

## TOWN OF TRURO Water Resource Oversight Committee

P.O. Box 2030, Truro, MA 02666

Notes of the Meeting on February 21st, 2013, 4:00 PM

Location: Selectmen's meeting room

Present (WROC): Kevin Kuechler, Mark Peters, Peter Romanelli, Bill Worthington

Absent: Amanda Reed, Shannon Corea

Also present: Pat Pajeron, Conservation and Health Agent; Charleen Greenhalgh, Assistant Town Administrator/Planner. Blake Martin, Weston and Sampson (by speaker phone)

Pajaron discussed the operation of Consensus Building Institute (CBI) and their work for the Cape Cod Commission and the DEP in helping the two contracting bodies to determine how to support the 15 towns in solving the wastewater challenges.

Martin and Greenhalgh discussed the build-out analysis. Martin reported that even with an added margin of 20%, there were no areas in the town where the modeled Nitrate levels exceeded 5 ppm. He advised that the entire town should be scanned for hot-spots, where simple upgrades of Title V might not suffice. He suggests that at some point in time work between Truro and Wellfleet on the resources of the Chequesett lens might start.

Martin proposed that a parallel analysis of the build-out of the demand for fresh water should be next on the CWMPA schedule.

A new edition of the Newsletter is to be produced. Martin will send some points to Greenhalgh who will work with Kuechler on the text. It is to focus on the build-out analysis, with a strong emphasis on education and is to be distributed before the Annual Town Meeting, perhaps on April 18<sup>th</sup>.

Kuechler observed that our projected expenditures to this point in the CWMP (at about \$200,000) will be about half of that of similar towns.

The next meeting is scheduled for 4:00 PM on Wednesday, March 20th, the vernal equinox.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:55.

Respectfully submitted,

William C. Worthington Secretary

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