

RESOLUTION NO. 511

EMERGENCY RESOLUTION TO INSTALL AN 18 INCH WATER MAIN ON SOUTH KENTUCKY FROM 4<sup>TH</sup> ST SE TO THE PEARCOT RESERVOIR SITE

WHEREAS, the East Wenatchee Water District has recently noticed a reduction in the aquifer surface elevation and capacity at Wells 2a,b&c and Well 7, and

WHEREAS, the Columbia River, adjacent to the wells, is running at 25 percent of normal due to this years drought conditions, and

WHEREAS, the Columbia River, adjacent to the wells, is approximately 5 feet lower than normal and not expected to raise until Grand Coulee Dam is full in 6 weeks, and

WHEREAS, two-thirds of the District's capacity comes from this aquifer, and

WHEREAS, due to the lower capacity of this aquifer the District's wells are beginning to suck air into the water system, and

WHEREAS, the District needs to increase the equalizing and hydraulic capacity between the Pearcot Reservoirs and the 15<sup>th</sup> Street Reservoirs, and

WHEREAS, the District's comprehensive plan identifies this improvement, and

WHEREAS, the Districts Engineer has verified and recommends that this improvement be completed as soon as possible, and

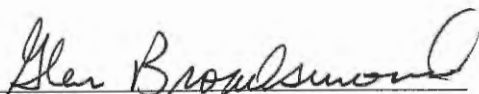
WHEREAS, the Regional water main project is behind schedule, and

WHEREAS, this improvement will replace the existing main with 18 inch water main currently serving the area, and


WHEREAS, it is deemed to be in the best interest of the Water District to declare this project as an Emergency and proceed to procure materials and complete the project in a timely manner with equipment and labor being provided by a local contractors.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS of the EAST WENATCHEE WATER DISTRICT, that Resolution No. 511 is hereby declared an Emergency and further authorizes the manager to proceed with whatever is necessary to install the water main and appurtenances.

ADOPTED, this 16th day of May, 2001, by the BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS of the East Wenatchee Water District, Douglas County, Washington at a regular meeting thereof.

  
Glen Broadsword, President

ATTEST:

  
Mike McCourt, Secretary