

BOARD OF SEWER COMMISSIONERS

SEPTEMBER 20, 2022 – REGULAR MEETING

PRESENT: Chairperson Dunn; Commissioners Phelan, Suarez, Ferrier and Porrini; and Council Liaison Jacqueline Olsen.

STAFF PRESENT: Superintendent Robert Longo; Sean Hennessey, Director of Sewer; Assistant Superintendents Pagliaruli, Bolduc, Keegan and Dawn LaBella, Office Manager.

1) CALL TO ORDER.

Chairperson Dunn called the meeting of the Board of Sewer Commissioners to order at 6:00 p.m.

2) PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.

3) MOMENT OF SILENCE.

4) APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE AUGUST 16, 2022 REGULAR BOARD MEETING.

On motion of Commissioner Suarez and seconded, it was voted to approve the August 16, 2022 minutes as presented. Chairman Dunn abstained.
Motion passed.

5) APPROVAL OF THE DEPARTMENT REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 2022.

On motion of Commissioner Suarez and seconded, it was unanimously voted to approve the August 2022 Department Reports as presented.
Motion passed.

6) PUBLIC PARTICIPATION.

Lisa & Mark Trahan on behalf of their mother that lives at 96 Mercier Avenue asked for assistance in regards to the sewer backup that occurred in February 2022. It was noted that the cause was in the Street and not at her home. They stated that their mother's and the City's insurance denied the claim. A discussion ensued; it was advised that they reach Corporation Counsel that handles all claims for the City. No action taken

7) CUSTOMER CORRESPONDENCE.

Jersey Mike's -641 Farmington Avenue: The owner requested a waiver on the AGRU that was installed and approved in 2019. It was noted the AGRU installed in 2019 does not meet the requirements outlined in the City of Bristol Ordinance and was not approved by the Water Pollution Control Department. The discussion continued; it was recommend to grandfather the AGRU for this business only. If ownership or business changes; the AGRU will need to be

changed according to the requirements in City of Bristol Ordinance.

On motion by Commissioner Suarez and second, it was unanimously voted to grandfather the AGRU installed in Jersey Mike's that was considered non-code compliant.

Motion passed.

8) 211 BRADLEY STREET – REFUND SEWER CHARGES, NOT CONNECTED TO SEWER.

On motion by Commissioner Suarez and seconded, it was unanimously voted to refund \$4,058.89 to owner of 211 Bradley Street for sewer charges dating back to May 13, 2002

Motion passed.

9) ON-CALL ENGINEERING RFQ.

Nothing reported.

10) AWARD CONTRACT 2A23-009 – WASTEWATER SLUDGE DISPOSAL SERVICES TO SYNAGRO NORTHEAST LLC.

On motion by Commissioner Phelan and seconded, unanimously voted to award Contract 2A23-009 Wastewater Sludge to Synagro Northeast LLC.

Motion passed.

11) SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

No action taken..

12) OLD BUSINESS.

None.

13) NEW BUSINESS.

None.

14) ADJOURNMENT.

At 6:34 p.m., on motion of Commissioner Phelan and seconded, it was unanimously voted to adjourn.

ATTEST:



Renee M. LaMarre

Water & Sewer Administrative Assistant