

Central Plymouth County Water District Commission

Minutes of Wednesday January 13, 2020 Meeting

The meeting took place via Zoom video/teleconference due to current COVID-19 social distancing recommendations issued by Governor Charles Baker. Participants attending the meeting were Central Plymouth County Water District Commission Chair Joanne Zygmunt, Commissioner Jack O'Leary, and Commissioner Mark Sotir.

Also, in attendance were Kimberly Groff of Groff Consulting, Pine duBois from the Jones River Watershed Association, James Garner from the Jones River Watershed Association, Don Howard from Hanson Water Commission, and Tree Kuharich of Kingston. Mr. Kuharich will be added to the email blast list.

Quorum was reached with three Commissioners voting in affirmative, roll call vote: Commissioner Sotir – yes, Commissioner O'Leary – yes, and Chair Zygmunt – yes. Motion passes unanimously and the meeting began.

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 P.M.

Chair Zygmunt recommended changing the order of the agenda as Commissioner O'Leary needs to leave the meeting at 6:30 P.M. for a work commitment. All agreed.

Commissioner O'Leary gave an update on the Hydra Dredge project and his work with Brad Chase of the Division of Marine Fisheries. Commissioner O'Leary has been finalizing details to working together with the dredge. DMF would manage the Hydro Dredge, store it in off periods, maintain it, and customize it with welding as needed. Next steps are for Commissioner O'Leary to draft a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the DMF with the details of the program. Jones River Watershed Association would also like to work on the MOU with them. Operations may be provided by DMF also. Chair Zygmunt asked about insuring the machine. Insurance still needs to be discussed with DMF. Commissioner O'Leary stated that connecting with Senator Brady's office is an important step of the process. Ms. duBois asked about the timeline and Commissioner O'Leary stated that it is a top priority and will be done quickly. Commissioner O'Leary will update the group again next meeting.

Commissioner O'Leary needed to leave the meeting at 6:33 P.M.

Chair Zygmunt then introduced Ms. Kimberly Groff of Kimberly Groff Consulting who has thirty plus years of expertise in water quality management. Ms. Groff will be working on developing an RFP for water quality management and monitoring at Silver Lake and the waterways in the CPCWD. Services are not to exceed \$10,000 for the project. Ms. duBois shared thoughts on the ideas of water quality management strategy. The Chair stated that data collection about if the diversions are affecting local ponds/lakes that is current and irrefutable is a critical point of this study. Commissioner Sotir stated that a mix between data and cause and effect/monitoring would be best. Ms. duBois said that CDM is working with the City of Brockton as part of the Resource Plan, as directed by DEP consent order, that should be finalized over the upcoming weeks and could have valuable data to use. The next steps were reviewed by Chair Zygmunt as: the Chair will finalize the engagement letter with Ms. Groff, the Chair will work with Ms. Goff to finalize a lists of key stakeholders, Ms. Groff will reach out to the key stakeholders for informational interviews, and the group will further clarify the focus and goals of the project. Frank will send his contact information to Ms. Groff.

Commissioner Sotir moved to accept the minutes of December 9, 2020. Seconded by Chair Zygmunt. Roll call vote: Commissioner Sotir – yes and Chair Zygmunt – yes. Motion passes unanimously.

Frank Basler gave an overview of the Finance Report as of December 31, 2020. The December 31, 2020 bank balance was \$486,090.24.

Chair Zygmunt stated that she did meet with Mayor Sullivan and the manager of the DPW and the meeting went well.

Advisory Committee appointments were discussed by the Commissioners. The below list is the confirmed appointees from each town. Mayor Sullivan has not confirmed the Brockton appointees. There is an Advisory Committee Zoom mtg tomorrow, January 12 for re-organization of leadership and to vote and confirm the CPCWDC Commissioner for the next term. Commissioner Zygmunt was appointed in March 2018 and filling her seat will be voted upon at the meeting.

