

Minutes of the
Regular Meeting of May 9, 2023

WATER COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

Mr. Jim Kelleher, Chair
Mr. Scott Ellis

EWD STAFF PRESENT:

Mr. William Chapman

Meeting Called to Order:

Mr. Kelleher called the meeting to order at 3:10 p.m.

Minutes:

Mr. Ellis motioned to approve the minutes of April 10, 2023, Mr. Kelleher seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

OLD BUSINESS:

Permits & Registrations were discussed. Working on some modifications before final.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. Kelleher nominated Mr. Ellis for Chairperson. Mr. Ellis seconded and the motion passed.

Operational Report:

- Four water services were installed, with several more applications for service reviewed.
- Monthly bacteriological samples were collected and analyzed.
- A fire hydrant was replaced on 12th Street.
- The Edgartown Water Department was recognized and awarded for the eighth consecutive year by state and federal regulators for our operational standards and practices.
- Wintucket Well was prepared to convert from sodium to potassium hydroxide.
- The annual water system flushing program was completed.
- April water invoices were delivered to customers.
- Several water main extension projects were reviewed.

- Sampling for Synthetic Organic Contaminants (SOC's) was conducted, increasing our sampling waiver program.
- Sampling for Manganese and Secondary Contaminants was completed.

OTHER BUSINESS:

William Chapman's annual evaluation was done.

Dylan Thornton was congratulated for passing the Water Distribution 1 Exam.

ADJOURNMENT:

Mr. Kelleher motioned to adjourn the meeting at 3:52 p.m., Mr. Ellis seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Heidi Boyd
Department Assistant

BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS
TOWN OF EDGARTOWN

James Kelleher, Chair

Scott Ellis, Commissioner

David Burke, Commissioner