

MINUTES OF WATER USERS MEETING HELD MARCH 18, 1941  
in the court house, being a continuation of the  
meeting held March 3, 1941, which meeting was adjourned  
until March 18, in order that the State Engineer could  
be present.



Meeting called to order at 8:25 PM. Reid Jerman from the State Engineers office being present.

Minutes of the meeting of March 3rd. was read .

Motion by E.E. Peirce that the minutes of the meeting be accepted, and that the meeting continue where the Mar. 3rd. meeting left off. Sec. by Carlyle Pace. Carried.

Discussion of commissioner was the first order of business. A letter from Mr. Blamey of Colorado was read. He placed his application for commissioner with the users. Accompanying his application was a recommendation from the Bureau of reclamation, with whom he has been employed for the past 25 years.

Application of Ralph P. Anderson was also read, for the re-appointment of commissioner.

After discussion of the applications of both applicants, Irvin Gerber made the motion that the appointment and duties of the commissioner be left with the water users committee. Motion seconded by E.E. Peirce and carried.

Chairman Waterman asked the users to name their committee member for 1941, and set the date for a committee meeting on March 25th.

Mr Peirce asked that Mr. Jerman state the opinion of the State Engineers office on the conditions of this system, and the condition and possibilities of the reservoir project being carried to completion, and other questions, including snow surveys. Mr. Jerman made this report briefly, stating the value of snow surveys, and expressed hope that the April 1st. survey would be made.

Mr James Bryner raised the question as to the right of the commissioner to go on the ditches. In answering Mr. Jerman stated that the commissioner did not have the right to go beyond the head of the ditch.

After discussion of the payment of snow surveys, Pete Borla made the motion that the commissioner be paid \$50.00 to make three snow surveys in addition to \$600.00 as regular salary. Seconded by Vivian Powell and carried.

Mr. James Bryner asked why the budget did not include expenses for the committee members to attend the meetings, and after further discussion, Carlyle Pace made the motion that each ditch pay the expenses of their own committee member. Motion seconded by E.E. Peirce and carried.

E.E. Peirce made the motion that the amount of money set up in the budget for un-collectable accounts, be the same as was set up in 1940, and that any other expense in connection with the system be paid for by the Irrigation District, including expenses of the committee, and that the said expense be included in the budget on the river the following year. Seconded by Pete Borla, and carried.

Motion by Pete Borla Sec. by James Bryner that the meeting be adjourned. Carried.

Signed

G.W. Waterman  
G.W. Waterman Chairman

Signed

Ralph P. Anderson  
Ralph P. Anderson Sec.