- James Bragg, Brockton
- Thomas Monahan, City Councilor, Brockton
- Jason Trepanier, Water Superintendent, East Bridgewater
- Peter Veneto, Halifax
- Donald Howard, Water Commissioner, Hanson
- Sheila Vaughn, Selectman, Kingston
- Willard Boulter, Pembroke
- Carly Spencer, Plympton
- Justin Evans, Selectman, Whitman

The Commissioners discussed the new CPCWDC brochure. The County office mailed brochures to the CPCWDC Commissioners late in December. Brochures were also mailed to the legislative delegation of each town and Brockton under the CPCWDC letterhead. The brochures are being delivered to each of the member town/city hall by the County.

The Chair met with Brockton City Councilors and she will send the Councilors a digital copy of the brochure. The Chair said she updated the Council and they were receptive to the work being done.

Ms. duBois had a few suggestive edits for the CPCWDC web site. Chair Zygmunt said that she would review the edits and update the website, if this idea is amenable to Commissioner Sotir. Commissioner Sotir thought this was a good idea.

Next meeting of the CPCWDC will be Wednesday, February 10 at 6 PM.

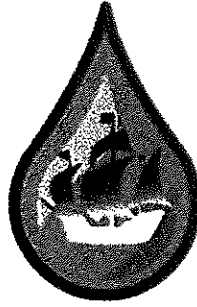
Motion to adjourn at 7:25 PM by Commissioner Sotir, seconded by the Chair Zygmunt. Roll call vote Chair Zygmunt – yes and Commissioner Sotir – yes. The motion passed unanimously, and the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by,
Frank Basler, Plymouth County Administrator

Handouts: CPCWDC Agenda for January 13, 2021, CPCWDC Financial report as of December 31, 2020, and the draft minutes package of December 9, 2020.

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NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE & TIME: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 6:00 PM

MEETING LOCATION: Zoom video/Teleconference

This meeting notice is being filed and posted in each city or town within the Central Plymouth County Water District, pursuant to General Law Chapter 30A, Section 20. Said notice and agenda must be filed in the offices of the city and town clerks within the District **at least 48 hours** prior to such meeting. Such filing and posting shall be the responsibility of the officer calling the meeting.

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AGENDA

- Meeting opening
- Approval of minutes for December 9, 2020
- Finance report
- Advisory Board update
- Brochure update
- Update and discussion on water quality monitoring program for Silver Lake, invited Kimberly Groff of Kimberly Groff Consulting
- Update on proposal to purchase hydro dredge
- Other business not anticipated by Chair
- Next meeting time and location
- Adjourn

Posted on Tuesday, January 5, 2021 at 11:00 AM at each of the eight Clerk's offices listed below and the County web site at www.plymouthcountyma.gov

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Central Plymouth County Water District Commission

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Also, in attendance were Pine duBois and James Garner from the Jones River Watershed Association, Justin Evans from Whitman, and Brad Chase from the Division of Marine Fisheries of Massachusetts.

With three Commissioners voted in affirmative quorum was reached and the meeting began.

The meeting was called to order at 6:06 P.M.

Commissioner O'Leary moved to approve the minutes of October 14, 2020. Seconded by Commissioner Sotir. Roll call vote: Commissioner Sotir – yes, Commissioner O'Leary – yes, and Chair Zygmunt – yes. Motion passes unanimously.

Frank Basler gave an overview of the Finance Report as of November 30, 2020. The November 30, 2020 bank balance was \$486,283.41.

Advisory Committee appointments were discussed by the Commissioners. The below list is the confirmed appointees from each town. Mayor Sullivan will confirm the Brockton appointees and communicate to Chair Zygmunt. Nancy O'Rourke will set up an Advisory mtg in mid-January for re-organization of leadership and to vote and confirm the CPCWDC Commissioner for the next term. Commissioner Zygmunt was appointed in March 2018, Commissioner O'Leary was appointed on February 4, 2019, and Commissioner Sotir was appointed on February 24, 2020. Therefore, Chair Zygmunt's seat is the position that will be voted upon in January 2021. Chair Zygmunt is interested in extending her appointment.

- James Bragg, Brockton
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The Chair is meeting with Mayor Sullivan next week and will also meet with Council President Asack on December 21 with the Brockton City Council.

