



SEYMOUR WATER POLLUTION  
CONTROL AUTHORITY

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Seymour, Connecticut 06483

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**The Regular Meeting of the Seymour WPCA Board for  
September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2013 -6pm- at the Sewer Facility.**

**Members attending:** Jon Livolsi, Stephen Chucta, Tom Kuzia and Annmarie Drugonis.

Members not present: Patrick Lombardi

**Others present:** Carey Strout, plant manager Veolia Water, Jon Marro, Atty. Ramon Sous, and other members of the public.

Chairman Jon Livolsi called meeting to order at 6:00pm

**Pledge of Allegiance was given.**

**Approval of the August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2013 minutes-**Stephen Chucta made a motion, Annmarie Drugonis 2<sup>nd</sup>, to approve the minutes. Motion passed 4-0.

**First Selectman report-** none

Veolia Water report- ORP probe failed- chlorine exceedance occurred – Carey Strout is getting quotes for a Chlorine Analyzer to replace the probe.

Oxford HS- the Oxford HS had a problem with chlorine system in their pool. Starting dumping pool water that affected (overheating) the Oxford pump station and Peach Drive pump station issued a sulphurous odor due to the large amounts of chlorine in the pool water. Carey Strout put Oxford WPCA in touch with the DEEP to de-chlorinate the remaining pool water. Discussion ensued about the details.

Carey Strout reported on a roll of the belt press broke but was fixed (JW Racing) for the time being. The chain on the Bar Screen was replaced and now completes the repairs. Also, sludge mixer is being repaired by JW Racing currently.

Carey Strout also reported on a Recirculation pump for #1 Aeration basin- failed. Fleet pump representative is working on getting an impeller for the pump and repairing it, also will be getting prices on retro-fitting existing pumps.

Carey Strout reported on Nickelmine pump station- the Ataphase is malfunctioning and this is a fairly new construction. Discussion ensued about this matter and Carey Strout was directed to contact CL&P for possible problems with the power.

7 Sagamore Drive was sent a letter regarding their unbilled sewer connection- no response as of meeting date.

Carey Stout then discussed with the board about a situation regarding a contractor connecting to sewer without necessary connection inspection permit taken. Discussion ensued about amending penalties in the WPCA Regulations for this situation in general.

**Income report-** Jon Marro submitted this to the board.

**Finance report-** this was submitted this to the board.

**Invoices-** the following (see attached) invoices were submitted to the board for approval of payment.

**Annmarie Drugonis** made a motion, Tom Kuzia 2<sup>nd</sup> to accept the invoices for payment. Motion passed 4-0.

**Legal Report-** Atty. Ramon Sous reported on his letters to Jerry's meat market and Anton's Pizza.

He received no answer from Anton's Pizza and the owner of Jerry's meat market responded with a letter that stated it would take 6 weeks to have a plumber install the AGRU for FOG removal. Discussion ensued about FOG enforcement and this situation in general. Atty. Sous also read Jim Galligan's proposal for FOG regulations and the setting up a yearly inspection program and how it would be paid for. Jon Livolsi suggested that the NVHD could be approached to inspect for FOG and the WPCA could pay the NVHD for the inspections. Discussion then ensued about Penalties for violations of the WPCA regulations, for both FOG and general situations.

Atty. Sous then submitted a letter from the Selectman's board, wanting detail about where the budgetary numbers came from and expectations of upcoming budgetary numbers. Discussion ensued about the budgetary process in particular as it regards the WPCA monies.

**Engineering Report** – Jim Galligan is not present. On the subject of Manners Avenue-John Livolsi reported that Nash Construction wants to meet to discuss about Manners Ave.

**Public Comment-** None.

Annmarie Drugonis made a motion, Tom Kuzia 2<sup>nd</sup>, to adjourn the meeting. Motion passed 4-0.  
Meeting ended at 7:15pm.

Company	Invoice #	Amount	Paid
PSG	00030818	\$98,794.41	
Ramon S. Sous		\$637.50	
John J. Brennan	24450-1	\$1,569.69	
Town of Seymour Clerk		\$204.00	
Nafis & Young	266-13	\$1,334.50	
Nafis & Young	283-13	\$7,869.62	
W.J. Electric	1853	\$729.48	
East Coast Septic		\$600	
Schmidt Electric	11419	\$1,800.00	
Schmidt Electric	11351	\$1,245.12	

J.W. Racing & Fabrication

\$190.00

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\$3,008.32



**MONTHLY OPERATING REPORT  
SEYMOUR, CONNECTICUT  
AUGUST, 2013**

**OPERATIONS**

The Seymour WPCF experienced a failure of the ORP probe for the dechlorination system. This failure resulted in an instantaneous chlorine violation. Seymour was in compliance in all other monitoring parameters through the month of August, 2013. Here is some relevant data.

Total Nitrogen in the influent: 215 pounds per day  
Total Nitrogen in the effluent: 31 pounds per day  
Percent Removal 86%  
2013 Nitrogen Permit Monthly Limit is 62 pounds per day

Total Phosphorous in the influent: 4.09 mg/l  
Total Phosphorous in the effluent 3.14 mg/l  
Percent Removal 24%  
Ortho Phosphorous in the effluent: 3.34 mg/l  
Proposed Permit limit 0.70 mg/l

Average Flow 0.65 MGD

**SIGNIFICANT MAINTENANCE ACTIVITY**

Plant repair and maintenance items include the following:

- Removed a roll from the belt press and had it repaired
- Replaced the Salt Bridge on the ORP probe
- Replaced all the chain on the bar screen
- Removed the sludge mixer for the thickener and sent it out for repair
- Replace several
- Calibrated the Chlorine Analyzer
- Replace 3 wheels on the thickener
- Recirculation pump failed for the #1 Aeration basin

**COLLECTION SYSTEM**

- Checked all pump stations
- Responded to an Odor Complaint at Peach Pump Station
- Responded to several call before you dig
- Found the #1 pump tripped at Nickel Mine pump Station began repairs on the Add a Phase

**SAFETY**

- Monthly safety training
- 11,231 days without a lost time accident

Respectfully Submitted to the WPCA Board Members: Jon Livolsi, Chairman, Steve Chucta, Tom Kuzia, Patrick Lombardi and Annmarie Drugonis

Veolia Water North America

Carey Strout  
Plant Manager





September 2, 2013

**Town of Seymour**  
**WPCA**  
July 1, 2012 through August 31, 2013

	Cash Balance 8/31/2013	178,707.68
	Reserve Acc	129,812.07
<b>August</b>		
<b>Monthly Summary</b>	<b>Deposits</b>	33,435.94
	Interest	19.84
	transfers in GF	-
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>33,455.78</b>
<b>Monthly Summary</b>	<b>Payments</b>	
	US Filter	118,907.53
Cap Improvement	US Filter	
	B&J Electric	
	WJ Electric	
	Brennan Const	44,616.11
	Conn Professional Water Serv.	
	Nafis & Young	
	Quality data	
	Sey Police	
	KOVACS Const	
	East coast septic	
	R.S. Site and Septic	
Engineering	Nafis & Young	500.00
Legal	Raymond S. Sous	225.00
Legal	May & Kulas	
legal transcript	B&J Electric	
	Conn Professional Services	
	Metro North	
Misc	Bank Charge( Deposit Slips& cks)	
	Ct DEEP	
	Servpro	
	Quality data	7.00
	Town of Seymour TC	36.00
	Refund	
mis class deposit	ck account deposit transfer to as:	2,539.02
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>166,830.66</b>