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Subject: RE: How Do You Ever Hit A Moving Dart Board?

Heist Man? Non-Responsive?

The only heist that occurred was KAWC stealing the BWSC plan after causing untold number of re-studies of BWSC plans. Nick, the Heist-Man, Rowe.

Non-Responsive? This is by far the most responsive information that BWSC or anyone else has seen. How can BWSC be in support of KAWC at PSC when we have never seen any terms and conditions for a water purchase agreement or equity agreement? The LWC proposal addresses timeframe, costs, construction phasing, price adjustments, reserve capacity, and ownership! BWSC has been waiting for over two years to see a proposal such as this from KAWC. Haven't seen anything yet! But now that someone places a legitimate contract on the table, KAWC runs to bring not one but two attorneys to meet with BWSC and quickly hammer out some details of an agreement. Hmmm? Wonder why?

Could it be that KAWC is scared of the LWC proposal? Is the LWC proposal really that bad or is it really that good? Could BWSC negotiate out the 2015 CPI adjustment for a commitment to LWC and support of the LWC option at PSC? Does KAWC need the BWSC agreement to "sell" its plan to PSC? Let us not forget that KAWC in 1999 went to the PSC, spent over two million dollars on a public relations campaign, and told everyone in Kentucky that the Bluegrass Pipeline was the best proposal. Why the change in heart? Was it the Great Heist of 2006? Could it be that the 13% return on capital investment to the stockholder is better on a pool 3 option than the LWC option?

Is BWSC so quick that it can decide, based upon less than 8 hours of Bryan's time (approximately \$3,000), to discount this proposal. Maybe Bryan is that good. Then why did BWSC pay OBG \$475,000 (approximately 3,167 hours) to study other plans. How many times did we re-evaluate the pool 3 plan for KAWC for KAWC at considerable expense to BWSC and above the \$475,000 and before the Great Heist of 2006? Why would KAWC not agree to buy water from BWSC as supplied by Versailles when that option could have provided interim relief? No odd even watering days in 2007 with that approach. No water police. More time for BWSC to arrange financing.

Have many of you forgotten that the pool 3 plan was not deemed the cheapest alternative but because of the LFUCG resolution to use the Kentucky River, their criteria led BWSC to select that alternative. But that alternative now does not include the Ohio River backup. Drought-proof? I heard those words at the Georgetown meeting. If the pool 3 alternative is drought-proof, why did BWSC need the "third leg" of the plan to the Ohio River? And at roughly one third of the total project cost. Can someone explain to me please?

Has BWSC totally succumbed to the all powerful KAWC? KAWC will drop BWSC like the proverbial lead balloon as soon as it gets PSC approval. Then who will be knocking on the door wanting to sell water at the wholesale rate which if you haven't looked with \$170 million of capital will go to \$5+/1000 gallons. Who will be first? Winchester, Georgetown, or Nicholasville?

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From: tom_calkins@nicholasville.org [mailto:tom_calkins@nicholasville.org]

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Dear All:

BULLETIN: Damon is meeting this PM with Lindsey and AW Turner on drafting the joint equity agreement.

The votes came in for NO JOINT OP-ED PIECE. However, I have read the Heist Man rebuttal testimony to Rubin, and I was wondering if anyone felt that we could author our own OP-ED piece?

And if so, would someone like to volunteer to draft something for everyone to review?

10/17/2007

But here are a few.....

- I could go on and on.....but this proposal is a turkey, so let's stick a fork in it!!.....Also, I'm sure that you're sick and tired of this email.

Thanks,

Tom

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