The Commissioners discussed the new CPCWDC brochure. An order was placed for 500 brochures and are due in by mid-December. Frank will also source 15 acrylic brochure holders that will be used in each Town Hall. The County office will mail brochures to the CPCWDC Commissioners when they come in. The brochures will be mailed to the legislative delegation and delivered to each of the member town hall by the County. Councilor Nicastro will hand out the brochures at a Brockton City Council meeting when Chair Zygmunt meets with them.

The Commissioners then discussed the Hydro Dredge. Pine duBois, James Garner, and Brad Chase were online to discuss the project. Mr. Chase shared the Division of Marine Fisheries (DMF) would propose two options: one in which the DMF operates under a Memorandum of Agreement and is a partner in the process of operating the hydro dredge, and the other in which the DMF would have an MOA to receive the equipment as a primary custodian and conduct all annual O&M and storage. DMF management favors being the primary custodian. However, the details of a mutually beneficial agreement will be important for both DMF and the CPCWDC. DMF operation projects would involve regionally important diadromous fish habitats and passage improvements, some capability to use the equipment outside of the Commission's region, and agreement that project proponents (mainly Towns) would be responsible for individual project permits.

The dredge hydraulic pump is important for moving sand but will need some assistance (davit/claw) for rooted plants on the rig. The 4" machine sounds like it would take care of the projects. There is a need for an outboard engine for the barge. Also, Mr. Chase said that the DMF can customize the dredge with a hydraulic arm. The bow will need to be reinforced for supporting the piece of equipment. Mr. Garner stated the 6" is much more powerful machine as it is diesel not gas (4" is a gas dredge). The largest is faster and can lift bottles etc. on the bottom of the stream. There are several projects that will be able to use the dredge. The larger dredge might need a dedicated team. The Chair asked if there are other partners that should be contacted. Frank said the County excavator tractor can be utilized for larger projects. Comm O'Leary asked about the potential for unintended environmental damage with the dredge and Ms. duBois said that research shows that there should be no damage.

Commissioner O'Leary will work with Mr. Chase to finalize program details and bring it back to the Commissioners for a vote. The Chair said up to \$100,000 could be used for the dredge program.

The Chair then discussed using a consultant to assist with creating specs for a water quality analysis RFP. She recommended Kimberly Groff (bio in the next paragraph), with EPA and DEP background, who has a water quality background and would be interested in developing a project scope for the project and can craft an RFP. The Chair suggested asking Ms. Groff for a formal quote for the project. The Commissioners discussed different ideas about using on shelf proposals verse hiring a consultant. The Chair talked about how important getting the appropriate data and testing protocols is critical to the credibility of the work. The consultant expense should be under \$10,000 in total. Motion by Commissioner O'Leary, seconded by Commissioner Sotir, to direct the Chair to negotiate favorable terms with Ms. Groff to develop a scope of work for a water quality monitoring program and then to have Ms. Groff come before the next Commissioners meeting. Roll call vote: Commissioner Sotir – yes, Commissioner O'Leary – yes, and Chair Zygmunt – yes. Motion passes unanimously.

Kimberly Groff Consulting - Kimberly Groff, PH. D, has dedicated her 30 plus year career to advancing water quality at a project, state (Massachusetts) and regional (regional) scale. In her most recent role she served Director of the Watershed Planning Program, Division of Watershed Management with the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP) where she managed water policy development, Surface Water Quality Standards, ambient surface water monitoring, water quality assessment, the development of total maximum daily loads (TMDLs) and the creation of watershed plans to restore and protect water quality. While with MassDEP she earned a reputation as a strategic thinker and agent of change for improved water quality. Prior to joining MassDEP in 2009, Kimberly worked for 2 decades as a water resources engineer at AMEC Earth and Environmental, Hydro Analysis and ENSR (now AECOM), and provided assistance to a wide variety of clients and industries (e.g., energy, consumer products manufacturing, plastics, textile, pharmaceuticals, pulp and paper, transportation, academic institutions) as well as state and federal agencies. Kimberly earned her Doctorate Degree from Georgia Institute of Technology School of Civil and Environmental Engineering. She resides in Marblehead, Massachusetts and is an avid sailor.

