

WMAC Meeting Minutes – November 18th, 2021

Attendees: David Crosby – Chair, David Brookfield, David Hearne, Chris Pimentel – Vice Chair, and Lealdon Langly

Guests: Eric Hooper, Superintendent- Sharon DPW

1. No minutes to approve this month. Rory to distribute the October meeting minutes next month.
2. The irrigation bylaws were circulated for comment to the board. The first two hours of the meeting were spent revising this document. All input was integrated and some suggested revisions are to be made or refined by Eric according to the Board's input.
 - a. Approved Service Providers will inspect irrigation systems. How to establish who will be the Approved Service Providers is still an open question. Eric to talk to the Building Inspector for input.
3. Water consumption has dropped to pre-quarantine levels, along with revenues. It has been a very low-consumption summer for water, due in part to increased rain. Revenue has dropped from \$5 million last year to \$4.6 million this year.
4. Further discussions around rates and how the PFAS treatment systems will impact those rates will be necessary in upcoming months. There is grant money to support the development of filtration solutions but those are not likely to cover any more than half a million on our \$15-\$16 million system.

Respectfully submitted,

Chris Pimentel, Vice Chair