

NJGWA General Membership Meeting

Town and Country Diner Bordentown NJ

5/16/17

Meeting called to order 7:03 pm with 39 people present

Welcome / Greeting

President Denis Crayon
Pledge of Allegiance / Prayer

Introductions

(Around room for all to introduce themselves)

Survey

Town and Country vs Mastori's

Thank you to Denis for Hors D' Oeuvres

Treasurers Report

T Hanley

Please See attached

Motion to accept

D Dillon

2nd B. McGuire

Secretary's report

D Dillon

In an effort to keep meeting moving, announced that all past meeting minutes are available for review online at the NJGWA Web Site and copies are on the welcome table
Motion Ken DiNicola , 2nd J Robbins

Holiday Party 2018

Joe Neri – Working on it

Legislative Report

Paul Bent delayed in traffic (Come back to later)

NJDEP Well Advisory Board

Meeting to be held 5/25/17

National Scene

NGWA Expo Nashville December 5-7, 2017 along with Irrigation Assoc. again
Discussion of meetings with Congressman Lance,
Future meetings with Senators Booker and Menendez
Possibly meet with Gubernatorial Candidate Murphy

Scholarship

Adam Rinbrand Memorial Scholarship
Applications due by Aug 2nd
3 scholarships given out for 2016 in the amount of \$1,000 each

Lobbyist

Lead testing is a major topic at the State
School Districts are looking for State reimbursement for testing costs

Discussion that new Regs are to be released very soon
Be ready to read and begin submitting comments
Paul to continue to watch all new legislation in Trenton
Will advise us to anything of interest

EPA Even with the "new cutbacks" as per President Trump
All actions over 50Million will be acted upon immediately

Legislature

State Budget Released
In comment phase

New Business

Collecting emails to add to connection to our Linked In page

NJGWA is on Facebook

Update on NJGWA Web site inquiries Denis and John to respond as appropriate

2017 Lifetime Member George Strycker

Any nominations for 2018 please contact President Denis

Newsletter

Thanks to Jeff Winkowski for his second Story

Volunteers for story content

Discussion with floor on what they would like to see in newsletter

Membership

Emails sent out to 200+ contractors, manufacturers, Suppliers, scientists and engineers to consider joining the Association.

Review of memberships and status to date for all to review. List passed around for review / comment

ELD Electronic Logging Devices

Managing Vehicle Mileage

Benefits vs Costs

NGWA says that rules on all trucks needing may get reversed

Stay tuned for legislative updates on this topic

Speaker

Paul Quirk Insurance- Do you have enough ???

Next Speaker is Dr. Lee Slater, Professor of Geophysics at Rutgers Newark 9/19/17

DINNER

Motion to Adjourn at 8:24 pm B. Mc Guire 2nd George Berry

Respectfully Submitted

Dermot Dillon Secretary NJGWA