

Panola County Groundwater Conservation District
Minutes of Public Hearings on Export Permit & Operating Permit Applications
February 22, 2022

A Public Hearing was held by the Panola County Groundwater Conservation District Board of Directors at 5:30p.m. in the District Conference Room at 419 W. Sabine Street, Carthage, Texas 75633 on Tuesday, February 22, 2022 on the applications for Export Permits & Operating Permits for Rockcliff Energy, Bo Hodges, 315 Holdings, Todd Alexander and Logging Tech Forestry, LLC.

Board Members:

Precinct #1: Mike Pennington
 Danny Reed
Precinct #2: John Burgess
 Todd Malone
Precinct #3: Jody Harris
Precinct #4: Rodger McLane
 Ray Davis
At Large: Bud Worley

District Staff: Teresa Griffin, General Manager; Ashley Whitaker, Office Manager; David Waldrop, Field Technician

Guest: John Eduards, George Taylor, Emily Taylor, Curtis Bell, Mike Roquemore, Wade Oliver; Intera, Andrew Osbourne; Intera, Danny Coffman; Rockcliff Energy, Hop Foster; Rockcliff Energy

1. The Public Hearing was called to order by Mike Pennington, Board President, at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 22, 2022.
2. Mr. Pennington moved into review of the Export Permit application for Rockcliff Energy. He asked the General Manager to present the application. The General Manager then explained that Rockcliff Energy applied to operate two (2) water wells for out of county export. The proposed combined total usage for the well is 80,000,000 gallons or 245.51 acre-feet annually.

Based on the presented information for the applicant the General Manger recommended that the Board not take any action on the Export Permit at this time and to continue the hearing on the application until next month. Ray Davis moved, and Danny Reed seconded the motion to not take any action on the Export Permit at this time and to continue the hearing on the Export Permit until the next Permit Hearing on Tuesday, March 29. The motion passed unanimously of those present.

Mr. Pennington moved into review of the Export Permit application for Rockcliff Energy. He asked the General Manager to present the application. The General Manager then explained that Rockcliff Energy applied to operate three (3) water wells for out of county export. The proposed combined total usage for the well is 200,000,000 gallons or 613.78 acre-feet annually.

Based on the presented information for the applicant the General Manger recommended that the Board not take any action on the Export Permit at this time and to continue the hearing on the application until the next Permit Hearing on Tuesday, March 29. Todd Malone moved, and

John Burgess seconded the motion to not take any action on the Export Permit at this time and to continue the hearing on the Export Permit until the next Permit Hearing on Tuesday, March 29. The motion passed unanimously of those present.

Mr. Pennington moved into review of the Export Permit application for Rockcliff Energy. He asked the General Manager to present the application. The General Manager then explained that Rockcliff Energy applied to operate three (3) water wells for out of county export. The proposed combined total usage for the well is 160,000,000 gallons or 491.03 acre-feet annually.

Based on the presented information for the applicant the General Manger recommended that the Board not take any action on the Export Permit at this time and to continue the hearing on the application until the next Permit Hearing on Tuesday, March 29. Danny Reed moved, and Jody Harris seconded the motion to not take any action on the Export Permit at this time and to continue the hearing on the Export Permit until the Permit Hearing on Tuesday, March 29. The motion passed unanimously of those present.

Mr. Pennington moved into review of the Export Permit application for Rockcliff Energy. He asked the General Manager to present the application. The General Manager then explained that Rockcliff Energy applied to operate one (1) water well for out of county export. The proposed combined total usage for the well is 40,000,000 gallons or 122.76 acre-feet annually.

Based on the presented information for the applicant the General Manger recommended that the Board not take any action on the Export Permit at this time and to continue the hearing on the application until the next Permit Hearing on Tuesday, March 29. Bud Worley moved, and Danny Reed seconded the motion to not take any action on the Export Permit at this time and to continue the hearing on the Export Permit until the next Permit Hearing on Tuesday, March 29. The motion passed unanimously of those present.

Mr. Pennington moved into review of the Export Permit application for Rockcliff Energy. He asked the General Manager to present the application. The General Manager then explained that Rockcliff Energy applied to export two (2) water wells for out of county export. The proposed combined total usage for the well is 70,000,000 gallons or 214.83 acre-feet annually.

Based on the presented information for the applicant the General Manger recommended that the Board not take any action on the Export Permit at this time and to continue the hearing on the application until the next Permit Hearing on Tuesday, March 29. John Burgess moved, and Jody Harris seconded the motion to not take any action on the Export Permit at this time and to continue the hearing on the Export Permit until the next Permit Hearing on Tuesday, March 29. The motion passed unanimously of those present.

3. Mr. Pennington moved into review of the Operating Permit application for Bo Hodges. He asked the General Manager to present the application. The General Manager then explained that Bo Hodges applied to operate two (2) water wells for water sales. The proposed combined total usage for the wells is 60,000,000 gallons or 184.14 acre-feet annually.

Based on the presented information for the applicant and the fact that the application had met all the requirements of the District Rules and Chapter 36, TWC, the General Manger recommended that the Board approve the application. Jody Harris moved, and Bud Worley seconded the motion to approve the Operating Permit. The motion passed unanimously of those present.

Mr. Pennington moved into review of the Operating Permit application for 315 Holdings, LLC. He asked the General Manager to present the application. The General Manager then explained that 315 Holdings, LLC applied to operate one (1) water well for water sales. The proposed total usage for the well is 20,000,000 gallons or 61.38 acre-feet annually.

Based on the presented information for the applicant and the fact that the application had met all the requirements of the District Rules and Chapter 36, TWC, the General Manger recommended that the Board approve the application. Ray Davis moved, and Danny Reed seconded the motion to approve the Operating Permit. The motion passed unanimously of those present.

Mr. Pennington moved into review of the Operating Permit application for Todd Alexander. He asked the General Manager to present the application. The General Manager then explained that Todd Alexander applied to operate two (2) water wells for water sales. The proposed combined total usage for the well is 80,000,000 gallons or 122.76 acre-feet annually.

Based on the presented information for the applicant and the fact that the application had met all the requirements of the District Rules and Chapter 36, TWC, the General Manger recommended that the Board approve the application. Rodger McLane moved, and Todd Alexander seconded the motion to approve the Operating Permit. Ray Davis abstained. The motion passed unanimously of those present.

Mr. Pennington moved into review of the Operating Permit application for Logging Tech Forestry, LLC. He asked the General Manager to present the application. The General Manager then explained that Logging Tech Forestry, LLC, applied to operate one (1) water well for water sales. The proposed total usage for the well is 58,000,000 gallons or 178 acre-feet annually.

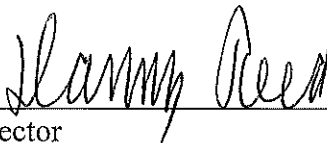
Based on the presented information for the applicant and the fact that the application had met all the requirements of the District Rules and Chapter 36, TWC, the General Manger recommended that the Board approve the application. Danny Reed moved, and Ray Davis seconded the motion to approve the Operating Permit. The motion passed unanimously of those present.

4. With no other items on the agenda, Mr. Pennington adjourned the public hearing at 6:33 p.m.

Approved this 29th day of March 2022.



Director



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