

Minutes of the Operator Certification Advisory Council February 27, 2014

Present for the Council meeting on Thursday, February 27, 2014, were: Richard Reed, member and co-chair; Terry Meister, member; Mike Gallaway, member; Andrew Barienbrock, Certification Unit; Susan Parkins, Certification Unit. Dan Cloyd, member arrived at 9:25 a.m.

The meeting was called to order at approximately 9:30 a.m. in Conference Room A of the Division of Drinking and Ground Waters.

Approval of the January 23, 2014 Council minutes was tabled until the March meeting because there was not a quorum of members who had attended the January meeting and were present for the February meeting.

1) Class IV, Examinations (In review)

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NAME, LOCATION	DC	BD	VA	TJ	MG	TP	RR	TM
Alonzo Waitman, City of Dayton 2 nd submittal, 4 copies	** s	** m	** m	** m				
Anthony Vigorito, Mahoning Valley 2 nd submittal, 4 copies	**	** m	** sm	** m				

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Mark Ciccone, City of Struthers 1 st submittal, 4 copies					**	**m	**	**s

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2) Class IV Actions

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NAME	EMPLOYER	ACTION
Adam McDowell	City of Defiance	Recommend passing

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NAME	EMPLOYER	ACTION
Kirk Fioresi	Cincinnati MSD	Recommend failing

3) Operator-in-Training

Operator-in-Training (OIT) applications approved between the January 23, 2013 and February 27, 2014 Council meetings were: Steve Brixie (WS1); Mark A. Brown (WS2); Matthew W. Brown (WW 2); Elizabeth M. Buening (WSA); Michael Corona (WW2); Scott Cromes (WD2); Robert Skipp DeLeve (WS2); Tiffani Dutridge (WW2); Dennis Edmiston (WD1); Seth Epley (WS1); Tiffany Frazier (WW2); Charles Freeman (WWA); Zachary

Gahm (WS1); David R. Good, (WD1); Tal Jernigan (WS1); Michael McCoy (WS1); Mario Montagna (WWA); Troy Orahood (WS1); Daniel Peterson (WD2); Jason Pritchard (WC1); Daniel Reichel (WS1); April Runnion (WWA); Shawn Reynolds (WS1); Schultz Wayne (WW2); Keith Stark (WS1); Raymond J. Sullinger (WD1); Brandon R. Trybend WW1); Gerald Uram (WS1); Andrew Uy (WS1); Michael Wenner (WW2); Glen Wooddell (WC1); Thomas Young (WW1).

4) Other Business

At 11:00 a.m. a phone conference call was established with Council member Thomas Jedlinsky. A quorum of Council members participated in the conference, Richard Reed, Mike Gallaway, Terry Meister, Dan Cloyd and Thomas Jedlinsky. During the conference call the following motions were made:

Mike Gallaway made a motion recommending the minutes of the December 19, 2013 minutes be approved as amended. Dan Cloyd seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Mike Gallaway made a motion recommending the Class IV examination of Adam McDowell be passed and the Class IV examination of Kirk Fioresi be failed,. Terry Meister seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Mike Gallaway made a motion recommending Rick A Schaffer be granted a one year extension until February 28, 2015 to submit his Class IV examination. Terry Meister seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Mike Gallaway made a motion at 11:15 a.m. to adjourn the meeting. Dan Cloyd seconded the motion. Motion carried.

5) Other Business

Mike Gallaway discussed biological nutrient removal (BNR) and whether the Council needed to add clarification to the guidance document regarding discussions on BNR.

Class IV applications for William Stout, Thomas McVicker, Andrew McClure (Water Supply) and Robert Elmerick (Wastewater Treatment) were approved between the January 23, 2014 and February 27, 2014 Council meetings.

The next Council meeting will be held Thursday, March 20, 2014 in Ohio EPA Conference Room B. There will be a Class IV presentation in Conference Room A beginning promptly at 9:00 a.m.

Council Approved: March 20, 2014