

MINUTES OF ANNUAL WATER USERS MEETING
PRICE RIVER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM, 2/4/80

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The annual meeting of water users of the Price River Distribution System was held on Monday, February 4, 1980 at 3:30 P.M. in Room 7 of Price City Municipal Building; Price, Utah.

Meeting called to order by Don Norseth, Distribution Engineer, State Engineer's Office.

Lyle Bryner gave a brief report on the snow survey made by the S.C.S. Survey showed that the snowfall was near normal in most places and slightly above in other areas.

Don Norseth reported that the Sanpete Water Users have assurance that they will receive financing for their storage project from the C.U.P. and funds from the Division of Water Resources of the State of Utah.

Minutes of the last regular meeting were read by Secretary John Bene. Motion made by Jack Chiaretta, seconded by Albert Thayn, and carried, that the minutes be accepted as read.

Financial report for 1979 given by Art May from the State Engineer's Office. Motion made by Lyle Bryner, seconded by Jay Critchlow and carried, that the report be accepted as presented.

Dave Rowley, River Commissioner, read portions of the water consumption data from his annual report to the State Engineer. He was complimented by several water users for his fine report. As of January 1, 1980 reservoir had 42,760 ac.ft. in storage. Lyle Bryner moved, seconded by Sam Fazzio and carried, that the River Commissioner's report be accepted.

Dave Rowley read his and his wife's application for the River Commissioner's job for 1980 irrigation year. River Commissioner's salary is to be \$4000.00. The salary is to be paid \$2,000.00 to each one. Paid vacation shall be split, or \$83.33 to each. The total for Commissioner's salary will be \$4166.66. Travel will be at the rate of .42 per mile as long as the price of gasoline is not over \$1.10/gal. Should the price of gasoline raise above \$1.10/gal. the price per mile shall increase at the rate of one cent per mile for each 2½¢ in the cost above \$1.10/gal. Motion made by Jack Chiaretta, seconded by Sam Fazzio and carried, that the application as read be accepted. (Copy attached.)

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Lyle Bryner was chosen as new Chairman for the Adjudication Committee.
Members of this committee are:

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| Lyle Bryner | - Chairman |
| Albert Thayn | - Price-Wellington Canal |
| Jack Chiaretta | - Carbon Canal |
| Jay Critchlow | - Pioneer #1 and #2 Canals |
| Phil Palmer | - Price River Wtr. Imp. Dist. |
| John Bene | - Secy.-Treas. |

Commissioner requested installation of a measuring device in Muddy Creek at Scofield.

Meeting adjourned at 5:15 P.M.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "John Bene", written in dark ink. The signature is fluid and somewhat stylized, with a large loop at the beginning and a long horizontal stroke at the end.

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Following attended the annual water users meeting of the Price River Distribution System on 2/4/80:

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| Arthur V. May | - | State Engineer's Office |
| Donald C. Norseth | - | " |
| Mark Page | - | " |
| Jeffrey M. Lucero | - | " |
| Gregory R. Noyes | - | " |
| Lamond Gardner | - | " |
| Lyle Bryner | - | Price River Water Users Assn. |
| Albert Thayn | - | " |
| Sam Fazzio | - | Spring Glen Canal |
| Jack Chiaretta | - | Carbon Canal |
| Leonard Shield | - | Price Canal Co. |
| Jay Critchlow | - | Price-Wellington Canal |
| Frank Kochevar | - | Stowell Ditch |
| David Ariotti | - | Price City |
| J. G. Haight | - | Utah Power & Light |
| Mont Ashworth | - | Price River Coal Co. |
| Dave Rowley | - | River Commissioner |
| John Bene | - | Secretary & Treasurer |