

Minutes of the Operator Certification Advisory Council

June 14, 2012

Present for the meeting on Thursday, June 14, 2012, were: Richard Reed, member and Vice-Chair; Terry Meister, member; Mike Gallaway, member; Dan Cloyd, member; Verna Arnette, member; Andrew Barienbrock, Certification Unit; Susan Parkins, Certification Unit.

The meeting was called to order at approximately 9:00 a.m. in EPA Conference Room A for a Class IV Presentation. Twelve operators attended the presentation and all remained to review Class IV examinations. The presentation and follow up questions ended at approximately 10:15 a.m.

At approximately 10:20 a.m. Council met with Adam McDowell regarding his first Class IV submittal which had been reviewed by Council in May of 2012. Following the meeting, Mr. McDowell reviewed Class IV examinations.

Mike Gallaway made a motion, seconded by Terry Meister, recommending the May 17, 2012 minutes be approved as amended. Motion carried.

1) Class IV, Examinations (In review)

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NAME, LOCATION	DC	BD	VA	VC	MG	TP	RR	TM
Sam Jacob, City of Elyria, 3 rd submittal	**	**	**	** s				
Tim Neyer, Clermont County,	**	** s	**	**				
Scott Sheppard, City of Marysville 3 rd (final) submittal, 4 copies	**	** mail	** s mail	** mail				
Anthony P Vigorito, Mahoning Valley 3 rd (final) submittal, 4 copies	** s	** mail	** mail	** mail				
Shawn Wagner, City of Newark 2 nd submittal, 4 copies	**	**s mail	** mail	** mail				
Christopher G. Clark, City of Sidney 1 st submittal, 4 copies	**	** mail	** mail	**s mail				
Scott Ballenger, American Water 1 st submittal, 4 copies	**	** mail	**s mail	** mail				

**** Denotes who currently has package. "X" Denotes who has reviewed package
s Denotes who is preparing summary.**

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Thomas H. Gault, Jr. Montgomery Co. 3 rd (final) submittal, 4 copies					**	** mail	**	** s
Ralph M. Fast, City of Washington CH 2 nd submittal, 4 copies					**	** mail	** s	**
David L. Beach, City of Findlay 1 st submittal, 4 copies					** s	** mail	**	**
Roger Baldinger, City of Marion 1 st submittal, 4 copies					**	** s mail	**	**

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2) Class IV Actions

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NAME	EMPLOYER	ACTION
Andrew S. Belcher	City of Middletown	Return for additional information
Matthew R. Hampton	City of Archbold	Return for additional information
Timothy Neyer	Clermont County	Table until July, 2012
Samuel W. Jacob, Jr.	City of Elyria	Table until July, 2012

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NAME	EMPLOYER	ACTION
Lalit Gupta	City of Dayton	Recommend pass
Gary Marshall	City of Dayton	Return for additional information
Jeffrey D. Zimmerman	City of Salem	Recommend pass
Corey Whitney	Montgomery County	Withdrawn

Terry Meister made a motion seconded by Mike Gallaway recommending passing the examinations of Lalit Gupta and Jeffrey D. Zimmerman, tabling the examinations of Timothy Neyer and Samuel W. Jacob, Jr. until the July 19, 2012 meeting and recommending the return of Andrew Belcher, Matthew Hampton and Gary Marshall's examinations for additional information. Motion carried.

Corey Whitney withdrew his Class IV examination.

3) OITs

NAME	EXAM	LOCATION	ACTION
Boyd, Robert J	WS 1	Village of Blanchester	Recommend Approval
Carter, John C.	WS 2	City of Columbus	Recommend Approval
Carter, Diana L.	WW A	Carter's Market	Recommend Approval
Coe, Craig A.	WC 2	City of Bowling Green	Recommend Approval
Cox, Christopher	WW A	O'Brien & Gere	Recommend Approval
Dennis, Matthew R.	WD 1	NW Water & Sewer	Recommend Approval
Durant, Matthew W.	WW 1	Village of Roseville	Recommend Approval
Fitzpatrick, Alan	WC 2	City of Marysville	Recommend Approval
Fletcher, Clifton J.	WW 1	City of Solon	Recommend Approval
Giles, Virgil W.	WW 1	Village of Greenwich	Recommend Approval
Grandinette, Paul	WS 2	Wright State University	Pending receipt of originals
Groeschel, John B.	WS 2	City of Springfield	Recommend Approval
King, James C.	WW 1	City of Jackson	Recommend Approval
Light, Jeremiah J.	WD 2	City of Westerville	Recommend Approval
McAuley, Eric P.	WW 2	Village of Fredericktown	Recommend Approval
Morgan Steve E.	WW 1	Village of Farmersville	Recommend Approval
Nicholas, Kenneth A.	WD 2	City of Stow	Recommend Approval
Pressler, Joseph T.	WW 2	City of Fairfield	Pending receipt of originals and after 07/06/2012
Ray, Julie A.	WW 1	City of Lorain	Recommend Approval
Roller, Diane K.	WS 1	Village of West Jefferson	Recommend Approval
Scanes, David M.	WW 1	Lucas County	Recommend Approval
Scott, Charles L.	WW 1	City of Wooster	Recommend Approval
Shonkwiler, Mark J.	WS 2	Scioto County	Recommend Approval
Smith, Jodi A.	WD 2	City of Stow	Recommend Approval
Sutern, Edward Thomas	WW 2	NEORSD	Recommend Approval
Vint, Erik	WW 1	Ohio Valley Electric	Recommend Approval
Veres, John S.	WW 2	Ormet Primary Aluminum	Recommend Approval
Walker, Mark A.	WS 1	Village of McArthur	Recommend Approval

Mike Gallaway made a motion, seconded by Verna Arnette, recommending the certification of Paul Grandinette be held until original documents are received, the certification of Joseph Pressler be held until after July 6, 2012 and originals are received, whichever is later, and the other listed certifications be recommended for approval. Motion carried.

5) Extension

Terry Meister made a motion seconded by Dan Cloyd recommending a one year extension until June 15, 2013 for Jeffrey Bertacci of the City of Columbus to submit his Wastewater Treatment Class IV examination. Motion carried.

6) Other Business

Andrew Barienbrock provided Council with information regarding program updates.

At approximately 1:40 p.m. Council met with Curtis Truss, Rebecca Fugitt, Douglas Mayo and Erin Moore from Operator Training Committee of Ohio.

There were no Class IV applications approved between the May 17 and June 14, 2012 Council meetings.

7) Adjournment

There being no further business to come before the Council, Mike Gallaway made a motion, the meeting be adjourned at approximately 2:38 p.m. Dan Cloyd seconded the motion. Motion carried.

The next meeting will be held at 9:00 a.m. Thursday July 19, 2012 in Ohio EPA Conference room B (6th floor).

Council Approved: _____