
**COUNCIL WATER RESOURCES COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES**

Thursday, April 7, 2011 - 5:00 p.m.

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Council Water Resources Committee met on Thursday, April 7, 2011, at 5:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber at Rockledge City Hall, 1600 Huntington Lane, Rockledge, Florida.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Councilwoman Phillips, Chair
Councilman Forester
Mayor Schultz

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

STAFF PRESENT: City Manager McKnight
WWT/WR Director LaDuke

With a quorum present, the meeting was called to order by Chairman Phillips.

2. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A. Report: Update on ASR System Status in Florida (Jones Edmunds)

Representatives from Jones Edmunds, Wastewater Consulting Engineers for the City, gave an overview of substantive matters relative to Aquifer Storage and Recovery Well. Jim Tully, Hydro-geologist, discussed how other utilities around the State of Florida were addressing the change in arsenic standards that have been imposed by the FDEP in the last year. Rick Ferreira, CEO, discussed the UV validation testing and chemical feed alternatives to address the arsenic mobilization issue.

City Manager McKnight then addressed the Committee and recommended the project be placed on hold for a one-year period to allow for further analysis of methods being used to minimize the mobilization of arsenic.

Mayor Schultz stated his concerns with the new methods being used with regard to this subject and felt putting the project on hold would allow for further evaluation.

Motion was made and duly seconded to recommend to City Council that the project be placed on hold for a period of one year. The motion passed without objection.

3. NEW BUSINESS – None

4. ADJOURN

There being no further business to come before the Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 5:26 p.m.

Submitted by:

James P. McKnight
City Manager