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To: Honorable Michael S. Cashman
Members of the Town Board

From: Water & Wastewater Department

RE: Water & Wastewater October Report

- Collected all required monthly samples, and also collected the first round of PFOA/PFOS & 1,4 Dioxane at GPWTP for Wells 1,6, and 7.
- Meters read, and inventoried. Skip reports completed.
- Operation Reports to CCDH.
- Reviews of the monthly Planning Board Meeting regarding upcoming projects.
- 246 daily job orders. 180 locates for DSNY including 8 Emergency.
- One W/WW Operator took online training.
- There were 3 after hours call outs. One was for a barn fire on the Moffit road to monitor the system. The second was for a structure fire in Beekmantown for more monitoring. The third was low pressure on Cumberland Head.
- Assisted B&G with the Vac-All setting a light pole.
- Worked with the security company installing heat and smoke sensors at GPWTP.
- Placed the recently painted storage tank Kimberly 3 in service.
- Repairs to the 2" by-pass prv on Florida Street.
- There were two water main breaks on the same day. The first was at the intersection of NYS Route 9N and Latour Ave. There was a 3" diameter hole in the pipe that was repaired. The second was on Pinebrook drive, this time there was a 130" section of plastic main that had a spiral fracture that had to be replaced. In both cases Boil Water Orders were issued, consecutive samples were collected and the orders were lifted. The Highway Department made asphalt restorations within two days of the repairs.
- Relocated curb stop on Melody Lane.
- Trouble shooting at Cadyville Booster Station on the Jockey Pumps. We were unable to resolve and have obtained help from Control Technologies out of Vermont who had originally installed these controls when the project began.
- 5 Operators completed their annual Asbestos physicals and received chest x-rays for Asbestos exposure.
- One Operator attended via Zoom, Harassment Prevention Training (makeup)

- There was a water main break in Beekmantown. Repairs were made in a timely fashion and there was no implementation of a Boil Water Order.
- Assisted the Highway Department with asphalt restoration on Military Turnpike for a previous water main break.
- Pull and clean pump at CWWTP.
- Repaired shut offs; Cooper Drive, Michael Ave, Wild Goose Lane, and 2 on Route 3.
- Serviced the generator at the town hall.
- Replaced the Cl₂ chemical injection line at GPWTP.
- Witness pressure testing and sampling of new line installations at Della Drive and on Industrial Blvd.
- Two operators attended the 4 day Activated Sludge Training in Morrisville NY.
- Replaced an existing residential service line on NYS Route 9 in Bluff Point to meet town standards.
- Installed new thermostat at GPWTP.
- Cleaned digester at CWWTP.
- Exploratory excavation for a low pressure service line on Pristine Drive.
- Restorations for previous projects.
- Multi departmental vehicle and equipment maintenance and repairs.
- Prepared annual relevy.
- Launched online payment portal.