

**Thompson's Point Wastewater System Advisory Committee  
Minutes for May 28, 2015 @ 4 PM**

Committee Members In attendance: *Voting:* Tom Maffit, Miles Waite, Dean Bloch, Fritz Tegatz; *Non-voting:* Steve Williams, System Operator, Chris Galipeau, Consulting Engineer  
Committee Members Absent: Rick Pete  
Others:

Agenda

- Status update
- Budget update
- Purchase of pumps

Status Update

Steve said it was the hardest start-up ever. Problems included: electrical, pumps, valve boxes (2), broken pipes, 90 degree elbows, and 68 boxes were frozen.

Steve said next winter he could try putting the tanks on timers so they cycle all winter, to keep them from freezing.

There was consensus on pumping tank in cribs and those on ledge down to 1/3. They will still freeze, but that portion will be below the pipework, so it won't snap the 90 degree elbows. There was also consensus on raising the pumps out of the water.

Steve said he's about to begin pressure testing on the Main Point.

Chris again suggested charging leaseholders a flat fee of \$500 for winter construction, plus an additional amount if there's a problem.

Chris (or Steve) said an "as built" is needed for Briggs and Matson projects.

There was agreement on the \$500 fee, though Miles had left, so Tom suggesting checking with Miles. It will be collected when they apply for a building permit.

Steve suggested looking at the Matson permit for conditions.

The next meeting will be in July or August.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Dean Bloch