Minutes

KANSAS WATER AUTHORITY

January 31, 2019

Topeka, Kansas

Regular Meeting

CALL TO ORDER:

Acting Chairman Dennis Schwartz called the January 31, 2019 Kansas Water

Authority meeting to order at 8:32 a.m. at the Ramada Inn, Topeka, KS

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Dennis Schwartz; acting chairman; Mike Armstrong; Mark Fischer; Greg Graff; Calvin Kissick; Karma Mason; Lynn Wobker; David Barfield; Jim Butler; Dan Devlin; Brad Loveless; Ed Martinko; Leo Henning; Mike Beam; Rob Reschke;

Patty Clark; Earl Lewis

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Ted Nighswonger; Gary Harshberger; John Bailey; Randy Hayzlett; Alan King,

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Motion No. 01-19-01

It was moved by <u>Mark Fischer</u> and seconded by <u>Mike Armstrong</u> the <u>December</u> 19, 2018 Minutes for the Regular Meeting of the Kansas Water Authority be approved as presented. <u>Motion carried with no dissenting votes</u>.

KWA/PWS Committee:

Council Grove Application & Request

Motion No. 01-19-02

It was moved by <u>Mike Armstrong</u> and seconded by <u>Karma Mason</u> to approve the Director of the Kansas Water Office to enter into negotiations with the City of Council Grove for a contract to withdraw and use water from Council Grove Lake for the purposes of serving the City of Council Grove.

Motion carried with no dissenting votes.

KWA/PWS Committee:

City of Lawrence Contract update

Cara Hendricks presented.

KWA/PWS Committee:

Bathymetry Program Update

Richard Rockel and Chris Shultz presented.

KWA/RAC Operations Committee:

RAC Message to the KWA

Motion No. 01-19-03

It was moved by <u>Greg Graff</u> and seconded by <u>Mike Armstrong</u> to approve the proposed resolution for the RAC Message to the KWA from the Missouri RAC Motion carried with no dissenting votes.

KWA/RAC Operations Committee:

2019 RAC Membership Timeline

Matt Unruh provided an update.

Legislative Update:

RAC Training

Earl Lewis provided an update.

Water Vision Research-Sorghum:

Sarah Sexton-Bowser presented.

KS Dept. of Wildlife, Parks and Tourism:

Ed Miller presented on behalf of the KDWPT.

Lieutenant Governor, Lynn Rogers:

Lt. Gov Lynn Rogers spoke.

Federal Updates:

Section 1122 Proposals

Matt Unruh provided an update.

Federal Updates:

Milford Lake Watershed RCPP

Matt Unruh provided an update

Federal Updates:

Republican River Updates

<u>David Barfield</u> provided an update regarding Interstate Water Compacts

Director's Report:

Presented by **Earl Lewis**

New Business:

Adjournment

The KWA adjourned at 12:01 p.m.

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