FINAL MEETING MINUTES QCBFD Public Works Committee June 8,2024, 8:30 AM Quonochontaug Grange Lower Level 5662 Post Road Charlestown, Rhode Island

Present: Bob Frazier, Vin Bailey, Tom Frost, Bill Meyer, Jim Montstream, Steve Peet, George Prior

Also attending: Roy Jacobsen

- 1. Minutes of May18, 2024 meeting unanimously approved.
- 2. A motion was made to request that the BOG allow for email blasts from the PWC chairman when there was evidence of a significant leak in the distribution system without waiting for either the moderator's approval or the Wednesday weekly emailing. This motion on eblasts was seconded and passed.
- 3. Update on the water pump house upgrade project: The contract is being updated to reflect the change in the door required for the 500-year flood rule; The builder is looking at a rider to cover the costs to meet BABAA requirements if the EPA grant is approved. The builder also needs reimbursement for funds paid to post the building bond; the builder is identifying the long lead items that will be ordered asap; we expect the project to start shortly after labor day
- 4. Action related to repairs of the water distribution system: We will be looking to close two main valves to isolate Bayview to allow for a blow off there; After that we can look at exercising the other shut off valves in the rest of the system
- 5. Update on closure of the CRMC wetlands issue: We are still waiting for CRMC final approval and sign off
- 6. Speed bump painting to be scheduled before July 4

Next meeting is July 13th, 2024 at 8:30 AM at the Grange Lower Level.

Respectfully submitted: Bob Frazier