

***Town of Wilmington***  
***Water & Sewer Commission***  
**May 18, 2023 Meeting**

The Water and Sewer Commission met on May 18, 2023. The meeting was called to order at 5:00 PM. Present were Chairman Michael Camoscio, Commissioner Robert Lavita, Joseph Lobao, DPW Deputy Director, and Recording Secretary Ivette Garnica.

**Approval of Minutes April 20, 2023 Meeting**

Due to Commissioner George Allan not being present at the meeting, the Minutes approval for April 20<sup>th</sup> 2023 were put on hold until the following commission meeting.

**Billing Adjustments & Correction**

No adjustments or corrections were made.

**Monthly Report**

The April 2023 monthly report was submitted to the Commission for review. There was a brief discussion.

**Water Main Flushing Program**

Water Main Flushing is moving along, with minor complaints. The program started back on April 18<sup>th</sup> and is estimated to end the first week of June.

**Granular Activated Carbon Bid Opening**

A public bid opening was held on April 26<sup>th</sup> for replacing the Granular Activated Carbon at the Sargent Water Treatment Plant. Two vendors placed bids for the contract. The lowest bid was from Calgon Carbon Corp., and they were awarded the contract. The project is set to start after July 1<sup>st</sup>. A brief discussion followed.

**Sargent Finish Water Pumps – Project Update**

The Sargent Water Treatment Plant has two finish water pumps that were scheduled to be rebuilt. After the pumps were pulled and inspected, it was determined that they cannot be rebuilt and will require a full replacement. There was a brief discussion about where the funds would be coming from to pay for the replacement.

**MWRA Amendment of Contract**

The Town is currently working with a consultant, Kleinfelder, to amend the contract with MWRA to increase the amount of water that is approved for the Town of Wilmington. The MWRA has temporarily waived the entrance fee so it would be an opportune time to make the request.

**Other Business**

Chairman Comoscio relayed that he recently attended a function at the State House related to the water works industry, specifically focused on the funding of infrastructure improvements. A brief discussion followed.

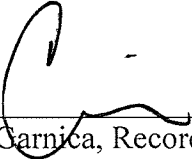
**Public Comment Period** – There were no comments.

**Next Meeting**

The next meeting is scheduled to be held on June 15<sup>th</sup> 2023 at 5:00pm.

**There being no further business a motion to adjourn carries at 6:03PM.**

Respectfully Submitted by:

  
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Ivette Carnica, Recording Secretary