Comments Feb 10 thru Feb 24 2014

February 24 -

We still have not been able to get a straight story from Mr. Herrera about Bryce Wilson's duties as he approaches two years on the mysterious job. Wiggins is following the same pattern that they set at Mora/San Miguel Electric Coop. of running up extravagant fees. The new President of the Mora/San Miguel realized the pattern as harmful and fired the law firm.

Latest Wilson invoice covering 12/8 to 1/4 - \$16,202.56 Wiggins latest billing \$21,458.19

February 23 -

This coming Wednesday will be a busy day for the SEC. At 11 a.m. (not 1 p.m. as posted on website) the Trustee Bylaw Committee will meet. This is an Open Meeting and members can attend.

The Agenda for the Regular Board Meeting is attached. Read carefully as there will be some hot button issues. Larry McGraw of the RUS will be in attendance so if any of you would like your comments to reach his ears during the Member Comment Period, here's your chance.

Section J. Trustee Reports, 1. Dorough By-law Committee. This should be interesting.

Section K. Trails' End Market Capital Credits. The Attorney General has ruled that the capital credits are owed and should be paid to Colette Foard. The legal division of the NM State Dept., the PRC have agreed with the AG. The Manager and the Attorney disagree with all of the above and refused to let her have the money owed her. Let's see what the Board of Trustees does.

Note the NOTE at the end of the Agenda. Check out the tapes of December 19th meeting and January 29th and November 21st. You will understand. Guess the police will be there to enforce the rules.

SEC Foundation Meeting - starting after the Regular Meeting. Members can attend if the three trustee officers are present. (Bet one of them doesn't attend). This is why Charlie and Melissa were shut out of officer seats, etc. Trustees Dorough, Wade and Cordova will read and judge essays from students. The prize will be a trip to Washington D. C. Remember last year when a SEC staff member's grandson was chosen?

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February 21 -

A request for copies of documents related to attorney fees was made on January 21 with a reply to the request and promise to have them available February 21. A reply on February 21 indicating the records will be available on the 24th was sent. Size of documents some 300 pages and \$1/page.

Letters may be viewed here: Original rRequest for records Reply to request (with delay) Update on request for records (addt'l delay)

Related documents: February 2014 Right to Inspect Public Records

June 15, 2010 - Foundation for Open Gov. Letter Dec 4, 2012 Letter to SEC from Number Nine Media related to costs of copies

Update 2/24/14 - the copy cost has been updated from 25cents per page, to \$1.00 per page. The December 2012 Right to Inspect Public Records is here (25cents per page) has been revised as of February 2014 Right to Inspect Public Records at \$1/page.

Quote from SEC inspection of documents Note: This document has been updated to:

February 10 -

We recommend a vote for Ravi Bhasker as Socorro Mayor - The hearings held in the City Council chambers have brought a lot of SEC members to the microphone with complaints against the coop. Mayor Bhasker has taken note of the unfairness of treatment used against these members and will attempt to alleviate such treatment during the negotiations on the new franchise agreement. Mayor Bhasker has been a friend to SEC members and tried to help them whenever he can.