

# Minutes of the Operator Certification Advisory Council

## October 21, 2010

Present for the meeting on Thursday, October 21, 2010 were: Vui Chung, member and Chair; Jim Simpson, member and Vice-Chair; Richard Reed, member; Beth Darnell, member; Terry Meister, member; Kim Riddell, member; Dave Bornino, member; Andrew Barienbrock, Certification Unit; Jessica Dingman, Certification Unit, Susan Parkins, Certification Unit (10:30 a.m.).

The meeting was called to order at approximately 9:15 a.m.

Richard Reed made a motion, seconded by Kim Riddell, recommending the September 16, 2010 minutes be approved. Motion carried.

### 1) Class IV, Examinations (In review)

#### WATER

| NAME, LOCATION   | DB   | BD   | VA | VC   | JS | KR | RR | TM |
|--|------|------|----|------|----|----|----|----|
| Christopher Colasanti, City of Lima<br>1 <sup>st</sup> submittal, 4 copies | ** s | **   | ** | **   |    |    |    |    |
| Karen L. Hawkins, City of Fairborn<br>1 <sup>st</sup> submittal, 4 copies  | ** s | **   | ** | **   |    |    |    |    |
| Todd E. Hone, City of Celina<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> submittal, 4 copies        | **   | **   | ** | ** s |    |    |    |    |
| James J. Miller, City of Lorain<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> submittal, 4 copies     | **   | ** s | ** | **   |    |    |    |    |
| Shawn Wagner, City of Newark, 1 <sup>st</sup><br>submittal, 4 copies       | **   | ** s | ** | **   |    |    |    |    |

**\*\* Denotes who currently has package. "X" Denotes who has reviewed package  
s Denotes who is preparing summary.**

#### WASTEWATER

| NAME, LOCATION   | DB | BD | VA | VC | JS   | KR | RR   | TM |
|--|----|----|----|----|------|----|------|----|
| John R. Bella, City of Bowling Green<br>3rd submittal, 4 copies          |    |    |    |    | **   | ** | ** s | ** |
| Jeffrey A. Hall, City of Columbus<br>1 <sup>st</sup> submittal, 4 copies |    |    |    |    | ** s | ** | **   | ** |

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## 2) Class IV Actions

### WATER

| NAME             | EMPLOYER         | ACTION                            |
|------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Thomas P. Hinson | City of Delaware | Return for additional information |

### WASTEWATER

| NAME                 | EMPLOYER               | ACTION                            |
|----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Patrick L. Antonelli | Formerly City of Dover | Return for additional information |

Dave Bornino made a motion, seconded by Beth Darnell, recommending the examination of Thomas Hinson be returned for additional information; recommending Patrick Antonelli be invited to meet with Council; and Larry Colby be sent a letter requesting he review completed Class IV exams or withdraw his application. Motion carried.

