

Allegan County Water Study Workgroup

Meeting Minutes

Date of meeting Wednesday, January 18 2:00 pm

Member Name	Group	Attendance	Notes
Dean Kapenga	County Commission	Absent	Meeting conflict
Chad Kraai	Well Driller	Absent	
Brian Talsma	Conservation District	Zoom	
Doug Sweeris	Municipal Water Supply	In Person	
Erick Elgin	Academic	Absent	
Jay Drozd	Agriculture	Absent	
John "Ric" Curtis	Community	In Person	Vice Chair
John Shagonaby	Tribal	Absent	
Tom Kunetz	Community	In Person	Chair
Zachary Curtis	Consultant	Zoom	

Guests and staff: In Person: Randy Rapp, Jill Dunham
 Zoom: Scott Jones and Jaclyn Hulst

Next meeting: Wednesday, February 15, 2023

I. Approval of Agenda

- A. Agenda approved

II. Action Items from previous meeting

- A. Erick Elgin offered to provide a list of water conservation groups around the state. Erick will send by Jan 13. **Not Received**
- B. Tom will send additional questions to Lauren for her response. **DONE**
- C. Tom and Jill will work with Valdis to incorporate the Scope of Work into the full RFP. **In Process**

III. Discussion

- A. Phase 2 Groundwater Study update (Z. Curtis)
 - 1. Zach reviewed the attached presentation.
 - a) Discussion about whether to add 40 year to modeling, not going to add for now.
 - b) Proceed with hydrogeological analysis

IV. Future Work Group meeting schedule (Kunetz)

NOTE: All future meetings of the Water Study Workgroup will be held in the County Services Building Board Room (where the Board of Commissioners meets).

Feb 1	Review Phase 2 study and review Risk Ranking	
Feb 15	Will discuss if meeting is needed at Feb 1 meeting.	
Mar 1	Review recommendations from Hydrosimulatics; Monitoring well locations	
Mar 15	Final comments to Hydrosimulatics on Phase 2	
Spring 2023	Review proposals for Water Supply Master Plan and Public Communication	
Summer 2023	Participate in information gathering sessions with the Water Supply Master Plan and the Public Communications RFP	

V. Action Items

- A. Erick Elgin - a list of water conservation groups around the state.
- B. Tom and Jill working on the RFP
- C. Zach – Research definition of LUST; size? What determined it was leaky?
- D. Randy – How did EGLE select the 7-9 sites that ACHD has to test out of 300+ contamination sites?
- E. Zach will provide shape file and excel list of the approx. 300 contamination sites.

Meeting adjourned 3:42 pm