STATE OF NEW MEXICO WATER QUALITY CONTROL COMMISSION

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Meeting Minutes New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission Regular Meeting 04/08/14

New Mexico State Capitol Room 307 490 Old Santa Fe Trail Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Michael Vonderheide

Larry Dominguez

Dan Brooks

Scott Dawson

DL Sanders

Hoyt Pattison

John Waters

Edward Vigil

Jane DeRose-Bamman

Clark Taylor

Acting Chair, Environment Department

Department of Agriculture

Department of Game & Fish

Oil Conservation Division

Office of the State Engineer

Member-at Large

Member-at-Large (Teleconference)

Member-at-Large

Water Utility Authority (Teleconference)

Soil and Water Conservation Commission

MEMBER ABSENT:

Brett Woods

State Parks Division

OTHERS PRESENT:

Felicia Orth, Hearing Officer (Teleconference)

Pam Castañeda, Administrator

Please see attached sign-in-sheet

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Vonderheide at 9:03 a.m.

Item 1. Roll Call.

Roll was taken; it was noted that a quorum was present.

Item 2. Approval of Agenda.

Action: Mr. Pattison moved Commission adoption of the agenda. Mr. Clark seconded

the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Item 3. Approval of minutes of March 11, 2014 meeting.

Action: Mr. Dominguez moved to approve the minutes. Mr. Vigil seconded the

motion. Mr. Clark moved to abstain and Mr. Dawson also abstained because they were both absent. The motion passed unanimously.

Item 4. Deliberation and possible decision in WQCC 13-10 (PISC), Petition by

the Department of Game and Fish for the use of piscicides to restore the native fish community in the Las Animas Creek Watershed, Sierra

County, New Mexico.

Action: Mr. Brooks moved to adopt the Hearing Officers draft Hearing Report and

the Draft Order with the amendment of section 5, which included the completion of all requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) process, as well as the addition of the language regarding the pretreatment survey. Mr. Sanders seconded. Mr. Sanders moved to authorize the Chair to sign the adopted Order. Mr. Waters seconded. The

motion passed nine to one with Commissioner Dominguez opposed.

Item 5. Next meeting: May 13, 2014: Hearing in WQCC-14-03 (R), regarding

Proposed Revisions to 20.6.2 NMAC-Threshold Definition for Liquid

Waste:

Item 6. Adjournment.

The Chair adjourned the meeting at 10:59 a.m.

Commission Chair