sibility study

- A change in the cost structure for the Transit Loss Model for sale of Triview water credits to downstream users to a flow-based proposal—a minimum of \$2,390 and up to \$15,000 per year
- About \$5,200 for mowing and aerator landscape equipment that used to be borrowed from Monument Public Works
- About \$5,000 for video inspection and cleaning of Triview sewer lines, as budgeted

 Installing an asphalt overlay on Jackson Creek Parkway north of the King Sooper's shopping center entrance

There was board consensus to proceed with all these budgeted items.

Shupp said he would present his legal report during executive session.

A man who identified himself as Scott and a Jackson Creek resident expressed his and his neighbors' concerns about water flow, pressure, and availability next summer due to the new construction in Promontory Pointe and in the new apartment buildings, which are being built by Ent Federal Credit Union.

Eskridge said a new well would be installed within a year and irrigation would be controlled or suspended to maintain water pressure in homes and businesses if water tank levels and pressures get too low.

Fix said that the planned booster pump system would only sustain water pressure in the higher elevation Jackson Creek houses adjacent to Promontory Pointe. The board recessed the meeting to go into executive session at 6:17 p.m.

The next meeting will held at 5 p.m. June 12 in Town Hall, 645 Beacon Lite Road. Meetings are normally held on the second Tuesday of the month. Information: 488-6868

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Woodmoor Water and Sanitation District, May 10

New board member sworn in

By Candice Hitt

At the Woodmoor Water and Sanitation District's (WWSD) board meeting, Tommy Schwab was sworn in as a new board member. Four positions were available for election this year. Three of the positions were filled by the re-election of incumbents Beth Courrau, James Taylor, and Barrie Town. The election results are available on the district website.

The district is currently evaluating the Transit Loss Model to better align the cost with benefits. The model is used for measuring flows in Monument Creek and Fountain Creek for water transfers and effluent sales. At last month's Transit Loss meeting, Colorado Springs Utilities said it would pay half of the cost of maintaining the Northgate gauge, one of 11 gauges used in measuring flows. This will be a cost benefit to WWSD and other northern entities that are members of the Transit Loss Model.

District Manager Jessie Shaffer gave an update on the online payment method recently approved by the board. Shaffer stated the program will be implemented in about five months.

Operations report

Assistant Manager Randy Gillette gave

the operations report, stating well 6 has failed and is out of the ground. It is a Dawson well drilled in 1984. Gillette said resources are limited on repairing the well, so nothing has been done on it. The well needs to be cleaned and the district is waiting to look at the budget before scheduling anything.

Well 10 had an equipment failure with the bearings in the top end of the motor. This well has been in ground for less than a year and therefore the repair was covered under warranty. The well is scheduled to be back online May 10. Well 12 has been acid cleaned and lowered. The pump rate on this well is 400 gallons per minute.

Schaffer gave the financial report, saying the district is on budget on expenditures, but revenues are down by about 22 percent. The district should begin to see the revenues increase with the summer water use fees. June 1 starts the district's mandatory summer water conservation program. The district plans to be using lake water by the end of May.

The next regular board meeting will be held at 1 p.m. June 14 at the Woodmoor Water and Sanitation District Office, 1845 Woodmoor Dr., Monument. For information: 488-2525 or www.woodmoorwater.com.

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