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## Water/Wastewater Commission

### Meeting AGENDA

Wednesday – February 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
5:00 p.m.

Legislative Building, City Hall Campus  
700 Main St.  
Fitchburg, MA 01420

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Please note that the Legislative Building will be open to the public for this meeting. For any member of the public that might not be ready to return to a public setting, they are invited to participate in the meeting via the Zoom webinar of February 9, 2022 at 5 PM Eastern Time .

### **Topic: Water/Wastewater Commission Meeting**

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1. Review minutes from January 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022 Commission Meeting.
2. **Public Forum:** None
3. **Water Division**
  - Staffing Levels – update
  - Falulah Water Transmission Main – update
  - SCADA upgrade project – progress update
4. **Wastewater Division**
  - Lunenburg Sewer Commission reviewed and updated their Sewer Use Regulations to reflect Fitchburg's. A slight change was requested in an article pertaining to discharge permits for SIU's (referring back to the City for permits)
  - Town of Westminster is requesting a short term extension to the IMA for 2-3 yrs. Reason: Dialogue is needed from MA DEP in allocating additional flow.

Westminster is also requesting a transfer of 50,000 GPD from Route 31 to Route 2A.

- Consent Decree is being compiled.
- Weston & Sampson is working with East Plant staff on a Hazardous communication plan.
- CCTV Police Station Drainage for proposed PD station parking lot upgrade
- Polito is shutting down operations effective 2/1 until weather is more favorable.
- FY23 budget is being developed.
- Staff vacancies/retirements: 1 operator presently vacant from a retirement (interviews being done) 1 operator retiring on March 4<sup>th</sup> (a pool of candidates have applied to the posting) 1 senior operator retiring as soon as the latest CBA is reached. Critical position and presently no candidates have applied. Chemist retiring on March 18<sup>th</sup> (interviews to begin soon)

## **5. Other Business**

- The Water/Wastewater Commission will next meet at 5:00 pm on Wednesday **March 9, 2022** at the Legislative Building, City Hall Campus 700 Main St. Fitchburg Ma.
- Adjourn