



**TOWN OF MILFORD  
BOARD OF SEWER COMMISSIONERS  
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MINUTES  
October 22, 2013**

The Sewer Commissioners Meeting was called to order at 6:00 P.M. in room #14 of the Milford Town Hall.

Present: Thomas Morelli - Chairman  
Rudy Lioce III - Commissioner  
Richard Cenedella - Commissioner  
John Mainini – Superintendent  
John O’Connell - Tata & Howard  
Amanda Cavaliere – Tata & Howard  
Kevin Rudden - Town Crier  
John Consigli – Administrative Assistant

The Payroll & Bills were reviewed and signed by the Board.

A motion was made by Mr. Lioce to approve the Meeting Minutes from September 17, 2013, seconded by Mr. Cenedella and made unanimous by Mr. Morelli.

A motion was made by Mr. Lioce to have the next Board of Sewer Commissioner’s Meeting on November 26, 2013 at 6:00 P.M. in Room #14 of the Town Hall, seconded by Mr. Cenedella and made unanimous by Mr. Morelli.

Mr. Cenedella made a motion to approve Milford Planning Board’s Preliminary Subdivision Plan for Sanylah Crossing because it will have septic systems and has no bearing on Town Sewer System, seconded by Mr. Lioce and made unanimous by Mr. Morelli. A letter will be sent to the Planning Board.

Mr. Lioce made a motion to approve Milford Planning Board’s Site Plan Waiver for 11 Commercial Way as it has no effect on Town Sewer System, seconded by Mr. Morelli. Mr. Cenedella abstained from voting on the motion. A letter will be sent to Milford Planning Board.

Mr. Lioce made a motion to approve Milford Planning Board's Site Plan Waiver for 161 East Main Street as it has no effect on Town Sewer System, seconded by Mr. Cenedella and made unanimous by Mr. Morelli. A letter will be sent to Milford Planning Board.

Mr. Cenedella left the room before Milford Zoning Board's proposed change to Beaver Pond Commons was brought before the Board. On the proposed change to Beaver Pond Commons, Mr. Lioce made a favorable motion since there is no change to the sewer flow's from the project and everything relative to Town Sewer System will remain the same, seconded by Mr. Morelli. Mr. Cenedella abstained from voting. A letter will be sent to Milford Zoning Board.

Mr. Lioce made a motion to approve twelve FY2014 Sewer Use Abatements, seconded by Mr. Morelli, Mr. Cenedella voted to approve eleven of the FY2014 Sewer Use Abatements but abstained from voting on Mr. George Borghi's abatement, Account # 27-1040. A letter will be sent to Town Accountant confirming the twelve abatements.

A motion was made by Mr. Cenedella to deny one FY2014 Sewer Use Abatement, seconded by Mr. Lioce, unanimous by Mr. Morelli.

A motion was made by Mr. Lioce to approve the First Half Year 2014 Sewer Use Billing Commitment in the amount of \$1,794,614.82, seconded by Mr. Cenedella and made unanimous by Mr. Morelli. A letter will be sent to the Town Accountant.

Individual Thank You letters from Attorney Brian Murray and Ms. Kate Gerringer were read by the Board for work performed by Sewer Plant Employees. The letters of gratitude will be posted on the Bulletin Board at the Sewer Plant.

Mrs. Cavaliere gave an update to the Board on the Birch Street Pump Station. Tata & Howard met with R.H. White, the Developer and Mike Dean of Guerriere & Hanlon. The Developer has a work order to get electric power to the site. As soon as Tata & Howard obtains an updated schedule they will present it to the Sewer Board. The Birch Street Pump Station is expected to be complete by the Spring of 2014.

Mr. O'Connell made a presentation on Sludge Thickening Devices that are being reviewed by the Commissioners for installation at the Plant to reduce the transportation cost of sludge. The first device reviewed was the Rotary Drum Thickener. This is the more modern of the two competitive devices for removing water from the sludge. The second device being reviewed is a Gravity Belt Thickener. This unit utilizes a perforated belt to allow water to drain out. Milford Sewer will contact Medway Sewer to see if we can view their machine in operation. Mr. O'Connell wants to test both proposed Sludge Thickening machines at the plant. He will contact various companies to see who we can negotiate a trial with in order to get these machines sent to the Plant for testing. With the trial period of the equipment, we will be able to determine the life-cycle costs of running each of the two machines. A video was shown demonstrating the two devices. At the end of the presentation, a motion was made by Mr. Cenedella to sign the agreement between the Board of Commissioners and Tata & Howard for Professional Services to

develop the Sludge Handling Facility at the Wastewater Treatment Plant, seconded by Mr. Lioce and made unanimous by Mr. Morelli.

At 7:00 P.M., Mr.Cenedella made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Mr.Lioce and made unanimous by Mr. Morelli.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Consigli  
Administrative Assistant