# Western Area Water Supply Authority

Board of Directors Conference Call Meeting Friday August 3, 2012 9:00 am

#### **Attendees**

Members Present via Conference Call: Kent Bickler, Brent Bogar, Ben Clarys, Ward Heidbreder, Jeffrey Mattern (alternate). Mark Owan, Gene Veeder, Jaret Wirtz and Denton Zubke.

Members Absent: Bert Anderson Michelle Klose, Ward Koeser and Gary Rust.

Other Present: Kim Schilke (WAWSA), Tami Norgard (Vogel Law Firm), David Johnson (AE2S), Steve Burian (AE2S) and Cory Chorne (AE2S), Cal Thelen (AE2S), Dave Bauer (AE2S), and Dustin Schultz (AE2S).

# Meeting called to order

Vice-Chairman Brent Bogar called the meeting to order at 9:00am.

### Approval of the Agenda

The agenda was presented for approval. <u>Denton Zubke moved to approve the agenda, Ward Heidbreder seconded.</u> The motion carried unanimously.

#### **Bulk Fill Stations**

Cory Chorne (AE2S) presented the bids for the Bulk Water Fill Stations. AE2S's recommendation was to award the bid to the low bidder; Lakeshore Toltest Corporation. <u>Denton Zubke moved to award the bid to Lakeshore Toltest Corporation</u>, Kent Bickler seconded. The motion carried <u>unanimously</u>.

## Williams Rural Water District West Expansion Phase I

Cory Chorne presented the bids for the Williams Rural Water District West Expansion Phase I Contract 1. AE2S recommended awarding the bid to the low bidder; Niebur Development, Inc. Ben Clarys made a motion to award the bid for Contract 1 of the Williams Rural Water District West Expansion Phase I to Niebur Development, Inc. Gene Veeder seconded, the motion carried unanimously

Cory Chorne presented the bids for the Williams Rural Water District West Expansion Phase I Contract 2. AE2S recommended awarding the bid to the low bidder; Western Municipal Construction. <u>Gene Veeder made a motion to award the bid for Contract 2 of the Williams Rural Water District West Expansion Phase I to Western Municipal Construction. Mark Owan seconded, the motion carried unanimously</u>

# Williston Water Treatment Plant Expansion

Williston Water Treatment Plant Expansion project was discussed. The following options were presented.

Option 1 – Existing Plant with Minimal Modifications- provide up to 14 MGD at minimal cost until further funding is available.

Option 2 - Provide full 14MGD plant capacity by addition of filters.

Option 3 - 21MGD Blending Plant.

Option 4- Complete 21 MGD Plant Expansion

The State Water Commission is allowing WAWSA to contract up to \$119 million, which is not enough to complete options 3 and 4. <u>Denton Zubke made a motion to approve Options 1 and 2 of the project, Mark Owan seconded. The motion carried unanimously.</u>

Gene Veeder moved to adjourn. Ben Clarys seconded. The motion carried unanimously.

Denton Zubke Chairman Kim Schilke Secretary