

**Ashburnham & Winchendon Joint Water Authority
Meeting Minutes
April 17, 2013**

Attendees:

John Fritsch	VWNA	Leo Collette	AWJWA
Mary Calandrella	Ashburnham Water		
Steve Nims	Ashburnham Supt.	Adam Testagrossa	VWNA
Don Benz	VWNA	Melissa Mooredian	VWNA
George Cornwall	AWJWA		
John Deline, Winchendon Supt.			
Absent: Val Daigle, AWJWA			

Call to Order: 12:05 pm

- Motion to approve January 16, 2013 minutes by George Cornwall , 2nd by Leo Collette.

-Veolia presented to the Authority their 1st quarter 2013 Operations and Maintenance report. (Attached # 1)

John discussed the increase cost of electricity due to the new pumps.

- Veolia also supplied the Authority with the O & M Cost summary (Attachent # 2) along with the Pump Station summary for 2013. Leo Collette also included his graph (Attachment # 3) on Naukeag Lake levels in which he states are very good at this point.**

- John spoke to the AWJWA on the ridge vent issue they are experiencing at the treatment plant. He stated that over the winter they had a build up of snow that leaked in from the ceiling. He has asked a few local contractors to give quotes for this repair.

- John always spoke the intake pipe build up and it's cleaning. Veolia will speak to Underwater Solutions to add to the maintenance list.

- Leo asked to check on the Winchendon pressure on their line. It was suggested to borrow a hydrant pressure gauge from the City of Fitchburg.

**Motion to adjourn by George Cornwall, 2nd by Leo Collette,
Meeting Adjourned at 1:05pm-**

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