

Minutes of Public Hearings on
Operating Permit Applications
Panola County Groundwater Conservation District
August 22, 2017

A public hearing was held by the Panola County Groundwater Conservation District Board of Directors immediately following the Rule Change Hearing at 5:42 p.m. in the District Conference Room on Tuesday, August 22, 2017, on the applications for Drilling and Operating Permits for Iron Mountain Energy, LLC.

Board Members:

Precinct #1: Mike Pennington
 Danny Reed
Precinct #2: James Browning
 Larry Dorman
Precinct #3: Scott Yarnell
 Jim Payne
Precinct #4: Ronny McMillan
 Ray Davis
At Large: Bobby Langford

District Staff: Leah Adams, General Manager; Ashley Whitaker, Office Manager; David Waldrop, Field Technician/Inspector; and Jess Landreneau, Field Technician

Others Present: Ron Sharp, Panola Drilling

1. The public hearing was called to order by James Browning, Board President, at 5:42 p.m. on Tuesday, August 22, 2017.
2. Mr. Browning moved into review of the Drilling and Operating Permit applications for Iron Mountain Energy, LLC. He asked the General Manager to present the Drilling and Operating Permit applications. The General Manager then explained that Iron Mountain Energy, LLC applied to drill two water wells and operate a total of three water wells for commercial purposes (water sales and facility use). The total usage applied for was 10,000,000 gallons or 30.69 acre-feet annually.

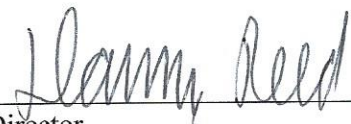
Based on the presented information and the fact that the applications had met all of the requirements of the District rules and Chapter 36, TWC, the General Manager suggested that the Board approve the applications. Bobby Langford moved and Mike Pennington seconded the motion to approve the Drilling and Operating Permits for Iron Mountain Energy, LLC. The motion passed unanimously.

3. With no other items on the agenda, Mr. Browning adjourned the public hearing for the Drilling and Operating Permit applications at 5:45 p.m.

Approved this 26th day of September, 2017.



Director



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