

Berwick Area Joint Sewer Authority
REGULAR MEETING
JUNE 8, 2022
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE
1108 FREAS AVENUE
BERWICK, PA 18603

The monthly scheduled and advertised meeting of the Berwick Area Joint Sewer Authority (BAJSA) was called to order by Chairman Steven Fraind at 6:00 pm. The pledge of allegiance to the flag was presented.

Roll call was taken and members in attendance were as follows: Chairman Steven Fraind, Treasurer James Seeley, Vice Chairman Melissa Fisher, Asst. Treasurer Donald Kishbaugh, Assistant Secretary Nelson Learn, Asst 2nd Treasurer Gary Pinterich, Secretary Ernie Ashbridge and Pres. Pro Tem George Welliver. Also in attendance were: Authority Manager Gloria Bobersky and Engineer Erin Threet, HRG. Engineer Dennis Peters and Solicitor Anthony McDonald were absent. Present from the public was Allan Fish from the WWTP.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion made by Melissa Fisher to approve the meeting minutes of May 11, 2022. 2nd by Donald Kishbaugh. All in favor and the motion passed unanimously.

PUBLIC INPUT

None

PAYMENT OF BILLS

Motion made by Nelson Learn to approve the payment of bills in the amount of \$118,910.34. 2nd by George Welliver. Roll call vote was taken and was as follows:

N. Learn	-	Yes
S. Fraind	-	Yes
J. Seeley	-	Yes
D. Kishbaugh	-	Yes
G. Welliver	-	Yes
G. Pinterich	-	Yes
M. Fisher	-	Yes
E. Ashbridge	-	Yes

All in favor and the motion passed unanimously.

REPORTS

MANAGER

Manager Bobersky discussed how the Cannibal system is working as designed and the dumpster loads leaving the plant have extremely decreased.

Motion made by George Welliver to approve the 2-year contract with Team Green (now Fought's Disposal) at the current flat rate of \$198.50 with the addition of a \$40.00 surcharge for diesel increase above \$6.00 per sludge hauling pull. An additional \$40.00 per pull for every \$2.00 increase above \$6.00. 2nd by James Seeley. All in favor and the motion passed unanimously.

OLD BUSINESS

There was no Old Business to discuss.

NEW BUSINESS

Motion made by Ernie Ashbridge to accept bid from Don E. Bower in the amount of \$93,581.00 for materials only to move forward with the Susquehanna Data LLC project. 2nd by George Welliver. All in favor and the motion passed unanimously.

Motion made by Nelson Learn to approve the proposal from Barry Isett & Associates to complete the MS4 annual report in the amount of \$3,750.00. This cost is split with the Borough of Berwick. 2nd by Jim Seeley. All in favor and the motion passed unanimously.

ADJOURN

Motion made by Donald Kishbaugh to adjourn. 2nd by Gary Pinterich. All in favor and the motion passed unanimously.

The next regularly scheduled BAJSA meeting will be held on Wednesday, July 13, 2022 at 6:00 pm.