

Town of Epping, NH

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Water & Sewer Commissioners
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Water & Sewer Administrator
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WATER & SEWER COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES December 17, 2018

Attendance:

Commissioner Tom Gauthier, Commissioner Bob Bean
W&S Administrator Dennis Koch; W&S Operator Jim Pouliot.

1. Call to Order:

Commissioner Gauthier called the meeting to order at 9:00 PM in the Epping Town Hall.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag followed.

2. Appointments: None.

3. Approval of Minutes. None.

JP discussed the recent switch to AT&T from Verizon for the Town cell phones. Not sure if he will get service at his house which is needed for alarms. We'll look into keeping w&s on Verizon.

The next W&S meeting will be held on January 7th at 7:00 pm.

Reviewed the new water regulations. JP will fix some typos and add a fine schedule, then OK to send to attorney for review.

JP says the grit pump in the headworks building is dead. The cost of a re-build is \$15-\$20K, or a new one will cost \$28,000.00.

**Motion by Commissioner Gauthier to purchase a new grit pump for \$28,000.00.
Seconded by Commissioner Bean. Motion carried 2-0.**

JP has earned his Grade 2 Water Treatment license, wants to discuss becoming the operator of the water system. Let's check with Whitewater to discuss how a transition could work, we need their continued availability to help with problems if needed.
\$\$ will be discussed in the future.

**Motion by Commissioner Bean to make Tom Gauthier the Chairman of the W&SC.
Seconded by TG. Motion carried 2-0.**

**Motion to adjourn made by Chairman Gauthier.
Seconded by Commissioner Bean. Motion carried 2 – 0.
Meeting adjourned at 9:30 pm.**

Respectfully Submitted

Dennis W. Koch Jr.
Water & Sewer Administrator

