

MINUTES

MAINE WATER WELL COMMISSION

Friday, January 26, 2024

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Emergency Meeting – via Zoom

### ATTENDEES:

#### Commission Members:

Dwight Doughty, (Chair)  
Hydrogeologist, DOT  
Alex Pugh,  
Hydrogeologist, DWP

Jessica Meeks  
Hydrogeologist, MGS  
Jesse Goodwin  
Master Well Driller

Mike Otley  
Public Member  
Frank Hegarty  
Master Well Driller

#### Guests:

Margaret Machaiek  
AAG

Tammy Steuber  
DHHS, Legal Coordinator

#### Minutes Prepared By:

Tina Lemieux, Commission Clerk, DWP

### PROCEEDINGS: 8:00 am

“I move that we enter executive session for the purpose of consulting with the Commission’s attorney concerning settlement of contemplated litigation and the legal rights and duties of the Commission with respect to the Hinton/Affordable complaint pursuant to Title 1, section 405, subsection 6, paragraph E.”

**MOTION:** Alex Pugh    **2<sup>nd</sup>:** Mike Otley    **Vote:** Unanimous

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08:05:00 – Entered: *Executive Session (not recorded)*

09:43:00 – Exited: *Executive Session (recording resumed)*

#### Discussion: Alex Pugh

- Jamie Bisson had well drilled by someone else
- Too close to septic system
- Placed before current guidance of distances between structures
- Proposed after-the-fact SWA

- Proposal discussed and then dismissed by Commission

Motion to adjourn.

**MOTION:** Mike Otley    **2<sup>nd</sup>:** Frank Hegarty    **Vote:** Unanimous

ADJOURNMENT:

TIME: 10:00 AM