

Salford Township Sewer/Water Advisory Board
Meeting Minutes
March 23rd, 2009

In attendance:

Barb Lynch Tom Neff Cal Freed George Witmayer Curt Klingerman

Discussion regarding T-connector cost estimates from B&J Contractors, for residents along S. Allentown Rd. outside of the sewer district.

Discussion regarding Grinder Pumps: George Witmayer described how Franconia Township handled grinder pump cost to residents: pumps were purchased in bulk and made available to township residents. If a resident opted to purchase a pump other than the one provided by the township, they were given an allowance toward the pump purchase. Any additional cost would be borne by the homeowner. The pump selected by the homeowner must meet the minimum specs set by the township.

Recommendation (by unanimous vote) to address Salford Twp Grinder pump selection/cost process in the same manner. Recommendation to be carried forward to next BOS meeting (April 9th 2009).

Discussion regarding mandatory vs. non-mandatory hookup. Recommendation to be carried forward to next BOS meeting: consideration be given to allowing homes with working septic systems to defer hookup to public sewer until either the home is sold, or failure of on-lot septic system. Note that "working systems" will need to be detailed by BOS.

Meeting adjourned: 5:45pm Motion by George Witmayer, second by Barb Lynch.