

Minutes  
Sewer Enterprise Committee  
August 5, 2020

Kelli Robbins, Amy Lane-Carmody, John Goerlach, William Decelles, Mark Froio present

A motion was made to nominate John Goerlach as Chair. 5-0

A motion was made to nominate AJLC as Secretary 5-0

Kelli informed the Committee that the DEP sent an Administrative Consent Order with Penalty with Notice of Non Compliance on 7/9/2020. The Town was apparently sent the first letter 5/29/2018. No action was taken. Kelli sent them an email explaining the circumstances and let them know that we had hired an engineering firm to help us. Kelli has contacted the same engineering firm that Pittsfield (Kleinfelder) uses.

The DEP held a hearing that Kelli said went as well as could be expected. It was also stated that the EPA may also get involved. The following items are of immediate concern.

- a. The Town needs to measure flow
- b. The Town needs an Intermunicipal Agreement with the City of Pittsfield

MA DEP will send a letter that appeases the EPA.

Mark said that the end of Nargansett could be metered easily. John suggested installing water meters instead of sewer meters. Kelli said that we don't have to do each individual house, just meter the total amount of flow to the City.

Mark will provide Kelli with the information that she needs for Route 7.

Kelli made a motion that from this point forward only emergency hookups to the sewer facility will be allowed. Motion passes 4-1. Mark voted no.

Meeting adjourned 12:44

 Kelli Robbins

 Amy J. Lane Carmody

 William Decelles

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