## PRAIRIELANDS GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

## March 21, 2022

## MINUTES OF PUBLIC HEARING ON APPLICATION FOR OPERATING PERMIT

The Board of Directors of the Prairielands Groundwater Conservation District ("District") met in special session, open to the public, within the boundaries of the District at 208 Kimberly Dr, Cleburne, TX, on March 21, 2022.

President Charles Beseda presided and called the public hearing to order at 9:04 a.m., announcing the meeting open to the public.

The roll was called of the members of the Board of Directors, to wit:

Charles Beseda Maurice Osborn
John Curtis Brad Daniels
Randy Kirk Marty McPherson
Paul Tischler Barney McClure

All members of the Board were in attendance, thus constituting a quorum of the Board of Directors. Also present at said meeting were Kathy Turner Jones, General Manager; Brian Sledge, General Counsel; District staff; and members of the public. Copies of the public sign-in sheets are attached hereto as Exhibit "A" to the March 21, 2022 Regular Board Meeting minutes.

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Buena Vista Bethel SUD, for a proposed Operating Permit for authorization to drill two new wells (#2702 and #2703) to be located in Ellis County at 1820 FM 66, Waxahachie, TX and 3800 FM 66, Waxahachie, TX; and an increase in production authorization in the amount of 8 MG in 2022 and 50 MG annually thereafter (→2027); Municipal Use; (Driller of record: TBD) Ms. Jones reported the applicant is a community water district located in Ellis County requesting an Operating Permit to drill two new non-exempt wells within the boundaries of their CCN to be screened in the Woodbine formation and is requesting additional production allocation in the amount of 8 MG in 2022 and 50 MGY for 2023 through 2026. She added that Buena Buena Vista Bethel SUD purchases water from City of Waxahachie and sells to Lakeview Camp and Conference Center and Carroll Water Company (Emerald Forest), and the primary source of water for the system

is purchased surface water. She stated that based on the well spacing analysis summaries, the proposed wells will meet spacing requirements with a maximum designed production capacity of 150 gpm each, and it would be her recommendation for the Board to authorize approval of OP-22-022. Director Kirk made a motion to approve OP-22-022 for the registration, drilling, and construction of the new wells and authorize production not to exceed 8 MG in 2022 and 50 MGY annually in 2023 through 2026 for a maximum combined authorized production of 525,419,500 gallons in 2022 and 567,419,500 gallons annually thereafter to 2026. Director McClure seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

There being no further discussion, Director McClure made a motion to adjourn the public hearing. Director Curtis seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously. The public hearing was adjourned at 9:08 a.m.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED THIS 18th DAY OF APRIL 2022.

Maurice Osborn, Board Secretary