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Water/Wastewater Committee Meeting December 21, 2021 7:30 pm

PRESENT: Aldermen Cahoe, Barragree, Marcier, Rushbrook, Garfield, Miller, Alderwoman Musk, Mayor Allhands
ABSENT: Alderwoman Ulfers
GUESTS: Water Superintendent Greq Marks via Phone

Alderman Cahoe opened the meeting at 7:30 pm There was no public comment. Water Superintendent Greg Marks reported on the following:

Wastewater: The gates on the oxidation ditch will be getting changed, just looking for a good date to get it done. All testing and reporting is complete and up to date

Drinking Water: Greg met with a hydrogeologist about a proposed location for a new well. Peerless Midwest is currently cleaning well 10 and well 9 is finished. Well 9 needed new piping and a pump motor repaired. Well 10 is needing new sections of pipe and will be relocating and raising a pump, this should be complete by the middle of next week. This well is now pumping 200-300 more gallons per minutes now that the work is finished. Greg stated well 10 will need a new filter next year and the high service pump is having bearing issues. Well 9 house structure is very small and at some point the department would like to add another structure around the existing structure. As of now this building is fiberglass and there is no way to keep the heat in the building. Greg stated they are still looking at route 24 at the west tower for a new well. Greg stated the generator at well 6 needs to be updated, he will get pricing and bring it back next month. The work report for the month consisted of 54 locates, 5 service line repairs, 1 water meter change, 15 water turn on/offs, 1 water main repair and 2 service line repairs.

Alderman Cahoe makes a motion to adjourn at 7:40 pm and Alderman Garfield seconded. Roll call carried 8-0.

Dennis Cahoe, Chairman