RAINBOW WATER DISTRICT

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

REGULAR SESSION MINUTES – JUNE 29, 2023

President Keeler called the meeting to order at 12:45 pm.

Commissioners present: Doug Keeler Mary Beth Wilson Marla Casley* Lou Allocco Jim McLaughlin*

Staff present: Superintendent Jamie Porter

Others present: Attorney Ross Williamson*, Commissioner-Elect Mindy Kephart

* Attended virtually through Zoom

This meeting followed an Executive Session where a proposal to join the class action lawsuit against 3M and other PFAS manufacturers was reviewed.

Commissioner Allocco made a motion to enter into a contract with Cossich, Sumich, Parsiola & Taylor LLC of Bella Chasse, Louisiana, to provide legal services for Rainbow Water and Fire District with respect to damages, compensation, and other relief to which the District may be entitled as a result of a class action lawsuit against 3M Company and other manufactures of PFAS. Commissioner Wilson seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Commissioner Keeler made a motion to authorize Cossich, Sumich, Parsiola & Taylor LLC of Bella Chasse, Louisiana to file a complaint on behalf of the District in the multi-district litigation against 3M Company. Commissioner Wilson seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

President Keeler adjourned the Regular Session at 12:50 pm.