

**Chairman Eugene “Gene” Neidermyer called the May 9, 2019 meeting of the Western Heights Water Authority** to order at 6:00 p.m. Present were Gene Neidermyer, Jim Leonard, Tony Gay and Bruce Martin. Also, present were Noah Zimmerman (Operator), Gary Martin (Engineer), William Cassidy (Solicitor), Tom Plitt (Township Supervisor).

Jim made a **motion to approve the April 11, 2019 minutes as presented.** Tony seconded the motion, and all voted yes.

Linda reported the 2018 Audit has been completed and hard copies will be available for the June 13, 2019 meeting. The Authority would like to review the audit before deciding if they would like a representative from Maher Duessel to attend a meeting to answer any questions.

Linda reported that we still have not received the second mandated third-party water test for safe drinking water for the property located at 817 West Main Street. The Authority directed Linda to send a letter stating that the owner of 817 West Main Street has fourteen (14) days to provide the result of a second third-party water test to WHWA. If the WHWA does not receive the test results, this matter will be handed over to the Earl Township Board of Supervisors, to proceed under the Second Class Township Code, requiring the property owner to connect to the public water system. The third-party testing that was previously provided to the WHWA indicated that the property’s water is not safe drinking water for human consumption.

Linda reported that the owner of 823 West Main Street, has not responded to the two (2) letters that have been sent. The Authority directed Linda to send a letter stating that the owner of 823 West Main Street has fourteen (14) days to provide the results of a third-party water test to WHWA. If the WHWA does not receive the test results, this matter will be handed over to the Earl Township Board of Supervisors, to proceed under the Second Class Township Code, requiring the property owner to connect to the public water system.

Solicitor Cassidy reported that the Earl Township Board of Supervisors at their meeting May 6, 2019 adopted an Ordinance requiring that a property owner connect with and use the public water system if : 1) the property owner’s principal building is located within 150 feet of the public water system or any part or extension of the system and 2) the property owner’s principal building has no supply of water which is safe for human consumption.

The delinquent accounts were reviewed in the amount of \$ 2,824.08

The receipts for April were reviewed in the amount of \$ 22,697.29

Bruce made a **motion to approve the disbursements of checks #4194 - #4203 in the amount of \$5,363.22.** Tony seconded the motion, and all voted yes.

Meeting adjourned at 6:18 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Linda Marburger, Appointed Secretary/Treasurer