The Chair discussed that the Brockton Enterprise article that said that Brockton is looking at providing water to Meadow Wood development in West Bridgewater. Commissioner O'Leary stated that in the past he asked the Attorney General if she would represent the CPCWDC in past legal matters and she deferred from representing the Commissioners. Commissioner O'Leary asked if it made sense to hire legal counsel to represent the Commissioners in this situation. Commissioner Sotir stated that his first preference would be to continue to work on the relationship with Brockton, so he would look to continue along this path.

Ms. duBois stated that the registrations that the ponds in our District limit the towns that can take water from these ponds. She believes very strongly that the only municipalities that can take water is from the District.

Commissioner Sotir suggested the Chair discuss the issue of Meadow Wood with Mayor Sullivan during their upcoming meeting on December 15. Chair Zygmunt will talk about Meadow Wood, the appointments to the Advisory Committee, and begin discussion on a water resource plan for the City of Brockton.

Next meeting of the CPCWDC will be Wednesday, January 13 at 6 PM and will continue forward with every second Wednesday of the month. The Commissioners agreed to stay with the Zoom format due to the COVID concerns.

Motion to adjourn at 7:40 PM by Commissioner Sotir, seconded by the Commissioner O'Leary. Roll call vote Chair Zygmunt – yes, Commissioner O'Leary – yes, and Commissioner Sotir – yes. The motion passed unanimously, and the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by,
Frank Basler, Plymouth County Administrator

Handouts: CPCWDC Agenda for December 9, 2020, CPCWDC Financial report as of November 30, 2020, draft minutes of October 14, 2020, the Enterprise article of December 5th on Meadow Wood, and final CPCWDC brochure for distribution to District municipalities.

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MEETING LOCATION: **Zoom video/Teleconference**

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AGENDA

- Meeting opening
- Approval of minutes: October 14, 2020
- Finance report
- Advisory Board update
- Brochure update
- Continued discussion about hydro dredge proposal
- Continued discussion about development of a water quality monitoring program for Silver Lake

Central Plymouth County Water District Commission

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The meeting took place via Zoom video/teleconference due to current COVID-19 social distancing recommendations issued by Governor Charles Baker. Participants attending the meeting were Central Plymouth County Water District Commission Chair Joanne Zygmunt and Commissioner Mark Sotir (creating quorum). Commissioner Jack O'Leary was not able to attend the meeting. Also, in attendance were Brockton Councilor Susan Nicastro, Pine duBois and James Garner from the Jones River Watershed Association, Don Howard from the Hanson Water Commission, Lilla Adams from Rep. Josh Cutler's office, and Frank Basler from the Plymouth County Commissioners Office.

The meeting was called to order at 6:08 P.M.

Commissioner Sotir moved to approve the minutes of September 9, 2020. Seconded by Chair Zygmunt. Roll call vote: Sotir – yes, and Zygmunt – yes. Motion passes unanimously.

Frank Basler gave an overview of the Finance Report as of September 30, 2020. The June 30, 2020 bank balance was \$486,242.89.

Chair Zygmunt stated that the County will be managing the CPCWDC website information moving ahead. Frank Basler said there would be no additional charges for routine updates of meeting dates etc., unless a major website update project was proposed.

The Commissioners discussed the CPCWDC Advisory Board. The Chair sent a letter to Brockton Council President Asack and Brockton Mayor Sullivan in order to fill the open Brockton positions. She will update the Commission at the next meeting. Hanson appointee is Don Howard, Halifax's appointee is Peter Veneto, and Kingston's appointee is Shella Vaugh. Plympton has an open seat and the town will need to be contacted. Frank Basler said the County office will reach out to query and confirm Advisory Board appointees in Plympton, Halifax, Pembroke, Whitman, and East Bridgewater. Frank will follow up with an update at the next meeting. Once all Advisory Board members are appointed, Frank will set up a meeting with them to elect a Chair and Secretary.

The CPCWDC brochure files have been released and Frank will get pricing for printing them. The County needs to deliver the business cards to Commissioners ASAP. The County has run into some COVID related delays at our regular printing shop (County Corrections). Frank will also source 15 acrylic brochure holders. The brochures will be distributed to the legislative delegation and to each of the member town halls. Councilor Nicastro will hand out the brochures at a Brockton City Council meeting.

