

**Town of Beacon Falls
Water Pollution Control Authority
10 Maple Ave
Beacon Falls, CT 06403**



**WATER POLLUTION CONTROL AUTHORITY
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
OCTOBER 9, 2012**

I. Call to Order

Chairman Jeffrey Smith called the regular meeting to order at 7:43 p.m.

Present: Chairman Jeffrey Smith, Commissioners: Richard Komar, David Finn, James Weed and Robert Pruzinsky

Absent: Commissioner: Charles Edwards and Town Engineer, James Galligan.

Also Present: Walter Opuszynski, Plant Supervisor, David Prickett, P.E. Woodard & Curran, 44 Main Street, Windsor Locks, CT and Maryann Kempa, Clerk.

Comments from the Public – none

Business Meeting

Minutes – September

Motion was made by Commissioner Richard Komar and seconded by Commissioner James Weed to approve the meeting minutes as presented.

Discussion: None Vote: 5 in favor Abstained: 0 Opposed: 0

Old Business

1. Industrial Park – Lancaster Drive – J. Martin

Chairman Jeffrey Smith stated that the new building inspector was informed of the situation concerning Industrial Park and Jim Martin's past sewer connection fees. This matter will be kept on the agenda.

2. Sewer Service Area Map

Chairman Jeffrey Smith stated that we are awaiting a response from the State of Connecticut. This matter will be kept on the agenda.

3. Nitrogen & Phosphorus Removal – Treatment Plant

David Prickett, P.E. from Woodard & Curran stated that they have begun work concerning Phosphorus. There have been a couple of meetings to look at the existing plant. They are on track with the DEEP Phosphorus Scheduled Milestones. They have put together a comprehensive map of the collection system. They are working on coordinating the survey with the GPS to locate all the manholes. They are right on track with tasks two and three as discussed last month. The collection/sewer system/treatment plant work will coming over the next month or two. Walter Opuszynski, Treatment Plant Supervisor stated that everything is on schedule.

4. O&G Wash Plant

Chairman Jeffrey Smith stated that nothing has been heard from O&G. This matter will be kept on the agenda.

5. Burton Hill, 363 Burton Road – 2 Lot ReSubdivision

Chairman Jeffrey Smith stated that there is nothing to report at this time. This matter will be kept on the agenda.

New Business – none

Laurel Ledge School – Fats, Oil and Grease

Chairman Jeffrey Smith stated that Naugatuck Valley Health is questioning the size of the fats, oil and grease tank at the Laurel Ledge School. He is working with the building inspector to determine if a 1,000 gallon grease tank is needed.

Beacon Falls Market – Fats, Oil and Grease

Chairman Jeffrey Smith stated that the new owners will be required to have a fats, oil and grease tank.

Treatment Plant Monthly Report

Chairman Jeffrey Smith stated that the report is in the mailbox.

Walter Opuszynski, Treatment Plant Supervisor stated that the work on the primary tank work will start in September. Nafis & Young resubmitted a letter for a grant to do the storm system, an upgrade to the F1 pipe, bring in water to the plant and upgrade the driveway opening for easier access to the plant.

Budget and Paying Bills

M. Kempa - \$122.00

**Motion was made by Commissioner Richard Komar and seconded by
Commissioner James Weed to pay the bill as submitted.**

Discussion: None Vote: 5 in favor Abstained: 0 Opposed: 0

Miscellaneous

Grinder Pumps

Chairman Jeffrey Smith stated that there were no grinder pump failures.

Walter Opuszynski, Treatment Plant Supervisor stated that upgrades will be made to the lighting inside and outside of the plant. They will be applying for a loan from CL&P. An upgrade of the fuel tank will be made to a 1,000 tank.

Executive Session – none

Petitions from Commissioners – none

**Motion was made by Commissioner Richard Komar and seconded by
Commissioner Robert Pruzinsky to adjourn the meeting at 7:55 p.m.**

Respectfully submitted,

Maryann Kempa

Maryann Kempa, Clerk