

Delaware Board of Well Drillers Meeting Minutes of February 12, 2019

Mike Daisey called the meeting to order at 9:30 AM on February 12, 2019, in DNREC conference room B172. Members in attendance: Alan Pongratz, Mike Kelley, Ricardo Rios (acting for Melvyn Miller, in his absence), Eric Sackett, Mike Daisey, and Steve McCreary. Public in attendance: Andy Capelle and Mike Kfoury, from Allied Well Drilling. A motion was made by Eric Sackett, seconded by Mike Kelley, and carried with no opposition, to accept the January 8, 2019, minutes.

NEW BUSINESS:

- **The Board reviewed and discussed the following applications for new license with recommendations as follows:**
 - Michael Light, from Willey & Co., resubmitted an application for a general license. A motion was made by Mike Daisey and seconded by Eric Sackett to approve the application.
 - David Beardsley, from Innovative Environmental Technologies, submitted an application for a general license. A motion was made by Alan Pongratz and seconded by Steve McCreary to approve the application.

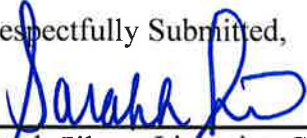
OTHER BUSINESS:

- **Fall Seminar** – The Board began discussion of possible speakers for the 2019 Annual Fall Seminar, which will be held on December 6, 2019 at the Modern Maturity Center in Dover, Delaware.
- **Violation Updates** –
 - **Allied Well Drilling** – The Board heard testimony from Andy Capelle and Mike Kfoury on behalf of Allied Well Drilling, concerning the issuance of two Notice of Violations from the Well Permitting Branch. The Notice of Violations were concerning the construction of geothermal closed loop systems without a well permit and without authorization to validate a well permit. The Board deliberated and made a motion recommending Allied Well Drilling's contractor license (license #5275) be suspended for six months. The motion passed unanimously with one abstention.

- **Water Well Licensing Board Meeting** – The next board meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 12, 2019, at 9:30am, in the DNREC Richards & Robbins Building Conference Room B172.
- **Water Well Licensing Board Exam** – The next licensing exam is scheduled for Thursday, February 28, 2019, at 2:00pm, in the DNREC Richards & Robbins Building Auditorium.

Eric Sackett made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Mike Daisey and carried with no opposition. The meeting adjourned at 11:49 AM.


Respectfully Submitted,



Sarah Silves, Licensing Coordinator

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Date



Mike Daisey, Licensing Board Chairman

3-12-2019

Date