

**Utilities Committee Minutes  
November 11, 2010**

The Utilities Committee meeting was held on November 11, 2010, at North Royalton City Hall, 13834 Ridge Road. The meeting was called to order at 7:10 p.m.

**PRESENT:** Committee: Chair Don Willey, Vice Chair John Nickell, Dan Kasaris; Council: Larry Antoskiewicz; Administration: Wastewater Superintendent Tim Tigue

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Moved by Mr. Kasaris, seconded by Mr. Willey to **approve the Utilities Committee minutes of October 13, 2010.** Yeas: 2. Nays: 0. **Motion carried.**

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

**1. Pending Gas Wells**

No update.

**2. Inflow/Infiltration of storm water**

Mr. Tigue said his crew is still doing work on Albion Road, west of Gregory Drive. He said they still have to go down to Abbey Road then they are finished.

Mr. Tigue distributed a report/chart which shows the monthly average flows of the B Plant. He said the monthly average flows are dropping. Mr. Tigue said he will distribute this report to Council on a monthly basis.

Mr. Kasaris asked when the I & I testing started. Mr. Tigue said the day to day testing started in 2007 and the repairs started in 2008.

Mr. Willey asked Mr. Tigue what our capacity is at the plant. Mr. Tigue said with the dry weather it is 1,000,000 and with the wet weather it is 3,000,000. He said these flows are hard to grasp but on a daily basis they are 330,000 on the low end. He said the monthly average is 400,000-450,000. He said at this point with dry weather we are at the 300,000 range for a 1,000,000 gallon plant. Mr. Tigue said he believes we will be running anywhere from 400,000-600,000 with the storms over time.

Mr. Nickell asked if the violations that occurred on Parkdale Drive and Pamela Drive have all been taken care of. Mr. Tigue said Pamela Drive has been pushed back due to the stormwater issues in that area. He said Parkdale Drive is almost complete and Patricia Drive and Gardenside Drive are finished. Mr. Tigue said 141 out of the 154 that failed in 2007 have been repaired, 92 out of 98 that failed in 2008 have been repaired and 91 out of 132 that failed in 2009 have been repaired. Mr. Tigue said there was only one person that we had to take to Mayor's Court.

**3. Chapter 1030 Use of right of way for utility service providers**

No update.

**4. Brine Well**

No update.

**NEW BUSINESS**

**1. Bid for Ferrous Chloride Solution**

Mr. Tigue said International Steel Services, Inc. came in as the lowest bid. He said Kemira Water Solutions, Inc. who has had our business for years also submitted a bid. He said International said they can meet all of our requirements. Mr. Tigue said if they do not meet our requirements when we get our first truck in January he will have to discuss this with the Mayor and the Law Department.

Moved by Mr. Nickell, seconded by Mr. Kasaris to **recommend to Council approval of the bid by International Steel Services, Inc.** Yeas: 3. Nays: 0. **Motion carried.**

**2. Wiltshire Road Sewer Odor Discussion**

Mr. Tigue said he has received four calls from Wiltshire Road residents complaining about the odor. He said he called the City of Broadview Heights because the chemical tank was low. Mr. Tigue said due to lack of this chemical, we are once again having issues with the odor.

Mr. Kasaris asked how often this tank has to be filled. Mr. Tigue said it is a 300-330 gallon tank and they use 8-9 gallons a day therefore it has to be filled approximately every 35 days.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Moved by Mr. Willey, seconded by Mr. Kasaris **to adjourn the meeting.** Yeas:3. Nays 0. **Meeting adjourned at 7:32 p.m. Motion carried.**