WILLMAR MUNICIPAL UTILITIES COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA MONDAY, MARCH 27, 2017– 11:45 A.M.

<u>Est. Start Time</u>	
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BUSINESS MEETING

11:45 a.m.	1.	Approve consent agenda: 🔞
		a. Additions to agenda? Approve agenda.
		b. Minutes from March 13, 2017 MUC meeting
		c. Review & approve payment of bills (including wire
		transfers) in the total amount of \$2,046,103.44.
11:50 a.m.	2.	Auditor's (CDS) presentation of the 2016 Audit Report &
		Financial Statements. M
12:05 p.m.	3.	Approve 2017 Fund Allocations (03.01.17). 🔞 (Denise)
12:10 p.m.	4.	Present amended 2017 Budget (inclusion of EAA). 🛞 (Denise)
12:20 p.m.	5.	Approve authorized persons (CFO Denise Runge & GM John
		Harren) to conduct financial/investment business on behalf of
		WMU with Heritage Bank. 🔞 (Denise/John)
12:25 p.m.	6.	Review & request approval of minutes from the March 22 nd
		WMU Labor Committee meeting. M (Nate)
		a. Approve wage adjustment for General Manager Harren
		(following six-month performance review). 🔞
12:35 p.m.	7.	Energy Acquisition Adjustment (EAA) and how retained
		earnings apply to capital improvement projects.
		(John/Chris/Denise)
		a. EAA – Retained Earnings
		b. Statement of Cash Flows (electric, water & combined)
12:45 p.m.	8.	PowerPoint presentation: Per request, presentation to the
		City Council on April 23rd regarding District Heating. (John)
12:55 p.m.	9.	General Manager's Report

Resolution required

M Motion requested

NOTE: This meeting will be audibly recorded.

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GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT – MARCH 27, 2017

Request to schedule WMU Work Session (April 13-18?)

- Bid recommendation: Cooling Tower #2 Project
 - Replacement/Value of Capacity/Marketability of the Capacity
- Joint Action Agency comparisons
- o DH customers meeting recap; next steps to potentially decommission DH

Future Events/Dates to Note:

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- MRES Annual Meeting May 10-11 (Sioux Falls, SD)
- > APPA National Conference June 19-21, 2017 (Orlando, FL)
- APPA Webinar Series: Public Utility Governance & Electric Utility 101 (1:00-2:30 p.m. in the WMU Conference Room)
 - Electric Utility 101: Substations March 30
 - Overview of Utility Financial Operations April 6
 - Electric Utility 101: Transmission April 13
 - Board Policy Development & Policy Compliance May 2
 - Electric Utility 101: Distribution May 11
 - Strategic Planning for Long-Term Effectiveness May 30
 - Board-Driven Performance Evaluation: Governance & Management July 5

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