

*Town of Wilmington*  
*Water & Sewer Commission*  
*April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022 Meeting*

The Water and Sewer Commission met on April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022. The meeting was called to order at 5:30 PM. Present were Chairman George Allan via Zoom, Commissioner Robert La Vita, Commissioner Michael Camoscio, Utility & Business Manager, Joseph Lobao, Assistant Business Manager Diane Forest and Recording Secretary Brianna Dunbar.

**Approval of Minutes January 20, 2022 Meeting** – ON A MOTION MADE BY COMMISSIONER LAVITA SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER CAMOSCIO IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY VOTED TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE JANUARY 20, 2022 MEETING OF THE WATER & SEWER COMMISSION

**Approval of Minutes February 17, 2022 Meeting** – ON A MOTION MADE BY COMMISSIONER CAMOSCIO SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER LAVITA IT WAS VOTED TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE FEBRUARY 17, 2022 MEETING OF THE WATER & SEWER COMMISSION. Chairman Allan abstained due to not being present at that meeting.

**Approval of Minutes March 17, 2022 Meeting** – ON A MOTION MADE BY COMMISSIONER CAMOSCIO SECONDED BY CHAIRMAN ALLAN IT WAS VOTED TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE MARCH 17, 2022 MEETING OF THE WATER & SEWER COMMISSION. Commissioner LaVita abstained due to not being present at that meeting.

**Billing Adjustments & Correction**

Simonetta Piergentili	84 Shawheen Avenue	Residential	Per P. MacK.	\$	8.28
Anthony Contarino	19 Benson Road	Residential	Per P. MacK.		3.16
Salvatore Giunta	25 Ashwood Avenue	Residential	Per P. MacK.		9.92

ON A MOTION MADE BY COMMISSIONER CAMOSCIO, SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER LAVITA IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY VOTED TO RATIFY THE BILLING ADJUSTMENTS AND CORRECTIONS AS PRESENTED.

**Abatement Request** There were none

**Monthly Report**

The March 2022 monthly report was submitted to the Commission for review.

**MADEP PFAS Grant Award**

The Town had applied for grant money being offered through DEP's Drinking Water Program, for reimbursement of the funding required for the immediate efforts taken to address the presence of PFAS6 in the water supply in October 2021. A letter dated March 30, 2022, from Governor Baker informed the Town that the Wilmington Water Department was approved for a PFAS6 Interim Response Program Grant. The expected grant in the amount \$99,696, will be a full reimbursement for the cost of the Granular Activated Carbon (GAC) change out.

**Salem Street Wellfield Rehabilitation**

The Commission was briefed on the progress of the Salem Street wellfield project. The contractor is still waiting on materials due to the ongoing supply chain issues. The raw water main will be cleaned in the early part of May.

**848 Woburn Street**

Olin Corporation was to install some monitoring wells on Town owned property located at 848 Woburn Street (the old Industrial Way Booster Station location). The crew performing the borings for Olin reported to the Town that they noticed an odor and sheen of petroleum. The Town has contacted GeoInsight who took soil samples and discovered petroleum 6-10ft below grade. GeoInsight will submit a proposal for down gradient property review.

**Annual Water Main Flushing**

The annual water main flushing program began on Tuesday night. Two crews of 2 men will perform hydrant flushing from 8PM-12AM Monday through Friday for approximately 8 weeks.

**Other Business** – Town Meeting is April 30, 2022

**Public Comment Period** - No public comments

**Next Meeting** -The next meeting is scheduled to be held on May 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

**There being no further business a motion to adjourn carries at 5:50 PM.**

Respectfully Submitted by:



Brianna Dunbar, Recording Secretary