

TROY JAY WASTEWATER MEETING

Tuesday, June 23, 2026

Troy Municipal Office

Minutes

Board members present: Anne Quirion, Robert Langlands, Gaston Bathalon,
Tara Morse, Le-Ann Tetrault, Dave Sanders

Others Present: Pat Sanders, Steve Button, Terri Medley

1. Approve the Minutes of May 26, 2026

- A. Anne made a motion seconded by Dave to approve the minutes as presented. Motion passed unanimously.

2. Additions or Deletions to the agenda- None

3. Approve Invoices

- A. Invoices were reviewed and signed.

4. Steve Button

- A. The EQ tanks are online and the issues have been resolved.
- B. They replaced the influent valve in the basin.
- C. Jeff Morse discovered that the sewer main servicing the Local Boys development in Jay was extended 600' without permission. Steve does not recall, John Cote ever coming to the Board with a proposal even though a representative Steve talked to said he did. The Board agreed that John has never sought permission to extend the sewer main.
 - i. Gaston felt that the extension should not be used until the owners come to a Board meeting to discuss the issue.
 - ii. On the Boards authority, Steve will send a Cease and Desist Order to John Cote and his representatives to stop work on the project until they come to the next Board Meeting.
 - iii. Robert will contact John Cote tomorrow (June 24) to discuss the situation.
 - iv. Pat suggested the Board might want to review the ordinance and include built-in penalties which do not currently exist.

5. Terri Medley – Nothing to report

6. Any other business – None

7. Next Meeting Date: July 28, 2026

8. To Adjourn

A. Dave made a motion seconded by Tara to Adjourn. Motion passed unanimously and the meeting adjourned at 6:57 p.m.

9. Recycle Update - Anne & Dave

A. The surcharge has increased from \$29.50 to \$31.50 per ton.

B. Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) cost a lot to run especially in the smaller towns where participation is relatively low. Moving forward, the NEKWMD plans to hold 2-4 regional events a year instead of the 8-9 they had been doing.

C. NEKWMD will be starting a program for people to fill recycle totes with HHW and pay a \$10 fee per tote for disposal.

D. Bulky Waste disposal events are also expensive to run but the NEKWMD has not charged for them in the past. Going forward they will be charging \$245 per employee working the event and a fuel surcharge of \$.75 a mile.

E. The Board agreed to once again host a tire drop in September. Gaston will contact tire recyclers for quotes.

Respectfully submitted,
Pat Sanders