

## **General Managers Report**

We are coming to an end for the summer season, but projects continue to move forward. Punch list items continue for the Savannah Rd Sewer Extension project and Pilottown Rd water/sewer project. Concrete collars for valves and manholes on Pilottown Rd will be done after Labor Day. Kimberly Bellere took the lead to finish up the 21/22 Audit which will be presented today.

## **Meetings Attended/Significant Events**

- Attended City Council meeting in August.
- Attended Savannah Rd Sewer Extension progress meeting.
- Attended progress meeting for Lewes Waterfront Preserve.
- Attended monthly DEMEC meeting and Board Retreat.
- Had conversations with GHD regarding the Long-Range Plan study.
- Had meeting with the City, GMB and DSMHP HOA regarding the water/sewer project.
- Met with DSMHP management to discuss electric delineation.
- Tom Panetta, Robin Davis and I met with the DRBA.
- Met with Kim B. regularly to review budget vs. actual financials.
- Tom, myself, Ann Marie and Andrew Williams met for our monthly meeting. (Schley Ave Master Plan)
- Followed back up with Angel Aguilar, Director of Facilities at Beebe, regarding the PowerPoint I provided him for educational purposes (Wastewater) to Beebe Staff. They provided their campaign of partnership related to the outreach which is included in the report. Meeting scheduled for 9/9 to discuss continuing partnership.
- Held 2nd mitigation committee meeting.
- Sharon has setup "call to order" from NISC and we are running a PILOT project with the Finance Committee.
- Continued to meet with A.C. Schultes to discuss options for well #3 redevelopment.
- Met with Mike Hogan, Kimberly Bellere and Richard Nichols to discuss financial documents.
- Energy Stakeholders group (big push for expanding DER within our communities)
  - Currently DEMEC has coordinated AMI with Seaford, Milford, Middletown and New Castle. Smyrna and Newark have AMI through projects outside of DEMEC.

Josh- IT Report

Sharon- Lewes Lights, Public Power Week, Etc.



## Board Calendar 2022-2023

## Agenda Items for consideration

2022

September- Hydrant Flushing insert

October- Hydrant Flushing, Household Hazardous Waste and Second Quarter Financial Review

November/December- Fire Department Donation

2023

January- Budget Discussions

February- O+M and Capital budget presentation

March- Strategic Planning review/new goals, approval of O&M and Capital Budget, Financial Review

April- Possible Rate Changes and Hydrant Flushing

May- Election and Cash Reserve Review

June- Project Review, APPA National Conference

July- Audit Presentation, First Quarter Financial Review

August- Audit Acceptance