

Minutes of the Meeting of the
Warner Village Water District Commissioners
At 4:15 P.M. on
August 9, 2023 at the Treatment Plant

Present: Shaun Murphy, and Herm Blanchette, Commissioners; Ray Martin, Administrator; and Jim McLaughlin, Clerk.

Approval of Meeting Minutes

The minutes of the Commissioners' regular meeting held July 26, 2023 were approved by the Commissioners.

Administrator's Report

Ray said he had no monthly financial to distribute but that both expenses and revenues are normal.

Ray advised that Chuck Come plans to address the problem of the manhole along the river path where substantial storm or groundwater is entering the District's sewer system. The Commissioners recommended temporarily closing off the pipes entering the manhole to see if any property owners register a complaint. Upon Ray's investigation, no one has owned up to being the source of this water. So the temporary shut off should either identify the responsible party or show that no one is affected, thus avoiding any backlash once the water is shut off. Based on the results of this step, the District can work out a solution.

Ray reported that the groundwater injection project is progressing smoothly, although there was one hiccup when a slug of grease was pumped over the river. There was no apparent reason for this to happen. Effluent is being pumped continuously into two small ponds or pits, being absorbed into the ground rapidly. The system appears to be working as designed. These tests will continue through October and into November, at which time, with NHDES' okay, Horizon Engineering can prepare final plans for submittal.

Ray said that quarterly bills will be sent out tomorrow.

The Commissioners discussed the situation at McDonalds pumping station. Grease accumulations entering the waste pipe seem to be a continuing problem at the restaurant. A recent attempt at jetting the waste pipes may have damaged the mechanism that controls pump start. Chuck has the pump operational. The Commissioners discussed the possibility of making a major investment in the pump station in the near future.

The meeting adjourned at 4:55 P.M.

The next Commissioners' meeting is scheduled September 20, 2023 at 4:00 PM.

Recorded by James F. McLaughlin, Clerk