

Water Commissioner's Monthly Meeting  
June 7, 2017

Ken Morin, Chairman  
Steve Call, Commissioner  
Michael Brown, Water Superintendent  
Suzanne Leh, Clerk/Collector  
Eileen Tela, District Accountant  
Steve Constantine, Finance Committee  
Dave Thompson, Finance Committee

Ken Morin opened the meeting at 5:00pm. Bruce Merriam made the motion to accept the minutes of May 2, 2017. Steve Call seconded. All in Favor.

**General Pierce Bridge** – Mike shared a letter he received from Mass DOT. Kenny recommended Mike meet with Greenfield Water Department. Per Mike they are all on board. Tata & Howard gave an estimate of one million dollars for interconnection. The State would have to pitch in to help Turners and Greenfield

**Forestry** – Continuing.

**Drought** – We had eight inches of rain in May, we have plenty of water...

**Bridge of Names** – Kenny will be meeting with Walter Ramsey next week to see if they can allocate any money towards the maintenance of the Bridge of Names.

**District Office** - Project to add new fans in the office has been started. While working in attic, evidence of mice was found. Had two pest elimination companies here to evaluate mice and what we thought were flying ants which turned out to be termites. So far we have two quotes with one more company coming in next week.

**Lead Gooseneck Removal Program** - EPA has stiffened up regulations as has the State of MA. Mike wants to be pro- active and is in the process of redoing our lead and copper plan to include lead goose necks which in the past have never been considered lead service lines. Therefore he would like to start a lead gooseneck removal program. A few will be replaced this year to get an idea of cost. He will bring up the program at district meeting next April.

**Salary Agreements** – Operators, Clerk/Collector and Superintendent's agreements were signed by Commissioners.

**District Accountant** – Possibility of a special district meeting due to a local business in town discussing a possible TIF agreement that would affect us.

**Clerk/Collector** – Three abatements presented. Two approved, one denied.

Next meeting scheduled for July 5, 2017 at 5:00pm.  
Meeting adjourned at 5:35 pm.