

Minutes of the Operator Certification Advisory Council June 21, 2018

The Advisory Council met on Thursday, June 21, 2018. Members attending were: Terry Meister, member and chairman; Verna Arnette, member; William Bowers, member; Mark Verbsky, member; Tom Jedlinsky, member; James Gellner, member; Marco Deshaies, member; Tracey Phelps, member;. Ohio EPA staff in attendance were Andy Barienbrock, Tanushree Courlas, Marissa Ganzfried and Kevin Jarrell. New council member, CarrieAnne Rosemark, observed.

The Class IV presentation began at 9:05 a.m. in Ohio EPA Conference Room A. Three operators attended the presentation, Marc Jones, Stanley Smith, and James Sprosty. All participants remained to review exemplary Class IV examinations after the presentation.

At 10:06 AM, the Advisory Council meeting was called to order in Ohio EPA Conference Room B.

After a review of the Council minutes for May 17, 2018 meeting, James Gellner made a motion to approve the minutes. Mark Verbsky seconded the motion. Motion Carried

1) Class IV, Examinations (In review)

Water

NAME, LOCATION	MV	WB	VA	TJ	MD	TP	JG	TM
Valerie A. Meyers City of Warren, 3 rd submittal	**	**s	**m	**				

** assigned to review x reviewed package
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Wastewater

NAME, LOCATION	MV	WB	VA	TJ	MD	TP	JG	TM
Robert D. Martin City of Oregon, 3 rd submittal					**	**s	**	**
Adam W. Rotondo City of Kent, 1 st submittal					**s	**	**	**
William J. Collins Lucas County, 1 st submittal					**	**	**s	**

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2) Class IV Actions

WATER

NAME	EMPLOYER	ACTION
Valerie A. Meyers	City of Warren	Recommend Passing

WASTEWATER

NAME	EMPLOYER	ACTION
Robert D. Martin	City of Oregon	Recommend Passing
Adam W. Rotondo	City of Kent	Recommend Return
William J. Collins	Lucas County	Recommend Return

James Gellner made a motion to recommend passing Valerie Meyers, passing Robert Martin, and returning Adam Rotondo and William Collins. William Bowers seconded the motion. Motion carried.

3) Extensions

Neuronsy (Ron) C. Adams, City of Lorain is requesting an extension to complete the first submittal of his Class IV Water Supply examination. His request was received on June 19, 2018. His Class IV first submittal is due on August 1, 2018. He has not requested an extension previously.

Mark Verbsky recommended granting Mr. Adams an extension until August 1, 2019 to submit the first submittal of his Class IV examination. Marco Deshaies seconded the motion. Motion carried.

4) Reciprocity

There were no reciprocity requests.

5) Certifications Issued

Sixty-seven Third Party Exam, Reciprocity and Operator-in-Training (OIT) applications were approved between May 17, 2018 and June 21, 2018. Certificates were issued to:

First Name	Middle	Last Name	Type	Class
Austin	L	Abbott	Water Supply	2
Joseph	W	Adamovich, Jr	Water Supply	2
Joseph	W	Adamovich, Jr	Wastewater Treatment	2
Lee	A	Argyle	Wastewater Treatment	1
Gage	H	Auger	Wastewater Collection	1
Dawn	L	Bennett	Water Supply	2
Don	W	Bieri	Water Supply	1
Andrea	E	Bortolotto	Wastewater Treatment	1
Cody	M	Bower	Water Supply	1
Megan	J	Bush	Wastewater Treatment	1
Brian	M	Carney	Wastewater Treatment	2
Derek	S	Cole	Wastewater Collection	2
Derek	S	Cole	Water Distribution	2
Kody	M	Crabb	Wastewater Treatment	A
Nathan	A	Cromer	Wastewater Treatment	2

Douglas	A	DeBiase	Water Distribution	2
Brent	J	Fisher	Water Supply	A
Jared	K	Fleming	Wastewater Collection	2
Jared	K	Fleming	Water Distribution	2
Rory	D	Freiermuth	Water Supply	A
Matthew	P	Gaugler	Water Supply	2
Anthony		Girardi	Water Suuply	1
Jon	M	Good	Waster Distribution	1
James	K	Havens	Wastewater Treatment	A
Kenneth	J	Hayslett	Wastewater Collection	1
Michael	S	Hershberger	Wastewater Treatment	1
Matthew	S	Hewitt	Water Supply	2
Gregory	L	Hoffman	Wastewater Treatment	1
Dustin	W	Huff	Water Distribution	1
Paul	J	Ice	Wastewater Treatment	1
Jacob		Isaacson	Water Supply	1
Jacob		Isaacson	Wastewater Treatment	1
Dylan	R	Jeffries	Water Supply	1
Harold	G	Joel	Wastewater Collection	2
Joachim	P	Kiesel	Wastewater Collection	1
Daniel	B	Knife	Wastewater Treatment	3
Lance	E	Livesay	Wastewater Treatment	1
Shane	M	Long	Water Supply	1
Daniel	N	Malz	Water Supply	3
Nicolas	J	Mayhew	Wastewater Treatment	2
Kyla	M	McKee	Water Supply	2
John		McMurray	Wastewater Treatment	1
Eric	W	Pierson	Wastewater Treatment	1
Bernard	E	Pilarczyk	Wastewater Collection	2
Kerry		Quinn	Water Supply	2
Matthew	S	Ridenour	Water Supply	1
Austin		Riggs	Water Distribution	1
Austin		Riggs	Wastewater Collection	1
Matthew	R	Romanowski	Wastewater Treatment	1
Vincent	A	Sferra	Water Supply	3
Raymond	T	Slaton	Wastewater Collection	1
Daniel	J	Sove	Wastewater Collection	1
Daniel	J	Sove	Water Distribution	1
Jacob	R	Steed	Wastewater Treatment	1
Kallin	D	Stewart	Water Supply	A
Richard	L	Stockton	Water Supply	2
Kenneth	W	Taylor	Wastewater Treatment	2
Elijah	D	Tague	Wastewater Treatment	1
Kevin	T	Teynor	Water Distribution	1
Ross		Tucker	Water Supply	1

Neftali		Velazquez	Water Supply	2
Larry	J	Vest	Water Supply	1
Kevin	W	Wakeley	Wastewater Treatment	A
Jacob	G	White	Water Supply	2
Robert	B	Wood	Water Supply	2
Michael		Zickefoose	Wastewater Treatment	A
Michael		Zickefoose	Water Supply	A

6) Other Business

Brent C. Smith met with Council at 10:20 a.m.

Between the May 17, 2018 and June 21, 2018 Council meetings, a Class IV application was approved for the following operator: Keith Bovard, WW.

According Ohio EPA's records, ABC gave 144 Ohio Water and Wastewater exams in May 2018.

At 11:25 AM, Tracey Phelps made a motion to move into executive session to discuss the investigation of charges or complaints against licensees or regulated individuals. James Gellner seconded the motion. Motion carried.

At 11:46 AM, Tom Jedlinsky made a motion to move out of executive session. William Bowers seconded the motion. Motion carried.

At 12:00 PM, Mark Verbsky made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Marco Deshaies seconded the motion. Motion carried.

The next Council meeting will be held in Ohio EPA Conference Room B on Thursday, July 19, 2018.

Council Approved: July 19, 2018