

WALLACE TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY
SEPTEMBER 8, 2020

The Wallace Township Municipal Authority meeting of Tuesday, September 8, 2020 was called to order at 7:00 PM via Zoom by Chairwoman Barb D'Angelo.

Members present: Barb D'Angelo, Chairwoman
 Joe Lewis, Member
 Jason Trego, Member
 Jeff Seese, Member

Also in attendance: Matt Boggs, Entech Engineer
 John Dean, Operator
 Mike Crotty, Solicitor
 Steve Senn

PUBLIC COMMENT

MINUTES

Mr. Seese moved to approve the meeting minutes of August 11, 2020 as written. Mr. Lewis seconded the motion, and it was unanimously approved.

CORRESPONDENCE

1. Entech Engineering, Inc., dated 9/4/2020, re: Engineer's monthly report.

TREASURER'S REPORT

The following bills were presented for consideration-**September**

- a. Verizon - **\$337.43** for phone @ operations bldgs. (Glen Moore & Highspire)
- b. Terri Patton- **\$1029.00** for secretarial services
- c. PECO - **\$1,704.31** for electric @ main pump station & Devereux and Highspire WWTP and pump station.
- d. Entech Engineering, Inc- **\$620.00** for general engineering
- e. S&T Bank - **\$1,946.62** for loan payment
- f. A.J. Blosenski- **\$172.00** for trash removal.
- g. Ink's Disposal- **\$2,365.00** for 570 Fairview and Sludge hauling
- h. Weaver's Communication- **\$85.00** for call forwarding service
- i. EEMA O&M Service Group- **\$9,217.16** for operating services
- j. Staples- **\$47.04** for HE wipes letter
- k. J. Lewis Excavating- **\$660.00** for 5 Ashlea

- l. Constellation-**\$21.63** for electric at Highspire
- m. Siana Bellwoar-**\$891.50** for legal services
- n. Site Specific Design- **\$299.24** for 570 Fairview & 1851 Creek Rd
- o. Suburban Testing labs-**\$1,380.00** for GM & HE Testing from July-August
- p. Reilly & Sons- **\$430.37** for Diesel
- q. Fidelity Contracting LLC-**\$10,800.00** for valve replacement

TOTAL: \$32,916.24

Ms. D'Angelo moved to approve invoices "a" through "q" above for the month of September, as presented. Mr. Seese seconded the motion, and it was unanimously approved.
Mr. Lewis recused himself from item "k"

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS-

Balance Sheet, Budget vs Actual Glenmoore & Highspire and Profit & Loss.

Mr. Lewis moved to approve the financial statements above for the month of September, as presented. Mr. Seese seconded the motion, and it was unanimously approved.

OPERATORS REPORT

Glenmoore WWTP

Operations:

Two more rings have been removed from the treatment lagoon in August.

Field conditions are improving. Very few spots of low growth.

Need to redesign the effluent meter piping quote with the addition of a 6" strainer, a chlorine injection port, and a sample tap.

Chlorine chemical pump is not working properly due to a broken diaphragm. Replacement pump is recommended.

Need to clean out old chlorine contact tank and flush influent line from polishing pond.

Maintenance:

Replace pump #2 in influent pump station.

Maintenance Request Items

Fluence mixer on order.

Waiting on rebuild price on influent pump #2.

Remove old rotten boards from baffle area, and board that have broken off.

Highspire WWTP

Operations:

Cleaned influent bypass channel.

Sand filters now in automatic mode.
Mudwell has a bad low-level float.
Cleaned floors in filter room, operations room, and bathroom.

**Wipes are still an issue*

Maintenance:

Installed new anoxic mixer in anoxic tank.
Unclogged influent auger.

**400,000 gallons treated*

ENGINEER'S REPORT

E-1 Grinder Pump Replacement-

There was one grinder pump retrofit completed in July, for 5 Ashlea Drive, completed on July 15th. Three additional pumps were delivered to the treatment plant from Site Specific. No additional replacements have been performed. Site Specific provided a master spreadsheet for the installs performed. There are 23 homes remaining that have not been converted to E-One.

Glenmoore WWTP-

Following the meeting with residents of Ashlea Drive and their engineer in July and the August Authority meeting, original plans and revised plans for the spray field were provided to the engineer for Ashlea.

Sanitary Sewer Expansion-

During the Authority meeting held in March, Entech received a copy of the Act 537 Component 3 Planning Module for the Brandolini Development. Entech provided comments to the Township Engineer in April. Please note that sewer planning is performed at the municipal level. Please note that the planning module anticipates grinder pumps for the development and is assuming the grinder pumps will be owned and maintained by the homeowner. *No update.*

Park Lane Sanitary Sewer-

Isolation valves were replaced in July by Fidelity along Indiantown Road.

Highspire WWTP

One of the two mixers for the treatment plant needs replacement. The pump and manifold alternative presented by EEMA is not an option due to the existing pumps being the wrong phase for power. *Entech was unable to find an affordable replacement. At the last Authority meeting, it was noted that USA Bluebook may have an affordable pump to be used in lieu of the mixer.*

Spring Mill

Information was provided to Castle Valley regarding requirements for extending existing stubs.

OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned 7:40 P.M. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 13, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,
Terri Patton, Secretary