

M I N U T E S  
Annual George Creek Water User's Meeting

The annual meeting between the State Engineer and the George Creek Water User's Association was held April 17, 1969, at 11:00 a.m. in the Yost Ward Hall of the L. D. S. Church, Yost, Utah.

Dee C. Hansen of the State Engineer's Office made a few brief opening remarks and then turned the meeting over to Yale Montgomery, Chairman of the George Creek Water User's Association. Chairman Montgomery asked for the reading of the minutes of the 1968 meeting. Don Norseth read the minutes and Rollo Kimber moved that the minutes be approved as read. The motion was seconded by Kenneth Richins and the minutes were approved.

Chairman Montgomery then asked for a hearing of the financial report for 1968. This was presented by John Bene, the Deputy State Engineer and was also approved as read.

Commissioner Darwin Thompson gave his report for the 1968 irrigation season. Following the commissioner's report, motion was made by Wallace Spencer and seconded by Rollo J. Kimber that the report be accepted and approved. Thomas Teeter requested that the commissioner turn water to individual users on the East Branch. There was some discussion about who should have the responsibility for installing measuring devices. It was finally decided that it should be a company problem and the company agreed to come up with a solution.

The third order of business was the preparation of a budget for the anticipated expenses during the 1969 season. It was set as follows: Commissioner's contractual services, \$1400; Bond and Insurance premiums, \$15; Miscellaneous, \$10. Total 1969 budget was set at \$1425, and it was decided to assess \$1425 for the 1969 season. Motion was made by Wallace Spencer and seconded by Kenneth Richins that the budget be approved as set forth herein. The vote was unanimous, and the budget was set at the above figure.

The fourth item of business was the George Creek Water User's recommendation of a commissioner for the 1969 season. Rollo J. Kimber was recommended and presented for approval to the State Engineer's Office. Dee C. Hansen of the State Engineer's Office stated that they would recommend Rollo Kimber to the State Engineer as commissioner for the 1969 season.

The final order of business was opening the meeting for discussion of the problems concerning the distribution of waters on the George Creek system. According to the 1968 minutes, if any additional trips were required by the commissioner after the irrigation season, there would be a charge of \$10 for each trip, the charge being levied directly to the individual who necessitated the extra trip to the diversion point.

Accordingly, as contained in the annual report, Mr. Thompson made four extra trips beyond the irrigation season to the diversions of Joe Taylor. Therefore, there will be an additional assessment levied against Joe Taylor in the amount of \$40 to cover these four trips. This \$40 will be paid to Darwin Thompson in payment for his services.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:30 p.m.

The following persons were in attendance at the meeting:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Don Norseth	Division of Water Rights Salt Lake City, Utah
Dee C. Hansen	Northern Utah Area Engineer Division of Water Rights Logan, Utah
Rollo J. Kimber	Yost, Utah
Boyd Taylor	Yost, Utah
Thomas Teeter	Yost, Utah
Collin Booth	Yost, Utah
Wallace B. Spencer	Yost, Utah
Darwin Thompson	George Creek Commissioner Yost, Utah
Yale Montgomery	Yost, Utah
Kenneth Richins	Yost, Utah
John Bene	Deputy State Engineer Salt Lake City, Utah
J. E. Taylor	Yost, Utah

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