



# MINUTES

SANTA FE RIVER  
COMMISSION  
JANUARY 13, 2022  
6:00 PM  
VIRTUAL MEETING

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1. **CALL TO ORDER**

Meeting started at 6:02 PM

2. **ROLL CALL**

**Members Present:**

Member Phil Bove  
Member Heidi Klingel  
Member Rachel Kullman  
Member Anna Hansen  
Member Susan Coulter

**Members Excused:**

Member Vanessa Springer  
Member Emile Sawyer  
Member Andrew Black

**Others Attending:**

Melissa McDonald, Parks Division Director  
Zoe Isaacson, River and Watershed Project Administrator

3. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**MOTION:** Member Hansen moved, seconded by Member Klingel, to approve the agenda as presented.

**VOTE:** The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

**For:** Member Bove, Member Klingel, Member Kullman, Member Hansen, Member Coulter

**Against:** None

**Abstain:** None

4. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**



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- a. Approval of Minutes from October 14, 2021 Meeting

**MOTION:** Member Hansen moved, seconded by Member Klingel, to approve the minutes as presented.

**VOTE:** The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

**For:** Member Klingel, Member Kullman, Member Hansen, Member Coulter

**Against:** None

**Abstain:** None

## 5. COMMUNICATIONS FROM OTHER AGENCIES/COMMITTEES

- a. Report from Santa Fe Watershed Association (Amara Nash, Outreach Coordinator, amara@santafewatershed.org)
- b. Santa Fe County Update (Mike Romero, Greenway/River Trail Project Manager, Public Works Department, miromero@santafecountynm.gov)

## 6. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

- a. Reliance on San Juan Chama water and the Source Water Protection Plan (Susan Coulter, Santa Fe River Commissioner, susan.coulter@gmail.com)
- b. Aquifer Storage and Recovery: ASR working group met with City Staff to discuss the potential of an ASR project and impacts on Living River Flows (Rachel Kullman, River Commission Chair, rachel@kullmanwater.com)
- c. Stormwater StoryMap Update (StoryMap working group- Heidi Klingel, heidiklingel@hotmail.com; Rachel Kullman, rachel@kullmanwater.com; & Susan Coulter, susan.coulter@gmail.com)

## 7. DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS



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- a. Recommendations to Mayor for four open positions on the River Commission: review and discussion of applicants (Zoe Isaacson, Staff Liason, zrisaacson@santafenm.gov, 955.6985)
- b. Chair and Co-Chair Elections (Rachel Kullman, River Commission Chair, rachel@kullmanwater.com)

**MOTION:** Member Kullman moved, seconded by Member Hansen, to Approve nomination of Heidi Klingel as River Commission Chair

**VOTE:** The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

**For:** Member Bove, Member Klingel, Member Kullman, Member Hansen, Member Coulter

**Against:** None

**Abstain:** None

**MOTION:** Member Hansen moved, seconded by Member Klingel, to Approve nomination of Susan Coulter as River Commission Vice-Chair

**VOTE:** The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

**For:** Member Bove, Member Klingel, Member Kullman, Member Hansen, Member Coulter

**Against:** None

**Abstain:** None

## 8. MATTERS FROM STAFF

- a. River and Watershed Section Project Updates (Zoe Isaacson, Staff Liason, zrisaacson@santafenm.gov, 955.6985)



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- b. Target Flow Hydrograph Updates (Patricio Pacheco, Water Division, [pmpacheco@santafenm.gov](mailto:pmpacheco@santafenm.gov))

9. **MATTERS FROM THE PUBLIC**

10. **MATTERS FROM THE COMMISSION**

Next River Commission stewardship day- February 19<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am at Louis Montano Park.

11. **NEXT MEETING: April 14 2022**

12. **ADJOURN**

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Meeting ended at 7:43 PM

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Liaison

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Chair