

Mountain Lakes District Water Committee Report for January 2017

This report covers the activities during January and the monthly meeting of February 2nd.

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Mountain Lakes District Water Committee Meeting of 2/2/17

Meeting was held from 8:08 AM to 9:07 AM. Attendees: Bob Long, Don Drew, Ken King, Ed Rajsteter, Robert Roudebush, and Peter Olander

Water System Update:

Don used some of the equipment on loan to us to locate the source of the leak on Swiftwater Circle. He had the area dug up. They found a lot of water in that area within the soil but not the location of the actual leak. This effort will be on hold until the Spring.

The state has notified us that we have been selected to participate in their Leak Detection Program. They will send out professionals that will survey a number of areas for possible leaks. This is currently scheduled for September.

There were two incident reports. On White Mountain Drive a hose had been left on the ground. It froze and burst. On Newport Drive a leak was found in a home that is for sale.

Don has been painting inside the pump house and Scott Eastman has been checking the wiring and replacing or adding new wiring as needed.

Water Meters:

We will be adding 5 meters to the distribution system. This will help us identify an area that may contain a leak. We will also be putting home meters in about 10 locations. This will give us a better idea about the meters. If it looks like we can make a metered system work then next year we would update the Water Tariff.

Master Plan Update:

Ken submitted a draft of the Water Committee part of the Master Plan. There is now a revised version that will be discussed at the next Master Plan meeting.

Conolle property/spillway:

Conolle needs to submit a revised Subdivision Plan before the sale of the lot can be approved by the Haverhill Planning Board.

Lower Dam Project:

Final payments have been made to both Dubois & King and CCS. Don will continue to monitor the system.

Nobis Engineering – Water Sourcing

There is no update on the MtBE site of plans for any work this spring.

Other Issues: The district did purchase a new truck.