

Well Driller's Meeting
Date: Wednesday, December 9, 2015
Location: 286 Water Street, 3rd Floor

Attendees: Commission Members:
Dwight Doughty, Commission Chair
Daniel Locke, Hydrogeologist, Maine Geological Survey
David Braley, Hydrogeologist, MeCDC
Mike Otley, Public Member
Ike Goodwin, Master Driller
Joseph Gallant, Master Driller
Frank Hegarty, Master Pump Installer
Legal Counsel, Deanna White, AAG
Julia Kimball, Commission Clerk
Guest-David Philbrick

Minutes prepared by: Julia Kimball

PROCEEDINGS:

Dwight Doughty - Meeting called to order at 9:07 a.m.

TOPIC: November 2015 Meeting

Motion: Mike motioned to approve the October minutes. Ike 2nd.

Discussion – Ike wanted to add “Significant threat to public health” concerning complaint.

Vote: Unanimous to approve. Dwight did not vote. He was not present at the November meeting.

TOPIC: Licensure Application

None pending

TOPIC: Specialty Well Applications

A Specialty Well application was brought before the Commission by Rolfe Well Drilling for an after the fact closed loop geothermal well. The Commission has requested additional information including a narrative, a sketch, and the well log.

Motion: Mike motions to table the application due to lack of information. Dan 2nd.

Vote: Unanimous to table

TOPIC: Other Business

The Commission continued discussions of the meetings with the Plumber's Examining Board.

TOPIC: Complaints:

The Commission received a complaint concerning a well drilled by John Perry of Clearwater Well Drilling. Corrective action was ordered after evidence of leaking liner seals. Clearwater Well Drilling must install new top and bottom liner seals.

Motion: Ike motions to accept complaint and inspect the well. Frank 2nd.

Vote: Unanimous

10:30: Frank motioned to adjourn, 2nd by Ike, approved unanimously

Next Meeting: January 13, 2016 286 Water Street, Augusta, Maine 9:00 A.M.