

Sewer Commission Meeting November 8th 2018

Attendance:

Alexander Meisner- Secretary
Tom Walker- Commissioner
Dan Gray- Commissioner
Everett Wickline- Part Time Plant Operator

Meeting Start and called to order:

4:04 pm

Review and Approval of Minutes

- November 1st minutes were reviewed and approved - Passes unanimously.

Citizens Concerns

- None

Plant Operators Report

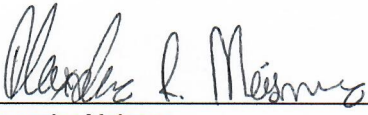
- Wickline would like us to sign copies for sludge removal contract with Lowell, Massachusetts.
 - Commissioners begin to discuss that we should not sign with Lowell and should consider elsewhere.
 - Wickline has said that this signature would be considered a package deal that many other towns are doing with Lowell.
 - Dan gray would like to make a **motion** to accept the Franklin County Solid Waste Management from July 1 2018 - June 20th 2019 at the rate of 5 cents per gallon transportation costs. . 8 - .18 cents for disposal rates depending on sludge percentage. Motion passed unanimously.
- Wickline will give Vermont Sewer and Drain co. a call for pricing on sewer cameras and their hourly rate. 500-600 feet on a 4-6 inch pipe.
- Walker has been driving the sewer truck, washed it, and greased it some to prevent rust and corrosion. He has picked up the snowblower too for the plant for the winter.

Sewer Discussion w/ Rate Discussion

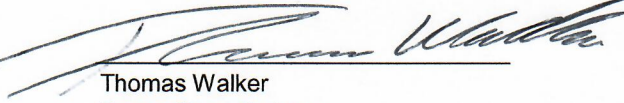
- Discussion between the commissioners on which rate increase option would be best for the Town of Northfield.
- Dan Gray favors the **option 1**: Raising the sewer rate from \$11.65 to \$15.25.

Dan Gray makes a motion for **option 1**. Seconded by Walker. **New rate passes at \$15.25 with a hookup fee at 360.00.**

Meeting End: 5:06



Alexander Meisner
Secretary/Sewer Commissioner



Thomas Walker
Sewer Commissioner

Dan Gray
Sewer Commissioner/Chair