copy at a later date.

A motion was made by J.G. Plowman and seconded by Owen Jenson  
that Frank W. Haws be appointed the commissioner on Logan River  
for the 1963 season. Motion was unanimous.

Mr. Norseth stated that Mr. Haws had done a commendable job for the state and the irrigators the past season. He said they would proceed to have him appointed for the 1963 season.

A motion was made by Robert B. Porter that we set up 1963 total budget of \$3,000.00, changing the item No. 5 Miscellaneous Expense of the 1962 budget \$81.75 to \$181.75 and item No. 7 New Equipment of the 1962 budget from \$600.00 to \$300.00. The motion was seconded by Todd Weston and voted unanimous.

A motion was made by Todd Weston that the State Engineer be given the right to pay in access of the budget items to the extent of \$100.00. Motion was unanimous.

A question was brought up by Mr. Parley Reese should the Logan River Water Commissioner regulate the Head Gates on different laterals after water leaves Anderson Mill and runs north in the canal that carries North West Field and Benson Irrigation Waters. It was brought out that it was the responsibility of the companies interested in this canal to make their own adjustments and regulations.

Mr. Norseth stated they were making studies on a group who claimed they had a Sunday water right. This fact was stated on some of the property deeds although the source of water was not designated. He said further studies would be made on this problem.

Frank Haws read a proposed agreement drawn up by Attorney E.J. Skeen and Logan City Attorney Preston Thomas on trade of Well Water of Logan City for additional water from De Witts Springs.

Their being no further business, President Gnehm thanked the State Officials and Water Companies for their presence and cooperation, after which meeting adjourned.

M.E. Schvaneveldt, Secretary