

December 18, 2024

A general meeting of the Sewer Authority of the Borough of Minersville was held Wednesday, December 18, 2024 in Council Chambers, North Delaware Avenue and East Carbon Street. Chairman Tom Eltringham opened the meeting with the flag ceremony at 7:00PM.

ATTENDANCE

The following members attended the December meeting-Jeff Rizzardi, Tom Eltringham, Rich DiBiase, Steve Darosh, Engineer Don Cuff and Ray Sukeena.

MINUTES

Mr. DiBiase made a motion to approve the minutes from the November 2024 meeting. Mr. Darosh seconded the motion. The motion passed as presented.

FINANCIAL REPORT

The current financial report was not available for the December meeting.

VISITORS

Mrs. Ginny O'Brien, who owns property on Teaberry Hill Road, presented the Authority with a Right of Way agreement for her property with the Sewer Authority. Mrs. O'Brien believed the right of way included upkeep of her driveway where the manhole is located. Mr. Cuff examined the document and stated it only pertains to maintenance of the manhole. Additionally a resident reported a foot deep drops at a manhole at the corner of Cottage and Cherry Streets. Mr. Sukeena will look into the matter.

SOLICITOR'S REPORT

The Solicitor was not present at the December meeting.

ENGINEER'S REPORT

Mr. DiBiase made a motion, second by Mr. Darosh to approve a work order for \$16,700 for preparation of the application for the Penn Vest Grant. The motion passed as presented. Mr. Darosh made a motion to approve the work order \$22,500. Mr. Rizzardi seconded the motion. Mr. Cuff stated the ultra violet light project would not be until 2026. UV units are currently a year out for delivery.

SEWER OPERATOR'S REPORT

Mr. Sukeena reported the new panel parts would be a three-day installation. The head works is back in service.

CORRESPONDENCE: There was no new correspondence.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

There was no Unfinished Business.

NEW BUSINESS

Mr. DiBiase made a motion to approve the 2025 balanced budget. Mr. Darosh seconded the motion. The motion passed as presented. Mr. Darosh made a motion, second by Mr. Rizzardi to approve the Resolution for 2025 sewer rates. The motion passed as presented.

Mr. Darosh made a motion to adjourn, Mr. DiBiase seconded the motion.

Respectfully submitted,
Gloria Capik, Secretary