MINUTES SPECIAL MEETING LAGUNA MADRE WATER DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS Tuesday, February 18, 2020 8:02 AM – 8:10 AM EXECUTIVE SESSION

 A Special Meeting of the Board of Directors was held on Tuesday, February 18, 2020, at 8:02 A.M.; <u>QUORUM</u>

PRESENT:

Vice-Chairman, Herb Houston Secretary, Alex Avalos Director, Jason Starkey

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF:

General Manager, Carlos J. Galvan, Jr. Director of Operations, Robert Gomez Director of Finance, Eddie Salazar Purchasing Agent, Enrique Samaniego Information Tech Specialist, Orlando Huerta Attorney, Brian Hansen

ABSENT:

Chairman, Scott Friedman
Director, Adam Lalonde
District Engineer, Charles Ortiz

- 2. The meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance, and C. Galvan said the opening Prayer;
- That an Executive Session was on the agenda for said meeting duly posted on the Office of the Laguna Madre Water District;

Executive Session as permitted by the Open Meeting Act, V.T.C.A., Government Code Section 551.001 Et. Seq., under Section 551.074 which authorizes the holding of such closed or executive session(s):

551.071 Consultation with Attorney:

Update on Legal matter concerning ratepayer's appeal of the raw water rate.

That upon a motion by Director, A. AVALOS, and seconded by Director, J. STARKEY, the Board convened into Executive Session at 8:04 AM, and upon motion by Director, A. AVALOS and seconded by Director, J. STARKEY, Executive Session ended at 8:08 AM;

- 4. That only matters described in the Executive Session agenda were discussed: <u>LEGAL MATTER CONCERNING RATEPAYER'S APPEAL OF THE RAW WATER RATE</u> by the Board of Directors;
 - Motion by Director, A. AVALOS and seconded by Director, J. STARKEY, the Board agreed to proceed as discussed in Executive Session. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.
- 5. There being no further business, the Vice-Chairman adjourned the meeting at <u>8:10 AM</u>. Moved by A. AVALOS and seconded by J. STARKEY.

It was approved on the 26th day of February 2020.

ALEX AVALOS, SECRETARY