

WATER AND SEWER COMMITTEE MEETING

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2018

The Water and Sewer Committee meeting was called to order by Chairman Sean Steeg at 3:30 PM.

Committee members present were Councilman James Bair and Councilman Terry Green.

The following members were present, Councilman Robert Jackson, Councilman David Quarry (4:40 PM), Engineer Ann Reynolds, Borough Manager Daniel Varner, Borough Secretary Richard King, Wastewater Treatment Supervisor Roger Shaffer, and Water Treatment Supervisor Steve Williams.

There were no guest for public comment.

Wastewater Treatment Plant Supervisor Report

Roger Shaffer asked the committee if there were any questions on his report. Roger than gave a highlight of his report.

- Chapter 94 Test results are done and everything was ok.
- Has received the CSO Inspection report that was done.
- The last sample for nutrients are back and everything was great.
- Stated that we have extra credits on the nutrients and if we want to sell them, that we only have a certain amount of time.
- The Wastewater Treatment plant inspection is coming up soon
- Received 20 Tractor Trailer loads of Media and 2 trailer load of beams
- Stated that the guys wanted to remove the fiberglass sides of the Trickling Filter to pull out the Media.
- Has received 2 quotes for a Methanol Tank and needs a 3rd that Roger will get. Quote received from Petroleum Maintenance Service, from Bedford, PA, was \$8,172.00 and a \$325.00 shipping charge. Quote received from Highland Tank was \$9,046.68, just for the tank. Parts ordered from IPS was \$1,300.00 (pipe and fittings).
- Trickling Filter pump was rebuilt and put back into service.
- Said there was issues with the Jet Vac out on Blair and Emmet Avenue where property owners did not have backflow preventers.
- Said the inlets were done and cleaning of the lines will be over 20, 000 feet and will need to camera 5,000 feet.

Water Treatment Plant Supervisor Report

Steve Williams asked the committee if there were any questions on his report. Steve than gave a highlight of his report.

- LT2 Testing was completed and sent to Harrisburg
- Needs to bring Hickes in due to a flooding problem in the pits
- Colten Neubauer 6 months was up on October 4, 2018 and Steve said how good of a worker he was.

The Water and Sewer Committee recommends that Colten Neubauer be taken off of probation status.

- Had to run water at the Calvary Church School for a half an hour before CL2 residual tested. There was a discussion on this. Councilman Terry Green said that there must be something shut down on the 8" line going into the cemetery. He said the pipe is new on Simpson Street.
- Ran water for a while at Mark's Brothers and the CL2 residual was good. There was a discussion on this and the fire hydrant was there for a blow off.
- At the High School Administration Office the CL2 residual was good
- Mentioned that the line coming down through the Cemetery needs checked and the fire hydrant at YBC needs checked.
- We need to make the water line on Allegheny Street go both ways to have a loop

Dan Varner mentioned that we need to get an estimate on replacing the 8" line running from 3rd to 2nd Street.

Engineer's Report

- On the Train Derailment, Dan has received the go ahead to proceed on the 60" pipe and Ann Reynolds is to proceed with this. The pipe is ordered and will arrive in two to four weeks.
- There was nothing received on the Water Allocation.
- On the Dog Park, we had to receive clearance from the Fish and Wildlife and this has been cleared.
- There was nothing received on the Local Limits Analysis

Dan spoke on the 4th Street CSO, mentioning that he had talked to Jeff Garrigan about some issues and that they need to do a site survey. Dan mentioned that there are no manholes on Church Street, Mifflin Street, and Moore Street at their intersection with 4th Street.

Dan spoke on the hole at Your Building Center warehouse building at the inlet that this drops in 48" then to 60" to the river. He mentioned that there is a black plastic pipe that comes into the inlet and out of the inlet. He said it was 20 feet deep. He said that he has contacted HRI about repairing this when they come in to do the 60" pipe. He said they will dig the stone out to take weight off of the pipe, jack the pipe up, seal it and pour cement over it then fill back in. Dan state that the estimate to do this was under \$10,000.00.

The Water and Sewer Committee recommends that we proceed with the repair at Your Building Center with the work being done by HRI.

Steve Williams reported that Justin Blashaw can't help with the booster station until after December.

Ann Reynolds is to talk to Kevin Nester and have Kevin talk to DEP.

Dan Varner asked if we could make the High School Administrative Office our sampling port. Steve said he would have to get approval from DEP.

Dan Varner mentioned about the problem out at Marks Brothers. There was a discussion on this and it was mentioned about running a line from Hordubay Road down to loop this line.

Meeting adjourned at 4:55 PM

Minutes submitted by,

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Huntingdon Borough Secretary