

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting of the Allenton Sanitary District Commission was called to order at 7:06 p.m., followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. The meeting notice was read. This meeting has been properly noticed.

ROLL CALL: Members present: President Bob Bingen; Commissioners, Jeff Infalt, Ron Hefter, Gary Karnitz, Dan Wolf; Secretary Wendy Fairbanks; Treasurer Jill Fieweger. MCO representatives, Ron Lenius and 16 other people were present during the meeting.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA: Motion by Karnitz to adopt the agenda as presented. Seconded by Hefter. Motion carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Minutes of the February 16, 2023, Allenton Sanitary District meeting were approved as presented. Motion by Wolf, seconded by Infalt. Motion carried unanimously.

REVIEW OF BILLS AND AUTHORIZATION OF PAYMENT: Bills for payment were reviewed. Motion by Hefter to approve check numbers 11192 through 11216, check numbers 10305 through 10306 and electronic payments as listed, in the amount of \$110,478.91. Seconded by Karnitz. Motion carried unanimously. Checks questioned were # 11211 payment to PACE Analytical for Nitrogen, #11196 to B&M Technical Services Inc. for Flow Meters, and #11201 to Farmers Grain and Feed for solar salt.

REVIEW OF TREASURER'S REPORT AND RECONCILIATION: The Treasurer's Report and bank reconciliation reports for the month of February 2023 were approved as presented. Motion by Infalt, seconded by Wolf. Motion carried unanimously.

MIDWEST CONTRACT OPERATIONS REPORT: Ron Lenius presented the report for the past month. Lenius is waiting on quotes to replace the Alum pumps. He rebuilt a 2" sump pump that stopped working with materials from the shop. It is now working normally. Information about the Grease Trap Ordinance was reviewed, inspection procedures, and permit options were discussed for the businesses in the Town. More information was requested on what other communities have implemented. This item will be revisited in April. Jetting and Televising were done on Tuesday and Wednesday which caused some issues. A few residents had water come out their toilets during the process, which made a mess in their homes. Speeding Clean was contacted immediately regarding the problem. Speedy Clean told Lenius they use a smaller nozzle to reduce the amount of back-up into the houses and provided literature to explain why this happens. Lenius explained that this problem happens with older houses, especially if their sewer vent is plugged. There was discussion about the timing and notification process to alert residents when jetting and televising will occur. It was decided that Treasurer Fieweger will send out notices to residents in the future. One resident hired a plumber

because she didn't know why the water was coming from her toilet. The resident was present at the meeting and the Board discussed re-imbursing the resident who incurred charges due to the issue. Infalt made a motion to reimburse Suzanne Boehlen \$178.82 for charges she paid to Mr. Holland for plumbing services. Seconded by Hefter. Motion carried unanimously. On the water side, there are no issues. Temperature is going to be an issue for the upcoming water tower repairs on April 24, 2023. Supervisor Wolf asked if extra water would be needed during the process and Lenius confirmed no extra water was required.

UPDATE REGARDING ENGINEERING FOR BLUEBERRY RD EXPANSION: JE Arthur has done some preliminary work to check if pressure would be adequate to expand water and sewer service up Blueberry Rd., but no estimates have been received at this time. Chairman Bingen stated more information is needed to make a decision about doing the project and presenting it to the community.

COMMUNICATIONS: None

PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion by Karnitz to adjourn, seconded by Hefter. Motion carried to adjourn the meeting at 7:52 p.m.

Wendy Fairbanks, Secretary
Allenton Sanitary District