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BOARD OF SELECTMEN AND DIGHTON WATER DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS

192 WILLIAMS STREET, NORTH DIGHTON

Tuesday, 8 July, 2014, 6 o'clock p.m.

[The Board of Selectmen met jointly with the Dighton Water District Commissioners at the Commissioner's regular monthly meeting at Water District Headquarters on Tuesday July 8th, 2014 at 6:00 p.m. Water District Chairman Edward B. Swartz presided. Present were Selectmen Dean V. Cronin, Thomas J. Pires, and Patrick W. Menges; Water District Commissioners Jeffrey Cloonan, and Susanna Medeiros; Superintendent of the Water District Gregory F. Olson and Dighton Highway Superintendent Thomas Ferry; Cable television cameraman James Ready; and Water District plant operator Dorian Jefferson and citizen Everett Pacheco.]

The Board of Selectmen, Board of Water Commissioners, and Superintendents of the Water District and Highway Department, discussed a proposal by Water District Commissioner Jeffrey Cloonan, for Water District / Highway Department public works mutuality, especially Water District use of the Highway Department for contract road work at water main breaks / repairs, and Water District participation in winter snowplowing for the Highway Department. There was considerable focus in extended discussion, about operator licenses, liability insurance coverages, and adequate personnel for highway snowplowing in the event that a Water District emergency required use of Highway Department personnel in winter. It was agreed by consensus that the Superintendent of Streets and the Superintendent of the Water District will meet and work out a draft agreement for Town of Dighton / Dighton Water District public works mutuality. Water Commissioners will review the draft agreement at their meeting on the second Tuesday of September, the Board of Selectmen thereafter.

The Selectmen rose, constituting the adjournment of their portion, at 6:18 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



Patrick W. Menges, Selectmen
Clerk of the Board of Selectmen

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