

## APRIL 20, 2010 HARVARD WATER COMMISSION MEETING NOTES

Josh Gould and Rick Dickson met at 17:02 at the town highway barn. Agenda included Old Business, CDM Project and Current Projects.

### Old Business:

- March 15<sup>th</sup> minutes reviewed; Josh motion to accept, Rick seconded; Minutes approved.
- The Pond Rd. complaint and water service was discussed. Rich indicated that some water users have not paid their bills. Action – Rick to request Town counsel to address lack of payment action and need for a public hearing to update water collection rules. No Update.
- 2006 Source Protection Plan – No update.
- Mass highway- low sodium road salt applications for the Mass Ave/ Pond Rd area to reduce impact on TDS/chloride. Rick has received forms for evaluating program applicability. No Progress
- Water rate review –In progress
- Install chemical injection pumps at wells. Installation completed per R. Nota.
- Emergency Plan – Comments and Bottled Water response. No progress.
- CDM Project – Review of report indicates a complex and expensive project. Await new commissioner for review and discussion.
- Littleton Rd paving repair status. – No progress.

### New Business:

- BHP-4 Impact - Water Commissioners were not invited to discussion of storm water control measures. BHP-4 is within the Zone I well protection zone. Rick to review proposed storm water control measure with DEP Water department.
- Annual Town Meeting – Warrant words reviewed. Josh will be available on May 1<sup>st</sup> to support review and discuss at town meeting.
- William Barton was identified as a candidate for Water Commissioner election.
- Sink hole repaired at Mass Ave and Park St. has been filled and repaired.
- Doug Wiles complaint on cloudy water. Rich Nota had indicated by phone that he was attempting to meet DEP guidance on improving water turnover in the storage tank. This process included shutting down the well supply for a number of days to reduce the level in the storage tank. When the pumps were restarted, the cloudy water resulted. DPW has returned to the original pumping protocol.

Josh motion to adjourn, Rick seconded, Meeting closed at 17:49.

Next Meeting scheduled for May 17th at 5pm – Town Highway Barn