

Panola County Groundwater Conservation District
Minutes of Public Hearings on Operating Permit Applications
March 28, 2023

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, March 28, 2023 on the application for an Operating Permit for Jason Griffin.

Board Members:

Precinct #1 Mike Pennington
Danny Reed
Precinct #2 John Burgess
Precinct #3: Mike Roquemore
Jody Harris
Precinct #4: Corey Turner
Charles Foster
At Large: Bud Worley

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

Absent: Todd Malone, Precinct #2;

1. The Public Hearing was called to order by Mike Pennington, Board President, at 5:32 p.m. on Tuesday, March 28, 2023.
2. Mr. Pennington moved into review of the Operating Permit application for Jason Griffin. He asked the General Manager to present the application. The General Manager then explained that Jason Griffin applied to operate two (2) water wells for water sales. The proposed total usage for each well is 31,536,000 gallons or 96.78 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 Bud Worley seconded the motion to approve the Operating Permit. The motion passed unanimously of those present.

3. Both wells for Jason Griffin were discussed at the same time and one permit was issued for both wells. See action taken in item #2.
4. With no other items on the agenda, Mr. Pennington adjourned the public hearing at 5:34 p.m.

Approved this 25th day of April 2023.



Director



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