Minutes of the Special Review Committee Water Rates Meeting Held Thursday, August 20, 2015

Present: Councillor Maroosis, Committee Chair

Councillor Bain, Committee Member (5:15 pm to 6:28 pm)

Councillor Serran, Committee Member Mayor McDonald, Committee Member

Councillor King, Guest Councillor Anthony, Guest

Councillor Mayne, Guest (5:02 pm to 6:28 pm) Councillor Shogren, Guest (5:02 pm to 6:28 pm) Councillor Forgette, Guest (5:06 pm to 6:28 pm) Councillor Vrebosch, Guest (5:08 pm to 6:28 pm)

Staff Present:

C. Conrad, D. Euler, M. Karpenko, P. Leckie.

Special Review Committee Chair, George Maroosis, called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

Items Discussed:

- 1. Review and approval of August 10, 2015 and August 12, 2015 Minutes of the Special Review Committee Water Rates.

 <u>Direction</u>: Minutes to be presented to Council.
- Presentation by Margaret Karpenko and David Euler re: Deferral of September 2015 Water Metering Project.
 Councillor Maroosis polled his Committee to determine whether or not they supported a September 1st implementation date. Majority in agreement with September 1st date.
- 3. Items identified for discussion at next meeting:
 - ICI / Multi-Residential Equity Plan
 - Funding/resources for a Communication Plan
 - Potential for further Open House to promote portal and address issues
 - Rebate Program to assist with water conservation (2016 Budget item)
 - Structure for a "Hardship Committee" (2016 Budget item)
- 4. Next Meeting Date Monday August 31st, 2015 at 5 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 6:28 p.m.	
Councillor George Maroosis Chair Special Review Committee Water Rates	City Clerk Catherine Conrad