Pine Dubois updated the meeting on the hydro dredge. Ms. Dubois said that the County has a template for an Intermunicipal Memorandum Of Understanding (MOU) and an equipment rental agreement. Ms. Dubois stated that Brad Chase, of the Division of Marine Fisheries (DMF), would love to have a dredge and use it. The Commissioners posed some questions that need to be answered including who has ownership of the dredge, who does the maintenance, and if DMF can use the dredge outside of CPCWDC area. DMF has expertise on utilization of a hydro dredge. One of the first projects for the dredge could be the fish ladder and dredging at Forge Pond (permits still pending from authorities). Other projects could include work at Stump Brook and Furnace Pond. Question is how the Commissioners define the purpose and use of the hydro dredge. Procurement would be for the dredge, and a trailer may also be needed. The Chair discussed the need to tighten up the logistics of the dredge including procurement (quite possibly as sole source procurement) and other topics. Frank talked about the procurement process and will lead them through the process. The Commissioners have committed to the purchase of the dredge from CPCWDC funds.

Next steps for the hydro dredge should include an invite to Brad Chase to the next meeting. Motion by Commissioner Sotir to send a formal email to Mr. Chase at DMF to see if they would be interested in owning and operating a dredge. Seconded by the Chair. Roll call vote by Chair Zygmunt - yes and Commissioner Sotir - yes. Passed unanimously. If Mr. Chase says yes to a joint project, then the Commissioners will need to work through the division of workload.

Developing of a water quality monitoring program for Silver Lake is an identified need of the region. The Commissioners would not be personally conducting the monitoring but would procure a vendor to complete the project. Comm Sotir stated the most important issue is analysis of the diversion water into Silver Lake and effected the lakes quality. The expertise of writing the spec is critical. Frank will do some research on procurements for water quality testing and discuss at the next meeting.

The chair stated that there is a need for a resource plan and a cost benefit analysis for the City of Brockton's current and future water needs. Commissioner Sotir stated that inviting Mayor Sullivan and DPW Commissioner Rowley to discuss the plan would make sense at the next meeting.

Next meeting of the CPCWDC will be Thursday, November 12 at 6 PM. The Chair will reach out to Mayor Sullivan and Commissioner Rowley to see if they are available. Alternative dates would be November 9, 12, or 17 based upon the Mayor's schedule.

Motion to adjourn by Commissioner Sotir, seconded by the Chair. Roll call vote Chair Zygmunt – yes, Commissioner Sotir – yes. The motion passed unanimously, and the meeting adjourned at 7:15 P.M.

Respectfully submitted by,
Frank Basler, Plymouth County Administrator

Handouts: CPCWDC Financial report as of September 30, 2020 and draft minutes of September 9, 2020

The Enterprise

Meadow Wood battle on Brockton line boils on

By Marc Larocque

Enterprise Staff Writer

Posted Dec 5, 2017 at 4:32 PM

Updated Dec 5, 2017 at 4:38 PM

The Brockton Planning Board approval process for the controversial Meadow Wood project, on the line of Brockton and West Bridgewater, has stretched into next year.

BROCKTON - The battle over the proposed Meadow Wood subdivision is being stretched out in Brockton, where a Planning Board approval process was postponed until February, after a public meeting was originally scheduled to take place on Tuesday.

The Meadow Wood proposal, which includes 32 homes in neighboring West Bridgewater, but with an access road in Brockton, has generated controversy with neighbors and the city councilor representing the area. Ward 3 City Councilor Dennis Eaniri and other opponents of Meadow Wood have also complained that the project would increase traffic and could be a strain on municipal services in Brockton, while property taxes from the homes go to West Bridgewater.

Eaniri said the Planning Board meeting over the Meadow Wood project was postponed as the city's lawyers do a new title search of the property. Earlier this year, a lawyer hired by the city called on the Brockton Planning Board to reject the Meadow Woods site approval application for the subdivision's roadway plan. The city-hired lawyer said in a letter that, as the result of a land taking in 1893, Brockton owns a strip of the property that was included in the Meadow Wood site plan for its access road off of West Chestnut Street.

