

TOWN OF SOMERS
WATER POLLUTION CONTROL AUTHORITY
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
February 17, 2026, 7:00pm
Regular Meeting

CALL TO ORDER. The Regular Meeting of the Somers WPCA was called to order at 7:00pm by Chairperson Stephen Getman. Other members present were Mark Folsom, Dan Fraro, Tim Vecchiarelli, and Jeremy Bourque. Also present were Daniel Parisi, WPCA Superintendent and John Ruvo (via Zoom) of Weston & Sampson. Absent were Mark Marschall and Emily Dreyer

- I. MINUTES. The minutes of the Regular Meeting of January 20, 2026, were reviewed. A motion was made by Jeremy Bourque and seconded by Tim Vecchiarelli to approve the minutes, all in favor, motion passed.
- II. Superintendent – Report on Plant Upgrade – ITS completed the installation of the new control panel. The #2 valve for fields 3 and 4 is not working. Dan Parisi will engage Carlson to request a quote for a replacement.
- III. WPCA Plant Upgrade - Weston & Sampson – John Ruvo provided an estimate for their proposed aeration system. Weston & Sampson estimates a cost of \$160,000. The EPA is engaging a third party to conduct their desired inspection of the upgrade work. The EPA estimates an inspection time frame of late April to mid-May 2026.
- IV. Somersville WPCF – Facility Upgrade Project Funding – No update.
- V. WPCA 2025-2026 Budget – No update.
- VI. WPCF - Sub Committee – Sewer User Fees – Hazardville Water Meter Reads – No update.
- VII. WPCA Draft Ordinance Change – Challenges – No update.
- VIII. Maple Ridge Community Sewer – Repairs – No update.

IX. CORRESPONDENCE/AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION – EPA requested an inspection of the upgrade work.

X. BILLS AND TRANSFERS:

a. Eversource	\$561.00
b. Phoenix Labs	\$52.00
c. USIC	\$46.32
d. USIC	\$11.58
e. Hazardville Water	\$39.03
f. Weston & Sampson	\$5728.72
g. NE Generator	\$607.50
h. NE Generator	\$420.60
i. Avery	\$15796.60
j. Avery	\$6210.00
k. EML	\$622.74
l. ITS	\$8900.00

A motion was made by Tim Vecchiarelli and seconded by Dan Fraro to pay the bills, all in favor, motion passed.

APPROPRIATION/BUDGET TRANSFER: None

XI. Adjournment

ADJOURNMENT: A motion was made by Jeremy Bourque and seconded by Tim Vecchiarelli to adjourn at 7:33pm, all in favor, motion passed.

Respectfully Submitted

Mark Folsom, Secretary

Minutes are not official until voted on and approved at the following meeting.