



**Minutes of
July 11, 2007 Meeting
Littleton/Englewood WWTP**

In Attendance:

Mary Gardner	L/E WWTP
Sharon Davis	Metro Water Reclamation District
Claudia Cummins	Aurora Water
Ginny Johnson	Colorado Springs Utilities
Andrew Ross	WQCD
Dave Meyer	Westminster
Dennis Schump	Greeley
Nancy Keller	Pueblo
Sara Reeve	Brown & Caldwell
Tim Grotheer	PCWA
Jill Piatt Kemper	Aurora
Richard Leger	Aurora Water
Tim Woodard	Westminster
Kenan Diker	WQCD
Chris Laroe	Bear Creek W&S District
Paul Grundemann	Centennial Water
Bret Linenfelser	City of Boulder
Greg Farmer	Littleton/Englewood
Dennis Stowe	Littleton/Englewood
Blair Corning	SACWSD
Paul Ferraro	Ferraro Associates, Inc.

I. Automated Process Control, Greg Farmer (L/E)

Greg gave the members a PowerPoint presentation on Littleton/Englewood's Automated Process Control System. Click [here](#) to see his presentation.

II. CWQCD Policies Under Review, Andrew Ross (CWQCD)

Andrew Ross gave the following presentation and comments:

1. Mixing Zone Guidance Policy - only one word needed to be changed (“can” to “will” on pathogens).
2. Assimilative Capacity Guidance Policy - draft to go out soon.
3. Temperature Implementation Guidance Policy - draft being worked on.
 - Copies to Nancy for review when policies ready.

- Final adoption by end of year.
4. Antidegradation Policy – need to adjust policy. WWUC suggested a work group or adequate time to review any changes.
- Compliance Schedule can go beyond the 5 years of a permit.
- All policies to be updated within a year.
- Delegation Package to go to the legislature in 2009 to include Pretreatment/Biosolids. Septage is a problem.

III. Nominating Committee

Claudia, Sharon and Amy agreed to served on the committee. The slate will be presented at the August meeting.

IV. Updates

- **Nutrients** - Paul G. gave the following comments: Chatfield Basin Authority and Bear Creek Basin Authority went before the Commission on July 9, 2007, for triennial review. The commission moved to have a Rulemaking Hearing in November 2008 for Chatfield Reservoir and in May 2009 for Bear Creekk to implement nutrient standards. Paul G. will rewrite the letter to Steve Gunderson regarding nutrients. The Council has a lot of concerns regarding nutrients, i.e., State establishing criteria.
- **RMWEA/AWWA Conference** - The Council is to have space on a table.
- **RMWEA Biosolids Committee** - Comments on the draft policy are due by July 15, 2007.
- **CWUC Report** - They did not meet in July. Paul G. received the contract from CWUC regarding helping with the Mentoring Program.
- **Council's Annual Meeting** - The Annual Meeting will be held at 7 AM on September 11, 2007 at Keystone.

V. Open Discussion

- General information from the July 10, 2007 meeting:
 - General MINDI Permits for industrial activities: Several categories were discussed:
 - Hydrostatic testing of pipelines, tanks and similar vessels
 - Non-contact cooling
 - Subterranean dewatering or well development
 - Root crop washing
 - Swimming pools
 - BMP - based
 - Underground utility vault dewatering
 - Washing of stadium bleachers

- Other MINDI discharges
 - Mary mentioned that the Council has purchased a digital camera for Council use.
 - Regulation No. 61 changes:
 - change potentially dissolved metal standards to total recoverable as requested by EPA.
 - determine whether the limits for ammonia and other “toxics” should be applied in NPDES permits as “Daily Max” or “Weekly Max”.
- Email comments to Mary by July 16, 2007. Next meeting to be held on Tuesday, July 17th.
- The Council is to meet with Steve Gunderson to discuss the issues of concern to the Council at the November meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 3:40 P.M.

Next Meeting: August 8, 2007 @ 1 PM at L/E WWTP