

July 13, 2022
Lickdale, PA

The Union Township Board of Supervisors held a scheduled sewer meeting on July 13, 2022. The meeting was held at the Municipal Building, 3111 SR 72, Jonestown, PA.

Chairman Firestone called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM.

Present:

Dennis Firestone, Chairman

Kerry McCrary, Vice Chairman

Gary Longenecker, Secretary

Atty. Colleen Gallo for Paul Bametzreider, Township Solicitor

Scott Rights, Sewer Engineer

Brent McFeaters, Township Manager

Elizabeth Krause, Zoning Officer

Dusty Keller, Operator

Five (5) Residents

VOTE TO APPROVE MATTERS FROM JUNE AGENDA

Dennis Firestone made a motion seconded by Gary Longenecker to approve the matters from the June Agenda which include the May Sewer Meeting Minutes, May Financials, and to pay the May Lickdale Sewer bills payables in the amount of \$15,758.71. All approved.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

FINANCIAL REPORT

Dennis Firestone made a motion seconded by Gary Longenecker to approve the June Financial Report. All approved.

OPERATOR REPORT – Dusty Keller

1. The Plant is running well and within permit.
2. The waste valve actuator arrived and has been installed.
3. One of the Aerzen blowers was taken out of service to have new bearings installed. It has been returned and is being reinstalled by the FSWA staff.
4. For the month of June, the average daily flow through the plant was 98,800 gallons for a total monthly flow of 2.97 million gallons. There was 5.10” of rainfall recorded during the month.

ENGINEER’S REPORT – Scott Rights

The following is an update on work completed by our office during the past month.

Before presenting his report Scott explained that they previously replaced three surge protectors on the main control center, and although the other surge protectors are still functioning, they are at least ten years old, and he and Dusty feel that those should also be replaced. Dusty Keller said the current pricing is around \$700.00 each. Since this purchase is not on the July agenda and is not an emergency, the Board agreed that the surge protector purchase should be put on the August agenda for the Board to take action

1. **Wastewater Treatment Plant & Collection System Issues:** Per conversations with the system operator, we have no issues or concerns to report this month. See the Operator's Report for additional details
2. **Land Development Projects:** The following is an update on proposed land development projects and reviews as they relate to sanitary sewer.
 - a. **Home 2 Suites Hotel (Fisher Ave.):** The applicant is in the preliminary plan preparation and approval phase of the project. The subdivision and land development plans propose a grinder pump with connection to the existing 3-inch low pressure sewer running parallel to the back of the property. All sanitary sewer comments have been satisfactorily addressed. *(No change to project status in recent months).*
3. **Additional WWTP Capacity Evaluation:** Our office met with Solicitor Bametzreider in early July to review cost figures and discuss future funding options should an expansion ever be necessary. In response to the meeting, we are updating several of the cost tables. We intend to complete and provide you a draft the week of July 18.
4. **Industrial Waste Pretreatment Program:** Our office has been working with FSWA in issuing sampling results to the individual permittees including an explanation of their sampling results.

ATTORNEY'S REPORT – Colleen Gallo

Atty. Gallo said she had nothing to report.

OLD BUSINESS – None

NEW BUSINESS – None

OTHER COMMENTS

None

BILLS PAYABLE

Dennis Firestone made a motion seconded by Kerry McCrary to pay the bills in the amount of \$44,261.87 from the Sewer Fund. All approved.

DATE OF NEXT LICKDALE TREATMENT PLANT MEETING

Wednesday, August 10, 2022, at 6:30 P.M

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ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 6:37 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth Krause
Recording Secretary