"I haven't changed my position on it at all and don't have any intentions of doing so," said Eaniri, in a brief phone interview with The Enterprise. "Still, probably the biggest problem people have with it is the traffic. West Chestnut Street in that area takes in an awful lot of traffic."

Eaniri said he believes neighborhood residents who oppose the project will attend the Feb. 6 meeting.

"People are still ready to come back out, to fight for their cause," Eaniri said.

Benjamin Albanese, the lawyer and part-owner behind the Meadow Wood project, declined to comment when reached on Tuesday.

"I'm not going to say anything about anything anymore," Albanese said. "Anytime I say something in the paper, I take abuse."

Eaniri and Albanese, a former Brockton city solicitor, have been in a bitter dispute over the Meadow Wood project. In an apparent taunt earlier this year, Albanese put up a street sign at the proposed access road, with the name "Eaniri Way." Albanese later took it down after getting complaints from the city, especially because it used the official seal of Brockton.

Albanese at the time insisted that it was not meant to mock Eaniri, calling it a tribute and a peace offering to the city councilor. But Albanese also said that the Ward 3 City Councilor has been "disgraceful and disrespectful to me."

Eaniri said that he believes the sign stunt backfired, and helped him get re-elected this year to an eighth term in office, since many voters in the ward share his views on Meadow Wood. Eaniri pledged that he would not sign an inter-municipal agreement that Meadow Wood needs for water and sewer services.

At the same time, the Meadow Wood development has launched a website, seeking to ease the concern of local residents and defending the rights of the property owners, including the Petronelli family.

"The opponents to this project have been misled and have been motivated with malicious and inaccurate information from individuals with their own private agendas," said Meadow Wood, according to the website. "The principals of the development are willing to work with the neighbors to address their concern but will not surrender their property rights in that process."

The website addresses issues including the supposed strain on municipal services, and the right to use roads in Brockton to access the development in West Bridgewater.

"There seems to be an opinion that unless someone is a resident of Brockton or pays taxes in Brockton, they cannot have access to or travel on streets in Brockton," the web site states. "The law does not support that position. The development has access to both West Chestnut Street and Ash Street in Brockton and has a right to travel on both of those established ways."

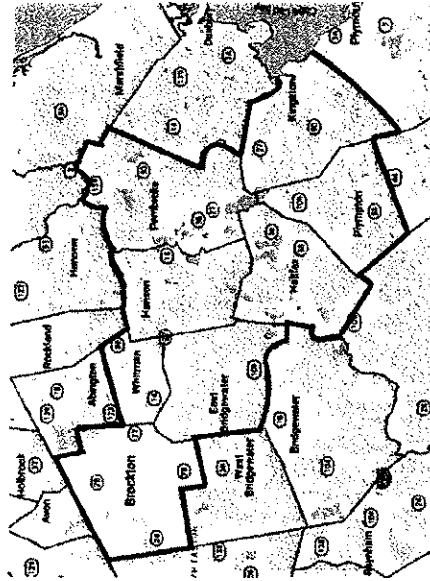
The Meadow Wood company said that the traffic increase would be minimal from the property development, and studies have shown that traffic on West Chestnut Street would only increase by 0.05 percent as a result.

The web site, www.meadowwoodonline.com, claims that emergency services at Meadow Wood would primarily be covered by police and firefighters from West Bridgewater.

Meadow Wood also said on its website that it would use Brockton water and sewer services, but this will not be a drain on the city. Instead, it would be a "substantial financial windfall" with no cost to Brockton. The company claims that the rate for water and sewer for Meadow Woods would be a 400 percent mark up from the standard rate assessed to Brockton homes.

THE DISTRICT

Central Plymouth County Water District spans eight municipalities and two watersheds — Taunton River Watershed and South Coastal Watershed. Within the District are many rivers, lakes, and other water bodies that are critical resources for natural habitat, drinking water, and recreational enjoyment. The Commission pays particular attention to the health and management of Silver Lake, Monponsett Pond, Furnace Pond, and Jones River.



