

**Permanent Sewer Commission
FY 2018 Q1 Report**

The Commission did not meeting in July and August as has been customary in recent years. Members continue to review the activities of the plant staff including Woodard & Curran the contract operator.

Work has begun utilizing the completed Fiscal Sustainability/Asset Management Plan (FSP) to prioritize the capital improvements needed over the next ten years. The installation and use of the Godwin auxiliary pump to be used for influent, effluent or bypass flow as needed is scheduled for 2018.

Invoices were mailed reflecting the April Commission approved rate of \$12.00 per 100 cubic feet of wastewater discharge to maintain the current operations. No additional information has been received regarding Hull's federal court Hull's case with the insurance company to get reimbursement from the flood damage in 2013.

Meetings have continued with representatives from Cohasset and Scituate to discuss regional wastewater management. Hingham officials will continue to monitor progress but are currently no longer interested in participating. The next phase is to finalize the scope of a feasibility study funded equally by the three communities to be conducted by Woodward & Curran later this year.

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