

# Board Meeting Wednesday, December 4, 2019

The Northern Illinois Municipal Power Agency (NIMPA) met on Wednesday, December 4, 2019 at the Rochelle Technology Center, Rochelle, Illinois. President Gary Holm called the meeting to order at 10:04am.

#### 1. Call to Order and Roll Call:

Present at the meeting:

Gary Holm, City of Batavia

Rahat Bari, City of Batavia

Jason Bird, City of Rochelle

Jeff Fiegenschuh, City of Rochelle

Sarah Brooks, City of Rochelle

**Present via teleconference:** 

Richard Heinemann, General Counsel Oncu Er, Avant Energy
David Niles, Avant Energy Joe Fulliero, Avant Energy

Noah Hansen, Avant Energy

#### **Members of the Public:**

None

## 2. Approval of regular session meeting minutes from September 18 and October 24, 2019

MOTION: To approve the September 18 and October 24, 2019 meeting minutes

MAKER: Hal Wright SECOND: Jason Bird

VOICE VOTE: All in favor, motion carried

#### 3. Administrative Report

## a. Monthly Financials

David Niles provided a summary of the monthly financials for September 2019.

MOTION: To approve the September 2019 financials

MAKER: Gary Holm SECOND: Hal Wright

VOICE VOTE: All in favor, motion carried

## b. Credit Facility / LOC Status Update

David Niles provided an update

## c. Year-to-date Budget, ECA and Capital Reserve Fund Status Update

David Niles provided an update

## d. Investment Report

David Niles provided a summary

## e. Monthly Management Report

Noah Hansen provided a summary of the management report from September

## f. General Counsel update, including status of pseudo-tie proceedings

Richard Heinemann had no update

## 4. 2020 NIMPA Meeting Calendar Update / Revisions

January 8

February 12

March 25

April 22

May 14

July 23

August 27

September 24

October 22

December 10

June 18

MOTION: To approve the official 2020 meeting calendar.

MAKER: Jason Bird SECOND: Hal Wright

VOICE VOTE: All in favor, motion carried

#### 5. Executive Session

MOTION: To move into Executive Session at 10:24am

MAKER: Gary Holm SECOND: Hal Wright

VOICE VOTE: All in favor, motion carried

# Regular Session returned at 11:05am

#### 6. Old Business

None at this time

#### 7. New Business

Don Gaston will be meeting with Gary Holm and Hal Wright on January 24, 2020.

NIMPA has an agreement with Avant that includes expense caps for three scopes: financial, market/operations, and professional/advisory services. To cover the expected appeal in 2020, the cap should be increased.

MOTION: To raise the 2020 expense cap for professional/advisory services.

MAKER: Hal Wright SECOND: Jason Bird

VOICE VOTE: All in favor, motion carried

#### 8. Comments

## a. Board

None at this time

b. *Public* 

N/A

## 9. Adjournment:

MOTION: To adjourn at 11:12am

MAKER: Jason Bird SECOND: Hal Wright

VOICE VOTE: All in favor, motion carried

Minutes submitted by:

Sarah Brooks