ABOUT

Serving the communities of Brockton, East Bridgewater, Halifax, Hanson, Kingston, Pembroke, Plympton and Whitman

Included in the Acts of 1964 was an emergency law establishing Central Plymouth County Water District and the Commission. The Commission is empowered to investigate and allocate water supply sources within the District, study water supply needs and resources, and investigate "all pertinent matters" relating to water quantity and quality, water resources protection, and water supply and treatment infrastructure.

Three Commissioners, one of whom must be a Brockton resident, are appointed by an Advisory Board to three-year, voluntary (unpaid) terms. Advisory Board members represent the eight municipalities within the District.

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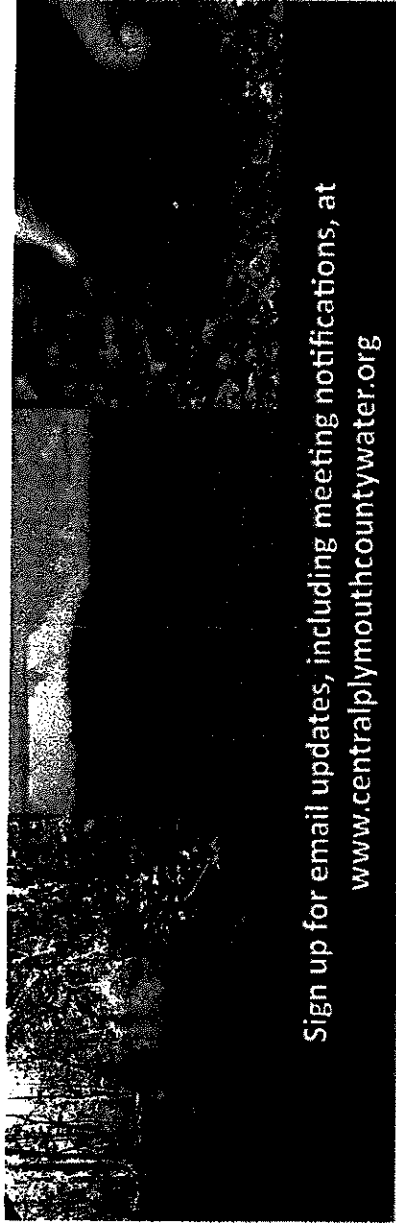


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COLLABORATE — The Commission and Advisory Board build strong relationships with stakeholders across the Water District. Through collaboration, we aim to identify and encourage the implementation of solutions that balance drinking water supply needs with the needs of recreational users and the natural environment. Sustainable water management of our shared water resources benefits everyone, today and tomorrow.

COORDINATE — Sharing information among State agencies, local governments, nonprofits, and the public is essential to developing effective, holistic solutions to the Water District's complex problems. We promote a strategic, collaborative approach that will benefit our region for generations to come.

COMMUNICATE — We are committed to holding regularly scheduled public meetings. We encourage local officials, water supply managers, watershed advocates, members of the public, and anyone with an interest in our shared water resources to come and participate in our meetings. Effective communication is critical if we're to collaborate and coordinate win-win solutions.



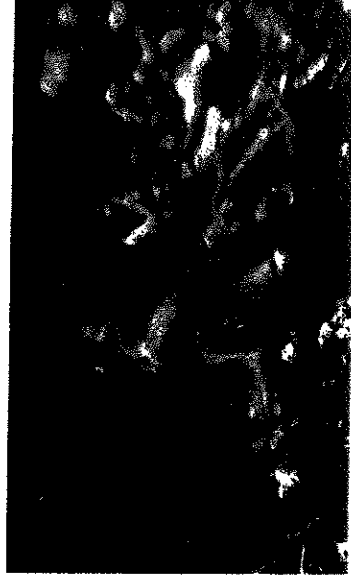
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PRIORITIES

The Commission works with stakeholders and partners to advance solutions to District challenges including susceptibility to drought, deteriorating water quality, lack of capacity to support an increasing population, and application of good practices in water management.

