## MOAB IRRIGATION COMPANY

## 2013 OFFICERS REPORT

Annual Meeting - February 3, 2014

The following is the highlights for the past year:

JANURY: A check from Moab City was accepted for the repairs to the line on 5th west for 2011. Dave E. moved the Company Share records to a new data base to make it easier to send out letters, notices for assessment. All Directors are making ready for The Annual Meeting like writing Officers Reports.

FEBRUARY: We made an agreement with Moab City on Rotary Park .They agree to be responsible to remove their structures on top of our line should we need to repair it. There was on going work of surveying on all Ditches

MARCH: We started water and sent out all schedules. By March it was looking like it was going to be a very dry year. Mark Sovine came to that meeting, GRAND WATER will not be distributing water until after APRIL 1<sup>st</sup> or later. This was the first of many talks and meeting we all had about how to get through this, which proved to be the driest year yet.

APRIL: April came, and we the Board decided to delay the start of water delivery on the mountain until Apr 25<sup>th</sup> to help fill the LAKE. Five options were proposed in a meeting with the STATE WATER on how to best handle low water flows that may occur later in the summer.

MAY: It looked better when the Water Master reported that water was taken out of all Ditches do to storm activity we were hopeful that the LAKE would fill! Ditch #1 was damaged at Days Inn north of town and was out of services for days. Repair cost were billed and sent to them; as of yet has not been paid.

JUNE: Was a busy month. The line at Days Inn was repaired; repairs were made to the line at West Center St and a 4 inch line on 5th west. A new valve was installed for Fullers on 4<sup>th</sup> North. New Motel on North Main wants to move the Main Line.

JULY: The water on the mountain was nearly gone and users were put on water turns, 7 days on 7 off. More talks with Comfort Suites Motel construction on North Main. Water pumps ran all of July. The two Lance wells and Cemetery well.

AUGUST: Lavato resigned as water commissioner. Beavers were causing issues on Ditch 3. Work is continuing with the hospital to get the ROW they are required to give us.

SEPTEMBER: The 2014 Budget was set at \$53,150. The assessment will be the same as last year. \$98 admin fee & \$18 per share. The rain came, 499 AF was diverted to Kens LAKE. A little to late for this year but big help for 2014.

OCTOBER: A 4inch cap broke at East 3<sup>rd</sup> North this was a Kodak moment as the geyser was 20' high. The pumps were shut down. The water was on all of October. 110AF of water was pumped from wells this year. Ditch #1, 282.96 AF, Ditch#2 269.08AF, and Ditch #3 335.44AF were delivered to Share holders.

NOVEMBER: All lines are DRAINED. This is a list of REPAIRS that were put off because the Budget was gone.

Bonderman Valve West 400 North (gearbox)

Valve on Ditch #3 (gearbox)

Put camera down Ditch #3 (up from splitter box)

Valve at Rotary Park (gearbox)

Valve at Wanda Secrest (gearbox)

Wooden cover Valve on 4<sup>th</sup> EAST

Pipe line was remove at Comfort Suites Motel North Main Street

DECEMBER: This was a very dry year. We were short of money and for the first time every water user were put on water turns on the Mountain. A Right-of-way was recorded for Ditch #1 and #3 this year; we are very close for Ditch #2 now that The Board of Water Resources have released their portion of Ditch #2 that they have had since 1968 due to loan collateral.

Additional Distribution of water:

256.15AF Wilson Mesa

2353 AF were delivered to GRAND WATER Share holders.

7.87 AF Horse Creek

454.8 AF South Mesa

Total water of 3786.3 AF for the year and this is about 70% OF WATER RIGHT.

I would like to THANK Ben Byrd for his time & service with the Moab Irrigation Company.

GEORGE CARTER

President