## 3) OITs

| NAME                     | EXAM | LOCATION                                    | ACTION                                 |
|--------------------------|------|---|--|
| Abraham, Thomas          | WD 1 | Village of Holmesville & Middlefield Cheese | Recommend approval                     |
| Ayres, Kristin D.        | WS 1 | City of Toledo                              | Recommend approval                     |
| Bradford, Scott A.       | WS 1 | London Correctional                         | Recommend approval                     |
| Brooks, Matt J.          | WS 2 | Village of Monroeville                      | Recommend approval                     |
| Coy, Steven M.           | WW 2 | City of Sidney                              | Recommend approval                     |
| Daniels, James R.        | WW 2 | Village of Fredericktown                    | Recommend approval                     |
| Eisenhauer, Brad         | WS 2 | Ottawa County                               | Pending receipt of original signed job |
| Geisting, Christopher M. | WS 1 | Greater Cincinnati Water Works              | Recommend approval                     |
| Hall Jr., Randie B.      | WS 1 | City of Urbana                              | Recommend approval                     |
| Hoffman, Luke A.         | WW 2 | City of Crestline                           | Recommend approval                     |
| Jimenez, Michelle        | WSA  | Nimisila Properties                         | Recommend approval                     |
| Lalli, Salvatore F.      | WS 1 | Dublin Pump & Water                         | Recommend approval                     |
| Lloyd, Eric              | WW 3 | City of Van Wert                            | Recommend approval                     |
| Markiewicz, Zachary M    | WW 1 | City of Solon                               | Pending receipt of originals           |
| Mead, Thomas M.          | WW 1 | London Correctional                         | Recommend approval                     |
| Miller, Bradley A.       | WS 1 | Maysville Regional Water                    | Recommend approval                     |
| Napier, Brian E.         | WS 1 | City of Middletown                          | After 10/26/2010                       |
| Phillips, Carl B.        | WW A | Damascus UMC                                | Recommend approval                     |
| Sinex, Craig C           | WD 1 | Village of Chagrin Falls                    | Recommend approval                     |
| Thomas Sr, Michael D.    | WW 1 | Marathon Oil Co.                            | Recommend approval                     |

|                    |      |                       |                    |
|--------------------|------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Verzella, Mark R.  | WW 1 | Ashtabula County      | Recommend approval |
| Woodall, Joseph M. | WS 1 | Village of Middleport | Recommend approval |
| Yoder, Eric K.     | WSA  | ProVia Door           | Recommend approval |

Terry Meister made a motion, seconded by Kim Riddell, recommending Brian Napier's WS 1 certification be issued after October 26, 2010; Brad Eisenhower's WS 2 certification be issued upon receipt of original signatures and the additional listed operators be recommended for approval. Motion carried.

#### **4) Extensions**

Todd Carle, Village of Salem, requested an extension to submit his Wastewater Treatment Class IV examination. His examination was due October 30, 2010.

Mark A. Jones, Lorain, Ohio, requested an extension to submit his Wastewater Treatment Class IV examination due to computerizing records and additional duties. His examination was due originally December 1, 2009. In August, 2009 he was granted an extension until December 1, 2010.

Jeffrey Zimmerman, Salem Utilities, requested an extension to submit his Wastewater Treatment Class IV examination due to computerizing records and additional duties. He submitted his original examination document August 20, 2009. Comments were sent to him September 23, 2009 with a January 11, 2010 deadline for revisions. On October 29, 2009 Mr. Zimmerman requested a three month extension from the January 11, 2010 deadline and was granted an extension until January 11, 2011.

Kim Riddell made a motion, seconded by Beth Darnell, to allow Todd Carle an extension until October 30, 2011 and reject the second extension requests of Mark Jones and Jeffrey Zimmerman. Motion carried.

#### **5) Other Business**

The relevancy of a course titled Watershed Partnerships Provide Many Benefits was discussed. Richard Reed made a motion seconded by Dave Bornino approving the relevance of the course with a designation of "Other", X. Motion carried

A list of proposed meeting dates for 2011 was distributed. Council was asked to review dates and bring back suggestions to be finalized at the November meeting.

Council discussed holding a 1 hour training seminar from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. December 16, 2010, just prior to Council meeting, for operators who have been approved for the Class IV examinations. Invitations will be extended to operators recently approved to take the Class IV exam

Volunteers for proctoring the upcoming wastewater and water exams November 3 and 4, 2010 were requested.

Class IV applications for David L. Pigg (WW), Gary D. Marshall (WW), Robert D. Martin (WW), and Chad Johnson (WS) were approved between the September and October, 2010 Council meetings.

**6) Adjournment**

There being no further business to come before the Council, Jim Simpson made a motion seconded by Beth Darnell, that the meeting be adjourned at approximately 11:34 a.m. Motion carried.

The next meeting will be held at 9:00 a.m. Thursday November 18, 2010 in Ohio EPA Conference room B (6<sup>th</sup> floor).

**Council Approved: November 18, 2010**