

Sewer Advisory Committee  
May 20, 2020  
Minutes

Attending: Committee Members: Melinda Loberg, Jeff Pratt, Josh Goldstein, Nancy Gilfoy, John Best, Dan Seidman, Christina Colorusso  
Staff: David Thompson, Kirk Metell, Jon Snyder, Jay Grande  
Consultant: Mark White, EPG  
Public: Jeff Kristal, Select Board

Minutes: deferred until our next meeting

**Superintendent's Report and Update**

David summarized the budget status to date. 61% of the budget has been spent over 85% of the FY. \$102K remains. Does not anticipate any shortfalls.  
Since last month, staff has inspected over 80 pump stations and generated a list of anticipated repairs. Flows are down considerably in April/May. Generally is 45,000-55,000 gpd. Now is around 28,000 gpd.  
During the remainder of the FY, investment in some equipment needed will occur, but well within budgeted amounts.

There is evidence of 7-10,000 gpd infiltration from a de-watering source at 9 Main St. It is being investigated and a solution will be worked out with the town and the owner.

The Annual Town Meeting will be held on June 13<sup>th</sup>. Our sewer articles will remain in the warrant and on the ballot.

We will continue work on permitting and renewing the groundwater discharge permit with EPG.

The Select Board will hold a work session with EPG to develop plans for the conduct of the comprehensive wastewater management plan (CWMP).

The Headworks project has been postponed until the fall due to the COVID shut-down. EPG submitted supplementary invoices due to cost increases from postponement. These are under review in Town Hall.

The Committee agreed to allow David to accept septage at the plant – primarily due to the lower flow into the plant during the COVID emergency.

Next Meeting: June 17, 2020