OWOSSO MID-SHIAWASSEE COUNTY WWTP REVIEW BOARD MEETING MINUTES - DRAFT

August 26, 2025 4:30 P.M. W.W.T.P.

1. Roll (4:36 P.M.)

Members Present: R. Suchanek, L. Walker, J.Archer, A. Holek

Alternates Present: None

Others Present: T. Guysky, WWTP Superintendent/Board Secretary

J. Bloomfield, Owosso Twp/Caledonia Twp Utility Authority B. Langtry, Owosso Twp/Caledonia Twp Utility Authority

- 2. Agenda Approval: Motion by Holek to approve agenda as presented. Support by Walker. No discussion. Motion carries 4-0.
- 3. Minutes of the June 24, 2025 meeting: Motion by Archer to approve the June 24, 2025 meeting minutes. Support by Suchanek. No Discussion. Motion carries 4-0.
- 4. Secretary's Report:
 - a) <u>Plant Performance Summary (June-July 2025)</u>: Guysky noted full permit compliance for the months of June-July 2025.
 - b) <u>Plant Operations and Staffing:</u> Guysky noted efficient plant operations with the current dry weather season and all new equipment working well. There is an open laboratory technician position.
 - c) <u>WWTP Project Updates</u>: Guysky updated the Board on the current projects. The Phase I Project has some major electrical work coming up within the next couple weeks that will require the plant be run solely on backup generator power for 2-3 weeks. There will also be major piping replacements done soon. The new secondary clarifier is likely to be online and working by winter. Langtry asked about the bypass pumping that was discussed at the June meeting. Guysky noted it will still be necessary, but not likely for a couple months.

5. Old Business:

- a) Board Alternate Requirement:
 - 1. Corunna: Walker noted she is still working on getting an alternate in place.
- b) <u>H2S Mitigation Update</u>: Langtry updated the Board on the Township Utility Authority's progress: the ozone trial did not have positive results and they are now feeding chemical as they did last year. Guysky updated the City of Owosso's efforts on their side: monitoring over the past several weeks has indicated some H2S input to the plant headworks from the City flow. More study is required, so a second H2S logger is being purchased and will be

deployed to further assess the situation. The City has begun a chemical feed trial as well. Archer also gave some examples of H2S mitigation measures he has seen in his experience.

7. New Business:

NONE

8. Citizens'/Members' Comments:

Suchanek noted the MEDC has rejected a \$2.5 million Water Related Infrastructure grant proposal submitted for the Nitrification Tower Project. The project will still proceed as planned. Guysky informed the Board new flow sensing equipment has been purchased for the M-1, M-2 and M-0 meter stations and will be installed in the coming months. This will replace the 30+ year old existing equipment.

9. Adjourn: Motion to adjourn by Holek. Support by Archer. No discussion. Motion carries 4-0. Meeting adjourned at 5:17 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Timothy J. Guysky, Secretary Approval by Review Board pending