

City Receptionist

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Change last sentence to reflect that Jack Hollon is drafting the letter from Mayor to GBRA in support of the water line and to secure future surface water rights for the Wimberley Valley.

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Subject: Draft Minutes

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Minutes of April 25, 2006 Meeting, 5:45 p.m. Wimberley City Hall

Members Present: Anderson, Ditaglia, Estepp, Hollon, Jennett and Pigg.

City of Wimberley represented by Asst. City Manager Kay Wilkens.

There were no public comments.

Discussion of Water Items;

The recommendation made by this board regarding testing water quality at Blue Hole when it will be open for public swimming has been given to the Parks and Recreation Board.

Liaison Reports:

Hollon gave a report on a special meeting at the Wimberley Water Supply. Randy Warden of GBRA was the speaker. He explained three options for bringing surface water to Wimberley:

1. From Lake Canyon over Devil's Backbone which would be the most expensive and require another supply tap into the lake.
2. From San Marcos along RR12.
3. From Kyle as there is already a line along I35 from San Marcos to Kyle. This water would probably come from Lake Dunlap on the Guadalupe below Lake Canyon.

There has been some surface water designated for Wimberley and others however it will be apportioned on a first come first serve basis. Given the known rate of depletion of the Trinity Aquifer and the increasing demand for water in Wimberley it would be prudent for Wimberley to secure our future water rights to the above-mentioned surface water. The first step to do this is a letter from the mayor to GBRA.

There was a lengthy discussion of future water requirements for the Wimberley Valley. It was

felt that there should be a stakeholders meeting to plan for the future water needs of the valley. An entity such as the Hays Trinity Groundwater Conservation District for Hays County would be good possibility to arrange a meeting.

Pigg will draft a letter from the mayor to GBRA to be considered as a recommendation at our next meeting.

Meeting Adjourned 7:05 p.m.
Respectfully submitted, Pete Anderson

~~Next~~ meeting 5:45 p.m. Tuesday, May 23, 2006 at City Hall.