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Minutes from the October 27, 2025 Meeting

Meeting called to order by Chairman Joe Sutton at 5:00 pm

Board Members present: Joe & Karen Sutton, Ed Schulz, Brian Balman, & Robert Wilson

Staff present: Rick, Sean, & Jeanette

Visitors: Jim Pickett and Brandon Bethard

The minutes from the **September 29, 2025 Meeting** were read aloud. On a motion by Brian Balman and second by Ed Schulz, the minutes were approved as corrected.

The Board visited with Brandon Bethard, he had submitted an application for the Operator position we have available, Board agreed to discuss details and would contact him.

Jeanette reviewed the financial report.

Rick reviewed the list of bills to be paid. Karen Sutton made a motion to pay the bills, Robert Wilson seconded the motion, motion carried.

Jeanette reviewed the delinquent list that included #710, 749, 885, & 1040

Jeanette informed the Board the auditor was scheduled for Wednesday November 12th to start on the 2025 Financial Statement.

Rick updated the Board on the following:

- New radios are at Pedrotti's have been programmed should be here the 1st week of November to get them installed.
- o Pumps for the Raw Water Intake still no ship date
- Received some test results back, we had a bad Bac-T sample, retested and will keep Board posted if any further problems.
- Miami #2 possible consolidation talk Joe will attend their next meeting.
- Looking for a leak on route 5, KRWA has been out to assist, the plan is to install a few valves to help isolate areas for easier detection.

Ed Schulz asked about the non-located waterline invoice that Dawson had received, Rick shared the section of Bylaws that pertained to it, Ed understood and paid the bill.

Robert Wilson made a motion to go into executive session for 5 minutes to discuss Brandon Bethard application further, Karen seconded the motion, into executive session 6:04 pm

Resume regular session 6:09 pm

Joe will call and visit with Brandon to set up a time to meeting again and get some further information.

Ed Schulz made a motion to adjourn, 2nd by Karen Sutton, meeting adjourn 6:27 pm

Next regular meeting Monday November 24, 2025 5 pm

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