WAYLAND WELLHEAD PROTECTION COMMITTEE

MEETING MINUTES (#82, by S. Greenbaum)

December 16, 2010

Attendance: Sherre Greenbaum, Jennifer Riley, Tom Sciacca, Kurt Tramposch,

Location: Hearing Room #2, 41 Cochituate Rd., Wayland, MA

Meeting convened at 9:10 a.m.

Progress of **Wellhead Protection Plan** was discussed. S. Greenbaum will ask B. Young to resend drafts for Happy Hollow, Baldwin & Chamberlain with incorporated edits as well as Campbell before our next meeting. K. Tramposch will draft section on wellhead protection policy by meeting on January 5. Water quality reports & missing data were discussed in context of historical background for plan. S. Greenbaum will look into locating information. Section by T. Sciacca will address sand pit &/or pattern of increasing sodium & chloride. Discussion of **maps**. Doug DeNatale sent B. Young shape files as requested. K. Tramposch will ask Brian Monahan about name of open space at former Nike site, referred to in warrants as 'Nike Park Land,' as well as visit the site to see any signage.

Advisory was expected from DEP in November regarding **manganese levels**. K. Tramposch will contact NEWWA for update. Discussion as to existence of manganese at wells. Meadowview is used only in emergencies due to high levels.

Discussion of **water rate structure** as affected by Baldwin Treatment Facility & possible future plant at Happy Hollow. Wayland's water budget & cost for water is higher than Weston's on adjusted per capita basis once capital cost is accounted for. Tighe & Bond survey of towns' water rates looks only at one usage point in time which happens to be in Wayland's top tier. DPW should have consultant's report in February regarding desirability of continuing to charge lowest users higher fees for water.

L. Segal to meet again tomorrow with Diane Gorham who is assigned to set up our **webpage** by inputting data & activating links.

J. Riley to discuss **kids' educational program** with L. Segal. Contact will be made with Brian Jones, Wayland school dept, who's setting up 1st & 2nd grade afterschool program in the spring.

Next meeting is scheduled for Dec 22 with B. Young (who was unable to attend today) to work on draft for Campbell.

Adjournment: S. Greenbaum motion, J. Riley second, voted 4-0. Meeting adjourned at 11:20 a.m.

(minutes approved December 22, 2010)