MEETING MINUTES
Wednesday, February 12, 2020

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Maine Water Well Commission
18 Elkins Lane, Harlow Bldg., Rm 109, Augusta, ME

ATTENDEES:

Commission Members:
Dwight Doughty
   Hydrogeologist, DOT, Chairperson
David Braley
   Hydrogeologist, MeCDC
Daniel Locke
   Hydrogeologist, MGS
Frank Hegarty
   Master Well Driller
Joe Gallant
   Master Well Driller
Mike Otley
   Public Member

Guests:
David Philbrook
   MWWC Well Inspector
Chris Halsted
   Director, Earth Resources Information
Peter Gallant
   Complainant
Travis Gallant
   Complainant

Minutes Prepared By:
Tina Lemieux
   DWP Licensing Clerk, Commission Clerk

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PROCEEDINGS:  9:00 AM

Review of Meeting Minutes:
Motion to accept the minutes from January 1, 2019, meeting.
✓ MOTION: Frank Hegarty 2nd: Daniel Locke  VOTE: Unanimous

Exam Applications:

    OUELLETTE_WD2254 / WD-J, PI-J – DENIED
Motion to deny exam application.
✓ MOTION: David Braley 2nd: Daniel Locke  VOTE: Unanimous

    ROBINSON_WD00491 / WD-M, PI-J – APPROVED
Motion to approve.
✓ MOTION: Frank Hegarty 2nd: Daniel Locke  VOTE: Unanimous

    MEADER_WD02177 / WD-J, PI-J – APPROVED
Motion to approve.
✓ MOTION: Frank Hegarty 2nd: Daniel Locke  VOTE: Unanimous

    GOVONI_WD00457 / WD-J, PI-J – APPROVED
Motion to approve.
✓ MOTION: Frank Hegarty 2nd: Daniel Locke  VOTE: Unanimous

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Specialty Well Applications:
NONE

SWA In-House Approvals:
  KANG-AFFORDABLE_SWA
  CROMMETT-GOODWIN_SWA

Other Business:
1. Guest Speaker: Christian Halsted, Director, Earth Resources Information

MGS Electronic Well Card Submission Update:
• Status update & review
• Current driller enrollment & performance
• Pending enhancements
• Report feedback needed from Commission members
• Continued rollout plan to well drillers

Complaints:
1. **ABBOTT-GALLANT – complaint, received 11-7-19; OPEN**
   - Peter and Travis Gallant present for meeting, brought paperwork.
   - Tabled until March 11, 2020 meeting

Motion to contact clients to abandon well and allow well drillers on property.
   ❖ **MOTION**: Mike Otley  2nd: Joe Gallant  **VOTE**: Unanimous

2. **CIVIL ARMS INC-PHILBRICK – complaint, received 1-7-19; OPEN**
   - Dwight Doughty will call about Civil Arms future plans
   - Tabled until March 11, 2020 meeting

Motion to adjourn.
   ❖ **MOTION**: Frank Hegarty  2nd: Mike Otley  **VOTE**: Unanimous

ADJOURN: **11:10 AM**