## **MEETING OF THE**

## MASSACHUSETTS CLEAN WATER TRUST

## **BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

May 4, 2016

1:30 P.M.

State House, Room 227

Boston, Massachusetts

## **MINUTES**

**Board Attendees:** Deborah Goldberg, State Treasurer

Steven McCurdy, Director of Municipal Services, MassDEP, Designee

of the Commissioner of MassDEP

Rachel Madden, Under-Secretary, Administration and Finance –

Designee of Secretary of Administration and Finance

**Also Present:** James MacDonald, First Deputy Treasurer

Maureen Godsey Valente, Second Deputy Treasurer Susan Perez, Executive Director, MA Clean Water Trust Nate Keenan, Deputy Director, MA Clean Water Trust

Bernard Greene, Senior Legal Counsel, MA Clean Water Trust Dan Truong, Assistant Communications Director, Office of the State

Treasurer

Sean Barry, MA State Trooper

Shawn Collins, Director of Policy and Legislative Affairs, Office of the

State Treasurer

# CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order at 1:30 p.m. by Treasurer Goldberg.

#### Item #1 **MOTION- VOTE**

The motion was made by Mr. McCurdy, seconded by Ms. Madden and **voted unanimously in favor** of acceptance and approval of the minutes of the meeting held on April 6, 2016.

#### Item #2 **MOTION- VOTE**

The motion was made by Mr. McCurdy, seconded Ms. Madden and **voted unanimously in favor** of acceptance and approval of the minutes of the meeting held on April 26, 2016.

## Item #3 REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Ms. Perz reported on the following:

- 1. The Executive Committee has not met since the most recent Board meeting on April 26, 2016.
- 2. Ms. Madden commented that the vote at the April 26 Board of Trustees Meeting to reserve funds to test public school water samples for lead represented an important collaborative effort between the Governor and the State Treasurer to address a very significant problem in the Commonwealth.
- 3. Ms. Perez reported that there has been positive stories in the press on the initiative to test for the presence of lead in the water of public schools. Mr. McCurdy updated the Board on the responses to the survey sent to cities and towns and DEP's efforts to remind them of the deadline for responding. DEP has also setup a hotline for people to call with questions on the initiative and and help completing the survey.
- 4. Ms. Perez reported that the Board will vote on principal forgiveness at the next Board meeting and that the Trust has in the past prepared a press release to announce the amounts of principal forgiveness to be distributed.

#### Item #4 **MOTION – VOTE**

The motion was made by Mr. McCurdy, seconded Ms. Madden and **voted unanimously in favor** of acceptance and approval of the following: *Clean Water Commitments* 

Project/PAC No.	<u>Borrower</u>	<u>Loan/LGO</u> <u>Amount</u>	<u>Equivalent</u> <u>Interest Rate</u>
CW-15-23	Chicopee	\$12,405,179 <sup>1</sup>	2%
CW-15-15	Greater Lawrence Sanitary District	\$24,888,065 <sup>2</sup>	2%

#### Item #5 **MOTION – VOTE**

The motion was made by Mr. McCurdy, seconded Ms. Madden and **voted unanimously in favor** of acceptance and approval of the following: *Drinking Water Commitments* 

Project/PAC No.	<u>Borrower</u>	<u>Loan/LGO</u> <u>Amount</u>	Equivalent Interest Rate
DW-16-02	Eastham	\$10,863,982	2%
DW-15-11	Fall River	$$1,015,919^3$	2%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>First Revision. Original PAC amount was \$12,250,000.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>First Revision. Original PAC amount was \$24,704,400.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>First Revision. Original PAC amount was \$569,700.

Item #6 **MOTION – VOTE** 

The motion was made by Mr. McCurdy, seconded Ms. Madden and **voted unanimously in favor** of acceptance and approval of the following:

Clean Water Loans/Local Government Obligations and Financing Agreements

Project/PAC	<b>Borrower</b>	Loan/LGO	<b>Equivalent</b>
<u>No.</u>		<b>Amount</b>	<b>Interest Rate</b>
CWP-15-22	Brockton	\$1,401,693	2%
CWP-15-21	Gardner	\$4,580,286	2%
<b>CWP-15-15</b>	<b>Greater Lawrence</b>	\$24,888,064	2%
	<b>Sanitary District</b>	, ,	
<b>CWP-14-15</b>	Haverhill	\$8,535,4424	2%
CWP-14-12	Revere	\$13,746,305 <sup>5</sup>	2%
CWP-15-29	Revere	\$11,263,713	2%
CW-14-26-A	<b>Taunton</b>	\$3,037,504	2%

#### Item #7 **MOTION – VOTE**

The motion was made by Mr. McCurdy, seconded Ms. Madden and **voted unanimously in favor** of acceptance and approval of the following:

Drinking Water Loans/Local Government Obligations and Financing Agreements

Project/PAC No.	<u>Borrower</u>	<u>Loan/LGO</u> <u>Amount</u>	Equivalent Interest Rate
DWP-15-06	Brockton	\$3,513,471	2%
DWP-15-01-A	<b>Eastham</b>	\$3,514,597	2%
<b>DWP-16-02</b>	<b>Eastham</b>	\$10,863,982	2%
<b>DWP-16-01</b>	<b>Falmouth</b>	\$8,658,900	2%
<b>DWP-15-10</b>	<b>Fall River</b>	\$3,365,071	2%
DWP-15-11	<b>Fall River</b>	\$1,015,919	2%
<b>DWP-15-09</b>	Plainville	\$696,150	2%

### **OTHER BUSINESS:** None.

**ADJOURN:** Seeing no other business, at 1:41 p.m., the motion to adjourn was made by Mr. McCurdy, seconded by Ms. Madden and voted unanimously in favor.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>First Revision. Original PRA amount was \$6,464,500.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>First Revision. Original PRA amount was \$10,982,142.