

September 13, 2022
Lickdale, PA

The Union Township Board of Supervisors held a scheduled sewer meeting on September 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
Paul Bametzreider, Township Solicitor
Steve Sherk for Scott Rights, Sewer Engineer
Brent McFeaters, Township Manager
Elizabeth Krause, Zoning Officer
Dusty Keller, Operator
Five (5) Residents

APPROVE AUGUST MINUTES

Kerry McCrary made a motion seconded by Dennis Firestone to approve the August 10, 2022, Sewer Meeting Minutes. All approved.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Gary Longenecker made a motion seconded by Kerry McCrary to approve the Financial Report. All approved.

OPERATOR REPORT – Dusty Keller

1. The Plant is running very well.
2. I have been discussing with the engineer some potential changes to the industrial sewer users permitted discharge limits. He will present this to the Board in more detail. Since Scott Rights did not attend the meeting, Dusty said Scott will discuss this matter at next month's meeting.
3. For the month of August the average daily flow through the plant was 89,600 gallons for a total monthly flow of 2.78 million gallons. There was 3.03" of rainfall recorded during the month.

Kerry McCrary asked about the surge protectors, and Dusty said they are still on order, and said the previous surge could have been from the pump side.

ENGINEER'S REPORT – Steve Sherk filling in for Scott Rights

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

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:** There are no sanitary sewer designs associated with proposed land development plans currently under review.
3. **Additional WWTP Capacity Evaluation:** Our office is completing the draft tapping fee study update in response to potential future capacity needs. Options can be discussed after the study is completed.
4. **Industrial Waste Pretreatment Program:** Per our email last Friday, our office is recommending revisions to the industrial user discharge limits. Operator Keller is familiar with the recommendations if you desire to discuss tomorrow evening.

ATTORNEY'S REPORT – Paul Bametzreider

Atty. Bametzreider said he doesn't have much to report at this time, but said he and Scott Rights have been discussing the components for the tapping fees.

OLD BUSINESS – None

NEW BUSINESS – None

OTHER COMMENTS

None

BILLS PAYABLE

Dennis Firestone made a motion seconded by Gary Longenecker to pay the bills in the amount of \$23,973.09 from the Sewer Fund. All approved.

DATE OF NEXT LICKDALE TREATMENT PLANT MEETING

Wednesday, October 12, 2022, at 6:30 P.M

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 6:36 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth Krause
Recording Secretary