MINUTES TO COME BEFORE THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF TARRANT COUNTY WATER CONTROL AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NUMBER ONE HELD IN THE DISTRICT OFFICE AT FORT WORTH, TEXAS, ON THE 28TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1956 AT 1:30 P. M.

The call of the roll disclosed the presence or absence of Directors as follows:

## PRESENT

ABSENT

Joe B. Hogsett Houston Hill Lacy Boggess W. L. Pier A. T. Seymour, Jr.

Also present were Messrs. William M. Brown and Sidney L. Samuels, General Counsels for the District and Ben F. Hickey, General Manager of the District.

1.

On motion duly made and seconded, the minutes of the meeting of November 15, 1956 were read and approved by the Directors and it was accordingly so ordered.

2.

On motion of Director Hill, seconded by Director Pier, voucher-checks #9007 to #9060, inclusive, were approved and ordered filed, having theretofore received the approval and verification of Mr. J. M. Williams, County Auditor, who by virtue of the Statutes is the Auditor of this District as well. All the Directors present voted aye thereon.



Director Pier brought to the attention of the Board that on December 6, there would mature \$200,000.00 Par Value U. S. Treasury Bills, owned by the Interest and Sinking Fund, and after discussion it was the unanimous decision of the Board that Mr. Ben Hickey, General Manager of the District, work with Director Pier and reinvest the \$200,000.00 in U. S. Government Securities as best suited for the needs of the Interest and Sinking Fund.

4.

Mr. Hickey presented to the Directors for their consideration, a proposal made by Mr. Robert Walton, for the renting of the property on West Seventh Street as recorded in Vol. 388-C, Page 124 of Deed Records of Tarrant County, Texas, for a period from December 1 to December 31, 1950. Mr. Walton proposed to use this property in the display and sale of Christmas Trees. After a general discussion, it was the unanimous decision of the Board that Mr. Hickey be given the authority to enter into a rental agreement with Mr. Walton for this period of time with a standard form of rental agreement to be prepared by the Attorneys of the District.

5.

There being no further business before the Board of Directors, the meeting adjourned.

President

Secretary

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November 14, 1956

TO BE ATTACHED TO THE MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HELD NOV. 15, 1956

Mr. Joe B. Hogsett President, Board of Directors Tarrant County Water Control and Improvement District Number One Danciger Building Fort Worth, Texas

Dear Mr. Hogsett:

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- ( ) in answer to your letter
- ( ) for your information
- ( ) your comments please

In response to the request from the Board of Directors, we set forth here the statutory requirements for expanding the boundaries of the District.

Article 7889-75b specifies the manner in which land may be added to an existing district:

- l. A petition for the annexation of such defined area of territory, signed by a majority of land-owners in the area, or by 50 land-owners if there are more than that number in the area, is filed with the Secretary of the Board, whereupon the Board must pass an order fixing a time for a hearing of the petition, not less than 30 days from the date of the order, and the Secretary then issues notice of the hearing (which must describe the territory proposed to be annexed), posting copies thereof in three public places in the District and a public place within the outside area, which notices must be posted for 15 days prior to the hearing. Notice also is required to be published in a newspaper one time in at least 15 days prior to the hearing.
- 2. Upon the hearing, if the Board determines that it is to the advantage of the District and that the water supply canals and other improvements of the District are sufficient to supply the area proposed to be annexed without injury to other lands in the District, then the Board, by resolution, may receive the proposed territory as an addition so the District, with the following results:
  - (a) The added territory shall bear its pro rate part of all indebtedness that may be owed, contracted, or authorized by said District.