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Minutes of the Wilderness Mountain Water Service Commission Held Friday November 25, 2011 CRD Integrated Water Services – Main Conference Room 479 Island Highway, Victoria, BC

Present:

Yale Shap (C), Chuck Taylor

CRD Juan de Fuca Electoral Area Director: Mike Hicks

CRD Staff: Tim Tanton, Senior Manager, Infrastructure Engineering, Ted Robbins,

Senior Manager, Water Management, Lorrie Siemens, Recording Secretary

Regrets:

Rob Hancock

Public:

Seven members of the public

1. Call to Order

Chair Shap called the meeting to order at 9:15 a.m.

2. Approval of Agenda

The following additions were made to the agenda:

- Water Quality Website as 3(b)
- Website General 3(c)

MOVED by Director Hicks, SECONDED by Chuck Taylor,

that the agenda of the Wilderness Mountain Water Service Commission agenda be approved as amended.

CARRIED

3. 2012 Operating and Capital Budget

Staff presented a written report.

MOVED by Director Hicks, SECONDED by Chuck Taylor,

that the Wilderness Mountain Water Service Commission recommend that the CRD Board

- 1. Approve the 2012 operating and capital budget for the Wilderness Mountain Water Service as presented;
- 2. Authorize changes in the parcel tax and the user charge for the Wilderness Mountain Water Service as required to balance the 2012 budget; and
- 3. Balance the 2011 actual revenue and expense on 2011 transfer to the Capital Reserve Fund.

CARRIED

Discussions took place on the following topics:

- Protection of watershed
- Meters (installation costs, billing on consumption, leak detection)
- Design of disinfection process for new treatment plant
- Enforcement of no trespassing in the watershed area
- Public posting of notice of meetings

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Staff were requested to provide a notice of each meeting to the Chair to post on the local mailboxes.

3(b) Water Quality Website

Tim Tanton provided a demonstration of the Wilderness Mountain water quality website.

3(c) Website General

The commission requested that a link to the agendas and minutes be available on the Wilderness Mountain section of the CRD website.

4. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 10:11 a.m.