MEETING MINUTES
Wednesday, July 11, 2018

Well Driller’s Commission
MGS 17 Elkins Lane, Augusta, ME

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

Legal Counsel:
Deanna White,
    AAG

Guests:
Dave Philbrook,
    State Inspector
Helena Starr
    Complainant

CALL-IN:
Rock Libby
Anthony O’Connor
    Complainants

Minutes Prepared By:
Tina Lemieux
    DWP, clerk

PROCEEDINGS:  9:00 am
(this meeting was not recorded due to technical difficulties)

Motion to discuss.
MOTION: Frank Hegarty  2ND: Mike Otley  VOTE: Unanimous

TOPIC: Review of Meeting Minutes:

Motion to accept the minutes from June 13, 2018, meeting.
MOTION: Frank Hegarty  2ND: Mike Otley  VOTE: Unanimous

TOPIC: Exam Applications

None

TOPIC: Specialty Well Applications

STERNS-BURNS_SWA

Motion to accept the SWA at 120", 10" hole, grouting from bottom-up
MOTION: Glenn Dyer  2ND: Frank Hegarty  VOTE: Unanimous
TOPIC: SWA In-House Approvals

ALLEN-BURNS SWA
CONSTANCE-BURNS SWA

TOPIC: Other Business

None

TOPIC: Complaints

STARR-O'CONNOR – complaint ongoing.
- Rock Libby and Anthony O'Connor attended via conference phone.
- Helena Starr was present for the meeting.
- David Philbrook is on vacation. Waiting for formal report from David Philbrook.
- Violations were discussed and tallied. A letter will be drafted and submitted to the Assistant AG for review. After review, the letter and list of violations will be sent via certified letter to Rock Libby and Anthony O'Connor.
- Anthony O'Connor will not be allowed to sit for exams this year, the exam fee will be refunded.

Motion to keep as is in Policy:
31 pts x $200. = $6200.
4-month suspension / 12-month probation

MOTION: Frank Hegarty 2ND: Mike Otley VOTE: Unanimous

Motion to hold Anthony O'Connor at apprentice level 1-year probation period, then resubmit for exams.

MOTION: Glenn Dyer 2ND: Mike Otley VOTE: Unanimous

ADJOURN: 11:04 am

Motion to adjourn.
MOTION: Mike Otley 2ND: David Braley VOTE: Unanimous