MEETING MINUTES
Wednesday, November 14, 2018
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Well Driller’s Commission
MGS 17 Elkins Lane, Augusta, ME

ATTENDEES:

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

Legal Counsel:
Deanna White,
AAG
William Laubenstein
AAG
Kendall Ricker
Attorney for Appellant

Guests:
Timothy Putnam,
Complainant
Debbie Dyer,
Public
Rock Libby
Appellant

Minutes Prepared By:
Tina Lemieux
DWP, clerk

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PROCEEDINGS: 9:00 am

TOPIC: Open Meeting:
Motion to discuss.
MOTION: Glenn Dyer 2ND: Mike Otley VOTE: Unanimous

TOPIC: Review of Meeting Minutes:
Motion to accept the minutes from September 12, 2018, meeting.
MOTION: Frank Hegarty 2ND: Glenn Dyer VOTE: Unanimous

TOPIC: Exam Applications
CINDY KILLER – application for WD-M – complete
Motion to allow Cindy Killer to sit for WD-M Exam.
MOTION: Glenn Dyer 2ND: Dan Locke VOTE: Unanimous

TOBIN KNOWLTON – application for WD-M and PI-M – complete
Motion to allow Tobin Knowlton to sit for WD-M and PI-M Exam.
MOTION: Glenn Dyer 2ND: Dan Locke VOTE: Unanimous
**TOPIC: Specialty Well Application – Board Approvals**

SHOLLER-LORD_SWA

Motion to approve. Dwight Doughty, recused self from voting.

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

MOCCIA-WESTERN ME_SWA

Motion to approve with 120 ft. casing, grouted, 10” hole, and witnessed.

**MOTION:** Frank Hegarty  
**2ND:** Glenn Dyer  
**VOTE:** Unanimous

**TOPIC: Specialty Well Application – In-House Approvals**

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**TOPIC: Other Business**

None

**TOPIC: FAIR HEARING – STARR-OCONNOR - complaint**

Motion to enter session to discuss proposal.

**MOTION:** David Braley  
**2ND:** Dan Locke  
**VOTE:** Unanimous

- (recording off to deliberate)
- (recording on to summarize)

- Worked on draft consent agreement
  - No adjudicatory hearing.
  - Civil penalty amount of $5000.00, payable over 6 months.
  - Suspension of all four licenses for 60 days, December 2018 through January 2019.

- Provided clarification about if a new violation occurred.

  Motion to accept the consent agreement as negotiated and direct our AAG to finalize the documents procedures.

**MOTION:** David Braley  
**2ND:** Frank Hegarty  
**VOTE:** Unanimous
**TOPIC: Complaints**

JALBERT-ESTEY – complaint, new;
- complaint denied due to lateness in reporting. (2-ys to file).

Motion to deny complaint.

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

STARR-O’CONNOR – complaint, ongoing;
- Penalties (suspension and probationary period) have commenced.
- Fair Hearing, November 14, 2018,
  - MGS 17 ELKINS LANE, AUGUSTA, ME; CONFERENCE ROOM

PUTNAM-GALLANT – complaint, ongoing;
- 2nd complaint filed, open

Motion to accept the complaint of pump installed but not sized correctly.

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

**ADJOURN: 12:42 pm**

Motion to adjourn.

**MOTION:** Frank Hegarty  
**2nd:** Mike Otley  
**VOTE:** Unanimous