# NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Laclede Water District

208-255-4068

**Special meeting on Tuesday April 2, 2024 at 6:00pm**

**Those in attendance were Justin Roberts, David Stevens, Kimberly Swank and Gloria Fletcher**

**Bring meeting to order**

Justin brought the meeting to order at 6:07.

**Changes in Agenda**

We decided that this is just a meeting to discuss a change in the water rates. We will have another special meeting to do the Ordinances.

**Old Business**

**Changes to Water Rates**

We’ve been working on rate changes for many months now. Our goal is to make sure we charge the correct rate so that we have money to pay the bills, for depreciation, for new equipment and supplies and make sure our Water Users are paying the correct amount.

RCAC (Rural Community Assistance Corporation) has a very comprehensive spreadsheet tool that they use to provide billing-rate suggestions to clients. Jeremy (from RCAC) gave Dave a copy and got rid of all the tabs that we didn’t need.

Dave has been working with this “tool” since we got it in December. He gave us all a copy. Justin also worked on the different scenarios that Dave had come up with for our users. Since it had been a while since Dave had gone through it with us, he did it again. We worked on all different scenarios.

We felt very confident that we understood it and could put it in place. There is a lot to it but here’s what was proposed.

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A motion to approve the rate analysis tool that was presented by Dave only when we finish the Ordinances and will implement them at the same time from Kimberly, and Gloria 2nd it…. Approved.