

Bennington Water/Sewer Commissioners' Meeting
January 9, 2024 at 4:00 PM
Meeting Minutes

Present: Melissa Clark and Dennis McKenney

Dennis opened the meeting at 4:05 pm.

Dennis made a motion to accept the minutes from the last meeting. Melissa seconded the motion.

Rate Increases: Dennis and Melissa reviewed expenditures v revenues for the water/sewer department budget. It was determined the sewer rates need to increase at a higher percentage rate than the water rates, however, both rates need to increase. Dennis suggested that after 2023 is closed out, and the numbers are updated, the commissioners will make a decision on the percentage the rates should be increased. That decision will be made at the next meeting.

New Meters: 12 new meters were installed since the last billing cycle. There will be a 20,000 gallon increase on the next billing cycle for anyone who has not switched their meter over yet.

Dennis advised he spoke with Mr. Verney regarding the potential for a second well going on a property owned by the papermill. The property is on South Bennington Road near the railroad tracks.

Nothing further, meeting adjourned at 4:25pm.

Respectfully submitted,



Cathy McGillicuddy, rent collector