

ASHLEY VALLEY WATER
& SEWER IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT
609 WEST MAIN
VERNAL UTAH

Minutes of the Ashley Valley Water and Sewer Improvement District Board Meeting, (public rate hearing) held on Wednesday June 4th, 2025, at 6:00 p.m. in the conference room of Ashley Valley Water and Sewer located at 609 West Main Vernal Utah.

IN ATTENDANCE

Boyd Workman	Chairperson
Brownie Tomlinson	Vice-Chairperson
Max Haslem	Trustee
Dean Baker	Trustee (excused)
David Hatch	Trustee
Ryan Goodrich	District Manager
Nora Garcia	District Clerk
Allen Hacking	Assistant Manager (excused)

Chairman Workman opened the public rate hearing at 6:02 p.m. and welcomed all that was present.

Approximately 25 district customers attended this meeting.

This public meeting was held to discuss water rights, drought conditions, water conservation needs, and two (2) new water conservation rate schedules. The rate implementation is based on verifiable triggers, and those triggers determine which rate is charged. The current drought conditions have already triggered Water Conservation Rate 2.

Ryan had a slideshow presentation for those in attendance which explained the water supply outlook and the verifiable triggers that implement each of the rates. Ryan also informed the public that the presentation and the rate scheduled would be posted to the website so anyone could download and see the presentation.

As the meeting was a public rate hearing, Boyd invited those in attendance to provide feedback and comment on the rates. Several members of the public asked clarifying questions about the rates, triggers, and the water supply outlook.

Overall the members of the public were also very concerned about water supply, and felt that there needed to be action taken to assure indoor water supply.

There was one suggestion made to modify the rates to help alleviate the burden to those on fixed incomes. The suggestion was to add 2,000 gallons of water to the tier 2 rates.

Brownie made the motion to adopt the new rate structure after modification to add 2,000 gallons to tier 2 on the upper end. This would change it from 6,000-8,000 to 6,000-10,000 gallons. Rates will be affective beginning in July and be applied towards the June 2025 usage throughout the summer. Dave seconded with the modification. The motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 7:21 p.m.