

Minutes of the Operator Certification Advisory Council August 20, 2009

Present for the meeting on Thursday, August 20, 2009 were: Richard Lorenz, member and vice chair; Vui Chung, member; Beth Darnell, member; Dave Bornino, member; Richard Reed, member; Terry Meister, member; Jim Simpson, member; Andrew Barienbrock, Certification Unit; Jessica Dingman, Certification Unit; Susan Parkins, Certification Unit. Chris Clark joined the Council via conference call.

The meeting was called to order at approximately 8:35 a.m.

Richard Reed made a motion seconded by Jim Simpson that the July 16, 2009 minutes be approved as corrected. Motion carried.

1) Class IV, Examinations (In review)

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NAME, LOCATION	DB	BD	RL	VC	JS	CC	RR	TM
Larry F. Broughton, Sr., City of Sidney 2 nd submittal, 4 copies	**	** s	**	**				

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"S" Denotes who is preparing summary.**

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Ken Rosenbaum, Delaware Co RSD 2nd submittal, 4 copies					**	** s mail	**	**
Paul Zeier, City of Columbus Original submittal, 4 copies					** s	mail	**	**
Jeff Zimmerman, City of Salem Original submittal, 4 copies					**	mail	** s	**

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2) Class IV Actions

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NAME	EMPLOYER	ACTION
Ronald T. Klima	City of Piqua	Return for additional information
Joseph F. Paris	Mahoning Valley	Return for additional information
Robert J. Ribar	City of Steubenville	Return for additional information

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Laura M. Adams	City of Zanesville	Return for additional information
Carline M. Curry	City of Mansfield	Recommend failure
Daniel C. Leavitt	City of London	Return for additional information

Richard Reed made a motion seconded by Vui Chung recommending examinations from Ronald Klima, Joseph Paris, Robert Ribar, Laura Adams, and Daniel Leavitt be returned for additional information and that the examination from Carline Curry failed to meet Class IV operator requirements. Motion carried. Chris Clark abstained from the vote.

3) OITs

NAME	EXAM	LOCATION	ACTION
Andrew Baranek	WS 1	City of Cuyahoga Falls	Recommend approval
Joel Cain	WC 2	City of Vandalia	Recommend approval
Carmen Campana	WS 1	City of Painesville	Recommend approval
David Cogar	WD 2	Village of Madison	Recommend approval
Brian Dawson	WC 2	City of Lakewood	Recommend approval
Robert Fitzgerald	WW 3	London Correctional	Recommend approval
James Graham	WW 1	City of Bowling Green	Recommend approval
Brad Hudson	WS 2	City of Urbana	Recommend approval after 8/22/2009
Trophy Iler	WC 1	City of Newark	Recommend approval
Shawn Kirkbride	WS 1	City of Cambridge	Recommend approval
Charles Mencke	WW 2	Medina Co. Sanitary Engineer	Recommend approval
Timothy Rawlins	WD 2	Highland County Water	Recommend approval
William Petranszky	WW 1	City of Willoughby	Recommend approval
Brian Walter	WD 1	Highland County Water	Recommend approval
Larry Wertzler	WS 1	Beach City Utilities	Recommend approval

Dave Bornino made a motion seconded by Vui Chung recommending Brad Hudson be issued his certification after August 22, 2009; and the remaining list be issued certificates. Motion carried.

4) Reciprocity

Kimberly D. Ciranko holds a Wastewater Class A certification from Florida. Florida is now using the ABC examination which corresponds to Ohio's Wastewater Treatment II examination. Ms. Ciranko has provided proof of employment in the State of Ohio. Scott S. Turner holds a Wastewater Class A certification from South Carolina. South Carolina uses the ABC examination which corresponds to Ohio's Wastewater Treatment II examination. Mr. Turner has provided proof of employment in the State of Ohio.

Chris Clark made a motion seconded by Terry Meister recommending Class II Wastewater Treatment certifications be issued to Kimberly D. Ciranko and Scott S. Turner. Motion carried.

5) Other Business

Kirk Leifheit has the Class IV guidance letter for Agency review. The finalized version should be available for Council review in September.

6) Class IV applications

Class IV applications for Neuronsy Adams, Jon Love, Jerome Corbett, WS and Jeremy Pijor and John Bella, WW were approved between the July and August 2009 Council meetings.

7) Adjournment

There being no further business to come before the Council, Chris Clark made a motion seconded by Beth Darnell, that the meeting be adjourned at approximately 10:21 a.m. on Thursday August 20, 2009. Motion carried.

The next meeting will be held at 8:30 a.m. Thursday, September 17, 2009 in Ohio EPA Conference room B (6th floor).

Council Approved: September 17, 2009