The following are some of the Commission's priorities:

- Ensuring safe, sustainable drinking water
- Restoring and protecting water quality
- Providing necessary flow and connectivity for ecosystem function and habitat quality
- Valuing all impacts - social, environmental, and economic – associated with problems and solutions
- Encouraging and facilitating collaboration among stakeholders to achieve sustainable win-win solutions
- Identifying and progressing viable solutions for the District



Financial Activity for CPCWDC

12/31/2020	Interest for December	\$	20.60	\$	486,090.24	statement balance 12/31/20	\$486,304.01
12/30/2020	brochure printing and acrylic holders	\$	(213.77)	\$		reimb to Frank chk#	
11/30/2020	Interest for November	\$	19.93	\$	486,283.41	statement balance 11/30/20	\$486,283.41
10/31/2020	Interest for October	\$	20.59	\$			
9/30/2020	Interest for September	\$	20.02	\$	486,242.89	statement balance 9/30/20	\$486,497.89 - diff Source4 chk
9/16/2020	invoice for Source4 for brochure final payment transfer for County Expenses	\$	(255.00)	\$		pd #1007	\$255.00
	Interest for August	\$	(2,805.94)	\$		pd #1008	\$2,805.94
8/31/2020	Interest for August	\$	22.06	\$	489,283.81	statement balance 8/31/20	\$
7/31/2020	Interest for July	\$	41.44	\$	489,261.75	statement balance 7/31/20	\$489,220.31
6/30/2020	Interest for March, April, May, and June	\$	260.56	\$	489,220.31	statement balance 6/30/20	\$489,220.31
2/29/2020	Interest for January and February	\$	240.84	\$	488,959.75	statement balance 2/29/20	\$488,959.75
1/20/2020	reimb to Basler for Weebly invoices #1006	\$	(263.45)	\$		pd #1006	\$263.45
1/20/2020	Madeline M. Smith invoice 11/30/19 #1005	\$	(1,025.00)	\$		pd #1005	\$1,025.00
12/31/2019	Interest December	\$	124.82	\$	490,007.36	statement balance 12/31/2019	\$490,007.36
11/30/2020	Interest November	\$	91.36	\$	489,882.54	statement balance 11/30/2019	\$489,882.54
11/1/2019	Madeline M. Smith invoice 9/30/19 #1004	\$	(1,210.39)	\$			
11/15/2019	DCR Transfer Admin Costs	\$	50,000.00	\$			
11/15/2019	DCR Transfer special earmark	\$	155,000.00	\$			
10/31/2019	Interest October	\$	97.13	\$	286,001.57		
9/30/2019	Interest September	\$	94.13	\$			
8/31/2019	Interest for August	\$	97.66	\$	285,810.31	statement balance 8/31/2019	\$287,565.31
8/27/2019	Madeline M. Smith invoice #1003	\$	(1,755.00)	\$			
6/30/2019	Interest for July	\$	97.63	\$			
6/30/2019	Interest for June	\$	95.57	\$	287,370.02	statement balance 6/30/19	\$287,370.02
5/31/2019	Interest for March, April, and May	\$	302.58	\$			
5/29/2019	Peter Tuttle final payment #1002	\$	(10,860.00)	\$			
4/30/2019	County of Plymouth - Admin FY 19 and Expenses (7/1 to 4/30)	\$	(2,186.33)	\$		email, admin fee \$1,500 for FY 19, and misc services	
3/31/2019	interest through March 31, 2019	\$	259.27	\$			
1/22/2019	DCR for water plan	\$	170,000.00	\$			
1/22/2019	DCR for FY 19	\$	50,000.00	\$			
6/1/2018	DCR for FY 18	\$	50,000.00	\$			
5/30/2018	interest through May 31, 2018	\$	138.53	\$			
4/19/2018	Peter Tuttle #1003	\$	(7,950.00)	\$		email, bussiness cards, admin fee \$1,000 FY '18	
3/8/2018	County of Plymouth - FY 18 Admin and Expenses	\$	(1,227.40)	\$			
3/8/2018	Corona Environment	\$	(9,900.00)	\$			
1/30/2017	County of Plymouth - FY 17 Admin and Expenses	\$	(1,302.20)	\$		email, bussiness cards, envelopes, admin fee \$1,000 FY '17	
5/15/2016	DCR for FY 16	\$	50,000.00	\$			

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