

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE VIRGIN RIVER WATER USERS
Held February 14, 1973 at the Washington County Courthouse
3:00 P. M.

Meeting was called to order by Mr. Don Norseth who reported on moisture conditions in the northern part of the state. It has been deficient in the mountains until the last week. There has been a lot of snow but its water content is low.

Gerald Stoker reported on our area: 180% of normal at this time.

Minutes of last year's meeting were read and approved.

Commissioner Ruesch presented his reports. It was moved by Evan Woodbury, seconded by Rex Frei that the report be accepted. Passed unanimously.

Financial reports were read by Gerald Stoker. Moved by Evan Woodbury seconded by Evan Lee that they be accepted. Passed.

After discussion of the budget, it was proposed that all items be left the same as last year with the exceptions of Matching Social Security which is to be raised to \$70.20 and Miscellaneous General Expense which is to be increased to \$500 to cover anticipated legal and engineering expense. Evan Woodbury made a motion for adoption which was seconded by Evan Lee and passed. Woodbury further moved that the assessment be made to raise approximately \$2,700. This was also seconded by Lee and passed. Incumbent committee members were all re-elected.

Motion was made by Evan Woodbury, seconded by Donald Lamoreaux, that Clifford Ruesch be recommended as Commissioner for another year. This was passed and the recommendation was accepted by Mr. Norseth.

Adjourned at 4:00 P. M.

Those present at the meeting were:

Evan J. Woodbury	St. George & Washington Canal Co.
Rex R. Frei	" " " " "
Wayne Wilson	LaVerkin - Hurricane
Donald Lamoreaux	Cedar City, Utah
Owen Wright	St. George, Utah
Evan S. Lee	Virgin
S. Lee Wilcox	"
Donna Gunn	
Gerald W. Stoker	Division of Water Rights
Don Norseth	District Engineer
John Bene	Deputy State Engineer
Clifford Ruesch	Commissioner Hurricane
Raymond D. Polleck	Zion National Park
Robert C. Heyder	" " "
Ray S. Schmutz	Secretary

